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Libraries in the Study

**A. H. Baldwin & Sons Ltd. Library**
Location: London, England, UK  
Library founded: 1872  
Open to the general public: No  
Population served: All staff members  
Print collection circulates: No  
Print resources (numismatics): 3,800 books  
A.H. Baldwin & Sons: [http://www.baldwin.co.uk/](http://www.baldwin.co.uk/)

**American Numismatic Association – Dwight N. Manley Numismatic Library**
Location: Colorado Springs, CO  
Library founded: 1891  
Parent organization founded: 1891  
Open to the general public: Yes  
Population served: ANA members & the general public  
Print collection circulates: Yes, to ANA members  
Print resources (numismatics): 130,000  
Print books (numismatics): 30,000 titles  
Print periodicals (numismatics): 20,000 to 80,000  
Electronic resources (numismatics): 250 to 1,000  
Visuals/videos/DVDs (numismatics): 500  
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, pre-1850 numismatic books, auction catalogs, periodicals, signed books.  
ANA: [http://www.money.org](http://www.money.org)  
ANA Library: [https://www.money.org/library](https://www.money.org/library)  
Library catalog: [https://www.money.org/library-catalog](https://www.money.org/library-catalog)

**American Numismatic Society – Harry W. Bass, Jr. Library**
Location: New York, NY  
Library founded: 1858  
Organization founded: 1858  
Open to the general public: Yes  
Population served: Anyone  
Print collection circulates: No  
Print Resources (numismatics): ca. 70,000  
Print resources (other subjects): ca. 30,000  
Print periodicals titles: ca. 270  
Print periodicals (numismatics): ca. 180 (out of 270 total)  
Audio: ca. 50  
Visuals/Videos/DVD’s: ca. 100  
Electronic periodicals: thousands (J-STOR)  
Other subjects: Archaeology, art, economic history, Greek and Latin texts and inscriptions, history, mythology, and other related topics.  
ANS: [http://numismatics.org](http://numismatics.org)  
ANS Library: [http://numismatics.org/Library/Library](http://numismatics.org/Library/Library)  
ANS Library Catalog: [http://donum.numismatics.org/](http://donum.numismatics.org/)
American Tax Token Society - ATTS Reference Library
Location: Lenexa, Kansas
Library founded: 1971
Parent organization founded: 1971
Open to the general public: No
Population served: Current active members in good standing of the ATTS
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): 210
Electronic resources (numismatics): 160
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, exceedingly rare volumes or original research works that are not loaned
ATTS: http://www.taxtoken.org

Ancient Numismatics Research Institute (ANRI) Research Library
Location: Gainesville, Missouri
Library founded: June 8, 2011
Organization founded: 1935
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Ancient coin collectors and independent scholars
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): Thousands
Print resources (other subjects): Hundreds
Electronic resources (other subjects): millions
Special Collections: Yes, trade catalogue collection
ANRI: http://ancientnumismatics.org
ANRI Library: http://www.wgs.cc/anri/
(Website under construction)

Art Gallery of South Australia Research Library
Location: Adelaide, South Australia
Library founded: 1970
Parent organization founded: 1884
Open to the general public: No
Population served: Staff, curators, guides, art students
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): 65
Print resources (other subjects): 37,000
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, exhibition catalogues
Other subjects: Art - paintings and art objects
Augustan Society Library
Location: Orlando, Florida
Library founded: 18 August 1957
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Open to the general public: No
Print collection circulates: Yes
Print resources (numismatics): Undetermined
Print resources (other subjects): ca. 20,000
Other subjects: Heraldry, genealogy, chivalry, history (especially before 1600), royalty & nobility
Library catalog: http://library.augustansociety.org/

Australian Numismatic Society Library
Location: Australia
Library founded: 1913
Organization founded: 1913
Open to the general public: No
Print collection circulates: No
Print collection (numismatics): Undetermined
Australian Numismatic Society: http://www.the-ans.com/
Library: http://the-ans.com/library.html (website under construction)

Biblioteca Luis Angel Arango - Archivo Histórico Casa de Moneda
Location: Bogotá D.C., Colombia
Library founded: 20 February 1958
Banco de la República founded: 23 July 1923
Casa Moneda founded: 1620
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: General public, students and researchers
Print collection circulates: Yes
Print resources (numismatics): 500 books
Print resources (other subjects): 1,500,000
Electronic resources (other subjects): website or cultural areas
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, all the archives & manuscripts of the Casa de Moneda minting activities from 1620-1942; over 18,000 volumes related to the process of minting coins in Colombia, policy & organizational documents, administrative papers on the functioning of the mint, such as human resources, operational costs, etc.
Other subjects: Bibliographic materials in all subject areas, art, historical manuscripts and archives, photography, music videos and musical scores
Casa Moneda: http://www.banrepcultural.org/museos-y-colecciones/casa-de-moneda
Biblioteca Luis Angel Arango: http://www.banrepcultural.org
Bibliothèque Royale de Belgique Cabinet des Médailles
Location: Brussels, Belgium
Library founded: 1838
Parent organization founded: 1837
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Every citizen minimum age of 16
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): 45,000
Print book titles (numismatics): 30,000
Print periodicals titles (numismatics): 350

Bryn Mawr College Libraries
Location: Bryn Mawr, PA
Library founded: 1885
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Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Bryn Mawr College community & outside researchers
Print collection circulates: Yes
Print resources (numismatics): 800
Print resources (other subjects): 1,000,000+
Electronic resources (numismatics): 60
Electronic resources (other subjects): Thousands
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, Medieval and later manuscripts, incunables, history of the book, women's history, travel and exploration, first editions, art, archeological artifacts, ethnographic collections.
Other subjects: Liberal arts college library with strong subject collections in sciences, art history, archeology, rare books.
Bryn Mawr College Library: http://www.brynmawr.edu/library
Bryn Mawr College Library & Catalog: http://www.brynmawr.edu/library/index.html

California State Numismatic Association
Location: Vallejo, California
Library founded: 1947
Organization founded: 1947
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: CSNA Members and fellow numismatic researchers
Print Collection Circulates: Yes
Print Resources (numismatics): 1500+ (books)
Print resources (other subjects): Unknown
Special Collections: Archives of the CSNA & the California Exonumist Society (CES)
Other Info.: Has all issues of CALCOIN News and California Numismatist
CSNA: http://www.calcoin.org/
CSNA Library: http://www.calcoin.org/library/index.html
Library Catalog: http://www.calcoin.org/pdfs/CSNA_Library_Catalog.pdf
Chicago Coin Company, Inc. – William A. Burd Numismatic Library
Location: Chicago, IL
Library founded: 1995
Parent organization founded: 1995
Open to the general public: No
Population served: Anyone interested in numismatics
Print collection circulates: No
Print books (numismatics): 4,000
Print periodicals (numismatics): 20
Chicago Coin Company, Inc.: http://www.chicagocoin.com/
Library catalog: http://www.librarything.com

Combined Organizations of Numismatic Error Collectors of America (CONECA) Library
Location: Godfrey, IL
Library founded: ca. 1975
Organization founded: 1983
Open to the general public: No
Population served: CONECA Members only – approximately 800
Print collection circulates: Yes, to CONECA members only (ca. 800)
Print resources (numismatics): 1,700
Electronic resources (numismatics): 15-20
Print books titles (numismatics): 165
Print periodicals (numismatics): 1,535
CONECA: http://conecaonline.org
CONECA Library: http://conecaonline.org/library.html
Library catalog: http://conecaonline.org/content/librarycatalog.html

D. I. Greenhalgh - Grunal Moneta Library
Location: Tanvats, Lincolnshire, UK
Library founded: 1977
Parent organization founded: 1977
Open to the general public: No
Population served: English hammered E group
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): 1,000+
Print resources (other subjects): 500+
Other subjects: History
Grunal Moneta: http://www.grunal.com
Library catalog: http://livinghistory.co.uk/homepages/grunalmoneta/catalogue.html
Eretz-Israel Museum, Tel-Aviv, Kadman Numismatic Pavilion - James and Edith Ross Library
Location: Tel-Aviv, Israel
Library founded: 1966
Kadman Numismatic Pavilion founded: 1962
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Everybody
Print collection circulates: No
Print books (numismatics): ca. 10,000 titles
Print periodicals titles (numismatics): ca. 30
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, Jewish numismatics
Eretz-Israel Museum: http://www.eretzmuseum.org.il
Kadman Numismatic Pavilion: http://www.eretzmuseum.org.il/e/116/30.htm

Fábrica Nacional de Moneda y Timbre, Biblioteca
Location: Madrid, Spain
Library founded: 1861
Parent organization founded: 1861
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Staff of FNMT, students, and researchers in general
Print collection circulates: Yes
Print resources (numismatics): 5,900
Print resources (other subjects): 20,000
Electronic resources (other subject): 30
Special Collections & Archives: Yes
Other subjects: History, art history, design, drawing, economics, engineering, engraving, graphic design, & philately
FNMT: http://www.fnmt.es/home

Geldmuseum (Utrecht) Bibliotheek
Location: Utrecht, the Netherlands
Library founded: 1816
Geldmuseum founded: 1816
Open to the public: Yes
Population served: Researchers, including of the museum, numismatists, students, coin collectors, and anybody interested in information about money (coins, medals, paper money, history of money and banking, etc.)
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): 21,000 books; 20,000 auction catalogues; 1,800 old books, documentation material; 500 journal titles
Print resources (other subjects): ca. 1,000
Online resources (other subjects): 50
Visuals/video/DVDs: ca. 100
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, numismatists, numismatics, edicts, etc.
Other subjects: Economics, banking, psychological and cultural aspects of money, unique collection, etc.
Geldmuseum: http://www.geldmuseum.nl (permanently closed)
Germanisches Nationalmuseum Nürnberg - Bibliothek
Location: Nürnberg, Germany
Library founded: 1852
Parent organization founded: 1852
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Everyone (adults, 18 years old & over)
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): ca. 4,165
Print resources (other subjects): ca. 650,000
Electronic resources (numismatics): 21
Electronic resources (other subjects): 15,000
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, art, botanical prints, contemporary books, history of architecture manuscripts, rare prints
Other subjects: Art history, cultural history, folklore, regional studies and genealogy of German speaking countries
Library catalog: [http://webopac.gnm.de/aDISWeb/app?service=direct/0/Home/$DirectLink&sp=Sserver-bib.gnm.de:5105](http://webopac.gnm.de/aDISWeb/app?service=direct/0/Home/$DirectLink&sp=Sserver-bib.gnm.de:5105)

Harvard Medical School- Francis A. Countway Library of Medicine
Location: Boston, MA
Library founded: 1875 (Boston Medical Library)
Parent organization founded: 1782 (Allied to Harvard Medical School) 1636 (Harvard University)
Open to the public: Yes
Population served: Harvard University & affiliated groups
Print collection circulates: Yes
Print resources (numismatics): 62
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, history of medicine
Other subjects: History of medicine
Francis Countway Library of Medicine: [https://legacy.countway.harvard.edu/index.html](https://legacy.countway.harvard.edu/index.html)
Library catalog: [https://legacy.countway.harvard.edu/menuNavigation/books.html](https://legacy.countway.harvard.edu/menuNavigation/books.html)

Hellenic Numismatic Society Library
Location: Athens, Greece
Library founded: 1970
Organization founded: 1970
Open to the general public: No, only open to members of the HNS
Population served: Scholars and collectors of coins and medals
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): Undetermined
Print periodicals (numismatics): Undetermined
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, Hellenic Numismatic Society publications
International Bank Note Society Library (merged with the American Numismatic Association Dwight N. Manley Library)
Location: Colorado Springs, CO
IBNS Library founded: 1970
ANA founded: 1891
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: IBS & ANA members & the general public
Print collection circulates: Yes, to IBNS & ANA members
Print resources (numismatics): 130,000
Print books (numismatics): 30,000 titles
Print periodicals (numismatics): 20,000 to 80,000
Electronic resources (numismatics): 250 to 1,000
Visuals/videos/DVDs (numismatics): 500
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, pre-1850 numismatic books, auction catalogs, periodicals, signed books.
ANA Library: https://www.money.org/library
ANA Library catalog: https://www.money.org/library-catalog

The Library of Congress
Location: Washington, District of Columbia
Library founded: April, 1800
Open to the public: Yes
Population served: Anyone, 16 years of age, reader card required (free)
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): 20,000+
Print resources (other subjects): 160 million
Electronic resources: 700+ database subscriptions
Special Collections & Archives: Yes
Other subjects: The Library of Congress, as the de facto National Library, collects in all subject areas
Library catalog: http://catalog.loc.gov/

Montgomery County Coin Club Library
Location: Silver Spring, MD
Library founded: 1959
Parent organization founded: 1959
Open to the general public: No, only to club members
Population served: Club members
Print collection circulates: Yes
Print resources (numismatics): 388 books
Visuals/video/DVDs: 25
MCCC: http://mdstatenumisassn.org/MCCC/
MCCC Library: http://mdstatenumisassn.org/MCCC/mccc-library/
Library Catalog: http://mdstatenumisassn.org/MCCC/digital-library/
**Musée Monétaire Cantonal, Lausanne, Bibliothèque**

Location: Lausanne, Switzerland  
Library founded: 1755  
Parent organization founded: 1755  
Open to the general public: Yes  
Population served: Numismatists, historians, archaeologists, researchers, coin collectors, students, & the general public  
Print collection circulates: Yes  
Print resources (numismatics): ca. 7,700 books titles; 278 sales catalogs titles (16,540 volumes)  
Print resources (other subjects): ca. 1,200 books titles; 60 periodicals (3,460 volumes)  
Print periodicals titles (other subjects): 60 titles (1,960 volumes)  
Print periodicals (numismatics): 161 titles (ca. 5,040 vol.) + 278 sales catalogs (3,500 vol.)  
Visuals/video/DVDs: 51  
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, documentation about the objects in the Museum (coins, medals, weights, seals, scales and other objects related to numismatics)  
Other subjects: Heraldry, sigillography, weights, glyptic, regional history  
Musée Monétaire: [http://www.musees.vd.ch/musee-monetaire](http://www.musees.vd.ch/musee-monetaire)  

**Northwest Territorial Mint Library, Medallic Art Company, LLC**

Location: Dayton, Nevada  
Library founded: 1907  
Parent organization founded:  
Open to the general public: No  
Population served: Internal corporate use  
Print collection circulates: No  
Print resources (numismatics): Undetermined  
Print resources (other subjects): Undetermined  
Electronic resources (other subjects): Undetermined  
Special Collections & Archives: Yes  
Medallic Art Company: [http://www.medallic.com](http://www.medallic.com)  
NWTM: [http://www.nwtmint.com](http://www.nwtmint.com)

**Numismatics International Library**

Location: Dallas, Texas  
Library founded: 1966  
Parent organization founded: 1966  
Open to the general public: No  
Population served: Members of Numismatics International  
Print collection circulates: Yes, to members  
Print resources (numismatics): 3,200 book titles  
Numismatic International: [http://www.numis.org](http://www.numis.org)  
NI Library: [http://numis.org/resources/library/](http://numis.org/resources/library/)  
Library catalog: [https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/numismatics/database/11/edit](https://groups.yahoo.com/neo/groups/numismatics/database/11/edit)
Ontario Numismatic Association Library
Location: Kitchener, Ontario, Canada
Library founded: 1962
Organization founded: 1962
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Ontario, general public
Print Collection Circulates: Yes
Print Resources (numismatics): Undetermined
Archives & Special Collections: Yes
ONA: http://ontario-numismatic.org/

Princeton University Numismatic Collection Library
Location: Princeton, NJ (Firestone Library)
Library founded: 1845
Parent organization founded: 1746
Open to the general public: No
Population served: Library is for Princeton community & available by interlibrary loan
Print collection circulates: Yes
Print numismatic books: 10,000 titles; 40,000 volumes
Print books (other subjects): 10,000,000 titles
Print periodicals titles: 10,000
Print periodicals (numismatics): 40 titles
e-Books (numismatics): 5,000
Electronic periodicals (numismatics): 5 titles
Electronic resources (other subjects): 10,000
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, coin collection - ca. 100,000 coins
Other subjects: General university library collection
Princeton University: http://www.princeton.edu
Princeton University Library: http://www.library.princeton.edu
Library catalog: http://catalog.princeton.edu/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?DB=local&PAGE=First

Royal Canadian Numismatic Association - RCNA Library
Location: Alberta, Canada
Library founded: March, 1950
Parent organization founded: February, 1950
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Everyone
Print collection circulates: Yes
Print resources (numismatics): ca. 1,500
Electronic resources (numismatics): ca. 1,000
Print books (numismatics): 1,000
Print periodicals (numismatics): 150 titles
Electronic resources (numismatics): ca. 1,000
Print books (numismatics): 1,000
Print periodicals (numismatics): 150 titles
Electronic periodicals (numismatics): 50 titles
Visuals/video/DVDs (numismatics): 250
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, The Canadian Numismatist and Numismatic Journal, Annual Reports, Royal Canadian Mint Annual Reports
Smithsonian Institution, National Museum of American History Library
Location: Washington, D.C.
Library founded: 1846
Parent organization founded: 1846
Open to the general public: ?
Population served: Anyone with serious research need & an appointment
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): Hundreds
Print resources (other subjects): Thousands
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, All facets of the history of science and technology
Other subjects: All facets of American history
SI: http://www.si.edu
SI Library: http://www.sil.si.edu
Library catalog: http://siris-libraries.si.edu/ipac20/ipac.jsp?profile=liball

Staatliche Kunstsammlungen Dresden - Münzkabinett Dresden, Bibliothek
Location: Dresden, Saxony, Germany
Münzkabinett Dresden, Bibliothek founded: 2nd half of 16th century
Münzkabinett Dresden founded: 16th century
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: The staff of the Coin Cabinet, the staff of all institutions of the State Art Collections Dresden, coin collectors, numismatic scholars, all persons who are interested in numismatics
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): 29,000
Print resources (other subjects): ca. 3,000
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, Numismatic books and books about medals from the 16th to the 18th century
Other subjects: Medals, history, heraldry, sphragistics, orders and decorations, genealogy
Münzkabinett Dresden: http://www.skd.museum
Münzkabinett Dresden, Bibliothek: http://www.skd.museum

Swiss Inventory of Coin Finds Library
Location: Bern, Switzerland
Library founded: 1992
SAHS founded: 1946
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Archaeologists, numismatists, students, general public
Print Collection Circulates: No
Print Resources (numismatics): ca. 2,000
Print resources (other subjects): ca. 1,000
Print periodicals titles: uncertain
Print periodicals (numismatics): uncertain
Electronic resources (numismatics): ca. 50
Special Collections: Yes, publications related to Swiss and Liechtenstein coin finds
Other subjects: Archaeology
SICF: http://www.coinfinds.ch or http://www.fundmuenzen.ch
SICF Archives: http://www.coinfinds.ch/services/databases/archives.php
Library Catalog: http://www.coinfinds.ch/services/databases/library.php
Texas Numismatic Association - TNA Memorial Library
Location: Texas
Library founded: 1960
Parent organization founded: 1960
Open to the general public: No
Population served: TNA members
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): 102
Visuals/video/DVDs: 21
TNA: http://www.tna.org/

Token and Medal Society - TAMS Library
Location: Huntington, VT
Library founded: 1961
Parent organization founded: 1961
Open to the general public: No
Population served: Members of the Token & Medal Society and all member clubs
Print collection circulates: Yes, to TAMS members
Print resources (numismatics): 800+ books
Print periodicals (numismatics): 5000+ periodicals (journals & newsletters)
Print periodicals titles (numismatics): ca. 100
Electronic resources (numismatics): 10
TAMS: http://www.tokenandmedal.org/
TAMS Library & Catalog: http://www.tokenandmedal.org/Library/Library.html

University of Oxford - Sackler Library
Location: Oxford, England, UK
Library founded: September, 2001
Parent organization founded: 12th century
Open to the general public: No
Population served: Members of the University of Oxford & visiting scholars
Print collection circulates: Yes
Print resources (numismatics): thousands
Print resources (other subjects): many thousands
Electronic resources (numismatics): online databases and electronic journals
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, numismatics & other subjects
Other subjects: Ancient Near Eastern studies, art history, biblical archaeology, British archaeology, Byzantine art and archaeology, classical archaeology, classics, Egyptology, European archaeology, papyrology
University of Oxford: http://www.ox.ac.uk/
Oxford Bodleian Libraries: http://www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk
Sackler Library: http://www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/sackler
Library catalog: http://www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/finding-resources
Uppsala University Coin Cabinet Library
Location: Uppsala, Sweden
Library founded: 1750’s
Parent organization founded: 1477
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Mainly staff & general public
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): ca. 2,000 titles
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, numismatic literature before 1800
Uppsala University Coin Cabinet: www.myntkabinettet.uu.se
Uppsala University Coin Cabinet Library: www.myntkabinettet.uu.se/library
Library catalog: http://libris.kb.se/hitlist?d=libris&q=bib%3aU+TREE%3aKyh

Vitterhetsakademiens Bibliotek Riksantikvarieämbetet
Royal Numismatic Museum in Stockholm, The Swedish National Heritage Board
Location: Stockholm, Sweden
Library founded: 1786
Parent organization founded: 1630
Open to the general public: Yes
Population served: Everyone
Print collection circulates: No
Print resources (numismatics): 20,000
Print book titles (numismatics): 20,450
Print resources (other subjects): 20,500
Print resources (other subjects): 1,000
Print periodicals titles (other subjects): 500
Print periodicals (numismatics): 450
Special Collections & Archives: Yes, Queen Lovisa Ulrika's Collection of Numismatic Literature
Other subjects: Economic history, bank history, archaeology, history
Vitterhetsakademiens: http://www.raa.se/om-riksantikvarieambetet/in-english/
Library: http://www.raa.se/cms/extern/informationstorg/bibliotek/numismatiska_biblioteket.html

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