WHAT IT TAKES TO PREPARE

LMW COUNTRY PROFILE

Overview of the Library Environment

NARRATIVE TEXT, 500 WORDS

Description of the library field, including general information about the library system, facts and features of different library types, governance and funding models, development and policy priorities, role of library association, recent achievements in the library field.

Library Location Resources

TITLE, URL, DESCRIPTION

Web maps which include location data of all or part of a country’s libraries (e.g. maps of libraries created by using OpenStreetMaps, Google Maps or other solutions).

Organisations

NAME, DESCRIPTION, URL

National library associations
National libraries
Policy making institutions (e.g. ministries, departments)
Library support organisations
100 words for each, excluding name

Policy and Legislation

TITLE, DESCRIPTION, URL

National policy documents: 100 words
Library law: 250 words
Legal deposit law: 250 words
Copyright and library exceptions: 350 words

Education and Events

TITLE, DESCRIPTION, URL

Professional qualification requirements: 250 words
Librarians’ education: 250 words
Professional publications: 100 words
Professional events: 100 words

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- Collaboration with local partners in their country,
- Electronic content submission and curation.

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