### **CARLI** Consortium of Academic and Research Libraries in Illinois

Illinois libraries that are not part of CARLI may obtain access to the catalogs of Illinois Academic Libraries. To access materials from the CARLI libraries visit:

www.carli.illinois.edu/productsservices/i-share/illinet-info

Here you will find all the information you will need to set up your library record, connect to the I-Share Catalog, and search and request items through I-Share.

If you have questions contact the CARLI office at: <a href="mailto:support@carli.illinois.edu">support@carli.illinois.edu</a>



## **SHARE** Sharing Heartland's Available Resources Equally

SHARE is the shared automation program of Illinois Heartland Library System (IHLS) and is comprised of multi-type libraries in IHLS sharing a database and implementing library automation software. All IHLS members are eligible to join the SHARE LLSAP (Local Library System Automation Project).

For more information, contact Chris Dawdy, SHARE Director, at cdawdy@illinoisheartland.org or 618-656-3216 ext. 443.





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# **Resource Sharing**

Interlibrary Loan Options for Libraries

# **Interlibrary Loan (ILL)**

Members of IHLS may choose one or more of the following methods to obtain materials through interlibrary loan. All Interlibrary Loan activity in IHLS is covered by the System's Resource Sharing Plan and Policy and the ILLINET Interlibrary Loan Code.

### **Direct Contact**

Libraries may contact another library directly to request materials through interlibrary loan. Once the requesting library has determined that a supplying library owns an item, they complete an **ALA Interlibrary Loan Form** and send it via fax or email.

For more information on this method of ILL read the ALA Library Fact Sheet 8:

www.ala.org/tools/libfactsheets/ alalibraryfactsheeto8

## OCLC

All IHLS Members have access to WorldCat Discovery for searching, which is provided by the Illinois State Library. To use OCLC Resource Sharing services, libraries must become members of OCLC. Through OCLC WorldShare ILL, libraries have access to materials throughout the world!

The Illinois State Library suggests that as a best practice, libraries that are members of an LLSAP take advantage of "Group Services" pricing to become OCLC Members. *This is not a requirement* and if an LLSAP library does not catalog using OCLC or participate in ILL through OCLC, they do not have to be an OCLC member. However, SHARE staff are required to remove non-OCLC library's holdings from the OCLC database.

For pricing information on OCLC "Group Services" or to determine whether or not your library has access, please contact Sue Burkholder at the Illinois State Library.

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Libraries that participate in OCLC interlibrary loan and cataloging are considered full members of OCLC.

For additional information, visit: <u>www.cyberdriveillinois.com/department</u> <u>s/library/libraries/OCLC/home.html</u>.

Libraries wishing to only access the interlibrary loan features of OCLC should contact Alisa J. Whitt, Resource Sharing Services Consultant for information and pricing. Ms. Whitt may be contacted by phone 800.848.5878 ext. 4069 or via email: whitta@oclc.org.