



# KOHA RESOURCES

Easy access to Koha resources online for new users

## Koha Community Website

<https://koha-community.org/>

## Koha Community mailing lists

Main Koha discussion list

<https://bit.ly/kohamail>

Koha developers

<https://bit.ly/kohadev>

Koha bugs

<https://bit.ly/kohabugs>

## Koha Community Chat Server

<https://chat.koha-community.org/>

## Koha Wiki

Koha Wiki home page

<https://bit.ly/kohawiki>

Koha reports library

<https://bit.ly/kohareports>

Koha jQuery library

<https://bit.ly/kohajquery>

Koha notices and slips library

<https://bit.ly/kohanotices>

## US Regional mailing lists

Kansas

Koha explorers group

email: [kegger+subscribe@lists.nekls.org](mailto:kegger+subscribe@lists.nekls.org)

then reply to the automated email you receive

Rocky Mountain West

<https://bit.ly/kohausrmwest>

North Texas

<https://bit.ly/kohausntx>

## koha-US Websites

Main website

<https://koha-us.org>

List of all koha-US mailing lists

<https://koha-us.org/mailling-lists/>

koha-US video playlists

<https://koha-us.org/learn/video-playlists/>

koha-US quick reference guides

<https://koha-us.org/learn/#learn-quickref>

## koha-US Special Interest Groups

See <https://koha-us.org/special-interest-groups/>

Groups include:

Acquisitions

Cataloging

Circulation

Consortia

Demonstration

System administration

Web development

## Koha bugs

Bugzilla

<https://bit.ly/kohabugzilla>

koha-US bug tracker

<http://koha-us.org/bugs/>

## Koha Manual

<https://koha-community.org/documentation/>

# Koha Meaning

Koha is a word from the Maori culture and language that means “gift with obligations or expectations.

The Koha integrated library system was written by Katipo Communications in New Zealand in 1999 on commission for the Horowhenua Trust Libraries in Levin, New Zealand. Katipo and Horowhenua Trust made the decision to release Koha with a free and open source license as a gift to the library community. Our obligation as users of Koha is to find ways to contribute what we are able to the improvement of Koha for all others who use it.

Koha is an unqualified open source success story.

Koha is currently the most widely used integrated library system in the world.

## Koha New User Challenge

### ☒ **Challenge #1**

Attend a regional Koha  
users meeting

(Congratulations, challenge met)

### ☐ **Challenge #2**

Watch an episode of

Monday Minutes

or

Terrific Every Other Thursday

on YouTube

### ☐ **Challenge #3**

Join a Koha mailing list

(see the other side of this  
page for links to several  
mailing lists)

### ☐ **Challenge #4**

Download a report, notice, or  
some jQuery from the Koha wiki  
and add it to your Koha server

(see the other side of this page for links)

### ☐ **Challenge #5**

Attend a koha-US meeting

(you don't even need to turn on  
your camera—just show up and  
listen to what's happening)

### ☐ **Challenge #6**

Attend a Koha Conference

Koha-US 2024

Round Rock, Texas: 8/13-8/16

KohaCon24

Montreal, QC, Canada: 9/23-9/27

(also livestreamed and recorded on YouTube)