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# Project Information

**Project Title:**

Improvements to the Library of Congress' Military Legal Resources Collection

**Abstract:**

The Military Legal Resource Collection was adopted by the LoC, originally from the William Winthrop Memorial Library at the U.S. Army Judge Advocate General (JAG)'s Legal Center and School. Over time the collection has grown by building on top of it's legacy information architecture, and thus this project aims to review this collection in its entirety to propose changes for a more uniform, accessible, and comprehensive navigation and user experience for LoC visitors. Additionally, due to the collection's history with JAG, this capstone will be mindful its historical legacy to JAG and make appropriate suggestions with care and respect.

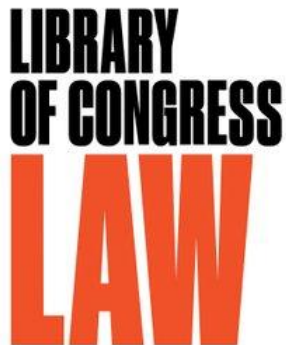
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**Sponsoring Organization:**

Library of Congress.

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# Project Overview Document

### People involved:

This capstone project is led by **Amber Mak**, graduating residential MLIS student at UW. The sponsor is **Jennifer González**, Senior Legal Information Specialist at the Law Library of Congress.

### Overview:

The Military Legal Resources collection is a legacy collection donated by JAG, and over the years LoC has built on top of the collection without thoroughly reorganizing the navigation and information architecture of the collection to LoC's standards.

This project had three major components in its development:

- Located and reviewed other institutions that have received the legacy collection from JAG. If appropriate, examined its developments in other institutions as well and how it differs from LoC's version of the collection.
- Examined the metadata, information architecture, and descriptions of the LoC collection.
- Made suggestions to changes based on observations from the above tasks. Additionally, ranked each task based on difficulty to help sponsor understand the labor cost of each suggestion.

**The goal of this project** is to map out current structures existing in LoC and other institutions that have received JaG's legacy collection. Afterwards, Amber identified existing weak points to accessibility and navigation, and then make recommendations to strengthen the collection overall.

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