

SIERRA CATALOGING

How to Create a Bibliographic Record

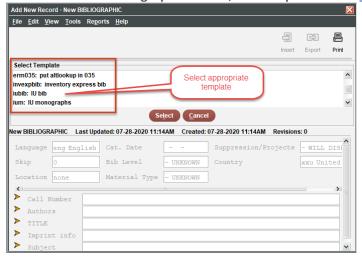
To create bibliographic records in Catalog, you must be assigned permission 102 (Create bibliographic records).

Bibliographic records can be created from Catalog, Serials Checkin, Place Orders or Receive Function.

This record is created in the Catalog Function | Click New



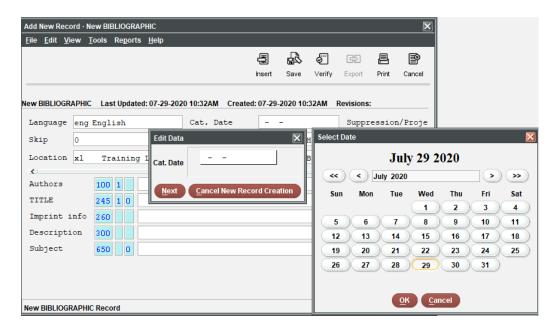
To create a new bibliographic record, select a pre-created bibliographic template:



The template may use the dialog box also known as the Wizard which will prompt you to fill in the fields or it may be already populated



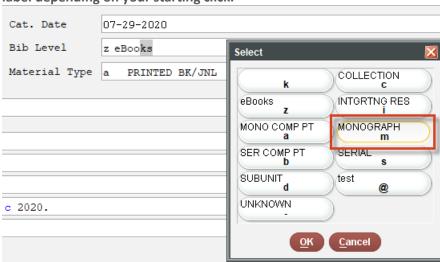




Date fields can be populated by:

- Double click inside the box, a calendar will display, select the date
- Type in the date
- Type the letter 't' to insert today's date

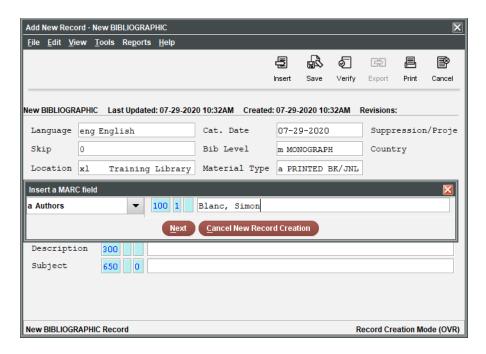
If the prepopulated value in a fixed-length field needs to be changed, key a valid code or double click to see a list of the valid values for the field. The list will sort either by the code or the code label depending on your starting click.



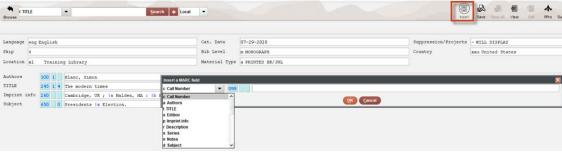
The template may prompt for variable-length fields. Type in the data in the correct format:







After the last prompt if additional variable length fields need to be added, click "Insert".



Insert a call number:



Once all the fields are added click Save.







The saved record will have the new record number, last updated, created date and revisions:



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