Fall 2024 Training Schedule

All fall 2024 trainings are online only unless noted.
Registration and online meeting links will be added soon.

V-Cat Sierra Cataloging Training – Attaching Items

Thursday, September 12 10:00 am – Noon

This training will introduce and review the process of attaching item records to existing bibliographic records in the V-Cat Sierra database. It is open to all library staff who catalog materials or add items in Sierra.

Who should attend? Library staff new to adding items in Sierra or anyone interested in refresher training.

V-Cat Sierra Cataloging Training - MARC Alerts

Thursday, September 26 10:00 am – Noon

This training will introduce and review the process of adding MARC Alert bibliographic records to the V-Cat Sierra database. It is open to all library staff who catalog.

Who should attend? Library staff new to cataloging in V-Cat or interested in a refresher training.

V-Cat Sierra Z39.50 Cataloging Training

Thursday, October 17 9:30 am – 12 pm IN PERSON

Attendees will learn how to use Z39.50 to connect to OCLC to search, analyze, and save bibliographic records to the V-Cat Sierra database. Prior to attending, library staff must attend a MARC Alert training or receive permission from Rachel.

Who should attend? Library staff new to cataloging in V-Cat or interested in a refresher training.

TBD – In Person Training

Thursday, October 17 1:00 – 2:30 pm IN PERSON

Aspen Patron Experience & Collection Showcase Training

Thursday, October 29 10:00 am – Noon

Learn tips and tricks to help your patrons use Aspen. This will be a full tour of Aspen from the patron's perspective along with additional information about how to showcase your library's collections with browse categories and collection spotlights.

Who should attend? Library staff new to Aspen or interested in a refresher training.

TBD – Online Training

Thursday, November 21 10:00 am – Noon

Contact WVLS at help@librarieswin.org to request additional training and tutorial topics.