REGISTER FOR AALL 2022 / JULY 16-19

AALL 2022—Advancing Justice for All—will offer more than 60 sessions presented by experts across the industry who will share solutions to the challenges you face every day—wherever you work. Gain valuable networking opportunities with your legal information peers and access to a bustling exhibit hall, where you can interact with vendors and discover the latest marketplace innovations.

Two preconference workshops have been added to the 2022 AALL Annual Meeting & Conference. If you have already registered for the conference, there’s still time to add preconference workshops to your existing registration. Please contact Customer Service at 1.877.737.0555 (between 8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m. EDT) or customerservice@AALLconference.org for assistance with editing an existing registration. Attendance is limited and separate registration fees apply—be sure to register in advance of the June 17 deadline!

- Teaching Law Tech Teachers ($149)
- Legal Basics for Librarians ($149)

The preliminary schedule is now available with program information. You can even create a login and start building your own personal schedule for Denver. Please note that this schedule is still in progress, and that additional meetings, programs, and events will be posted in the weeks to come.

Start the conversation! Let us know if you’re attending, presenting, or exhibiting at the AALL Annual Meeting on Twitter using #AALL22!

CANDIDATES ANNOUNCED FOR THE 2022 EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTION

Last week, AALL announced in an eBriefing the 2022 slate of candidates for various positions on AALL’s Executive Board. Members will vote for one candidate to serve as vice president/president-elect (2023-2024), one candidate to serve as Secretary (2023-2026), and two candidates to serve as Executive Board members (2023-2026). The president-elect will serve on the Board for three years (as vice president, president, and immediate past president) until July 2026. The election will be held October 1 to October 31, and elected candidates will begin their terms in July 2023. Results will be announced once all candidates have been informed.

Members can meet the Executive Board candidates on Monday, July 17 from 8:00 a.m.-9:30 a.m. (MDT) in the AALL Member Services booth during the AALL Annual Meeting & Conference in Denver. Can’t make it to Denver? We will be holding virtual candidate forums in the fall—more information will be forthcoming.

QUICK LINKS

AALL Events Calendar | AALL Career Center | AALL News | AALL COVID-19 Resources | AALL Anti-Racism, Diversity, Equity & Inclusion

AALL UPDATES

AALL MEMBER SURVEY / RESPONSES DUE MAY 6
AALL is seeking your feedback on ways to improve your member experience and provide you with the resources and tools you need to succeed. To help us better meet your needs, we ask that you complete this short 2022 AALL Membership Survey.

Survey responses are due Friday, May 6 at 11:59 p.m. (CDT). Information provided is confidential and will be reported in aggregate form only. If you have any questions, please contact AALL Membership Services at membership@aall.org.

Thank you for taking the time to give us your feedback.

BEGIN SURVEY

RENEW YOUR 2022-2023 AALL MEMBERSHIP / INVEST IN YOUR PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

Over 1,000 of your colleagues have renewed their 2022-2023 memberships. As a reminder, your membership is valid through May 31, 2022. AALL benefits add up to over $2,000+ in value for the year. These include:

- Access to essential professional development—complimentary monthly webinars and virtual coffee chats as well as discounted rates for online courses and live events.
- Discounted registration to the 2022 AALL Annual Meeting & Conference in Denver. Registration is open!
- Access to an extensive network of peers; including the ability to join caucuses and special interest sections and connecting with other members who share similar interests.
- Plus, so much more.

If you have any questions about your membership renewal, please contact AALL Headquarters at membership@aall.org or 312.939.4764.

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PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

REGISTER FOR AALL'S CI STRATEGIES & ANALYSIS / MAY 16-17

Competitive intelligence (CI) skills are in demand at every organization. AALL’s upcoming CI Strategies & Analysis program, to take place May 16-17, 2022, in Chicago, will help you learn strategic skills to take your CI game to the next level. This program will teach you skills core to growing a competitive intelligence function, providing you with the deeper market insight needed to give your organization a competitive edge.

- Date: May 16-17, 2022
- Location: 230 W. Monroe Street, Chicago, IL 60606
- Cost: AALL Members $895 / Nonmembers $1,200
- Registration Deadline: Monday, May 9, 2022

REGISTER NOW

NEW! STRATEGIC THINKING COURSE FOR LAW LIBRARIANS

AALL’s self-paced course, "Strategic Thinking for Law Librarians," will teach law library professionals—at any level—how to employ strategic thinking for impactful decision-making. Whether you are interested in preparing for a management role or are already in a leadership position, you will come away better equipped to confidently tackle any decision (large or small), make a compelling argument, and apply influence in your organization in a way that creates optimal conditions for success.

WHAT PARTICIPANTS ARE SAYING

"I loved the interactive components of this course, such as the cards and the different learning tracks. These helped me gain a good understanding of the key concepts." — Kristin Kimura; Outreach & Training Librarian; Perkins Coie LLP

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UPCOMING COFFEE CHATS & WEBINARS

AALL has several exciting coffee chat and webinars lined up for the remainder of this month as well as May and June. Be sure to visit the AALL Calendar of Events page to stay up to date on future topics and to register.

GRANTS

APPLY FOR AN ANNUAL MEETING GRANT BY MAY 1

We look forward to seeing everyone in Denver this July for AALL 2022. To help get you there, AALL provides resources like the Annual Meeting grants, which covers registration costs for the Annual Meeting. Special interest sections provide additional grant opportunities for their members, and some chapters do as well. But you'll need to act fast—applications are due May 1.

APPLY FOR A LEXISNEXIS RESEARCH GRANT BY MAY 1

The AALL LexisNexis Research Grant Jury is accepting applications through May 1, 2022 for grants from the AALL Research Fund (An Endowment Established by LexisNexis). The jury may allocate $5,000 between one or more applicants seeking funding for research that advances AALL's Research Agenda, which seeks to stimulate "a diverse range of scholarship related to and supportive of the profession of law librarianship."

If you have a research project that may benefit from this grant, review the complete guidelines and apply. Grants will be awarded and announced by the end of May.

AALL/BLOOMBERG LAW CONTINUING EDUCATION GRANT / DUE MAY 12

Does your chapter, special interest section, committee, or caucus have an educational event that needs funding? If so, consider applying for an AALL/Bloomberg Law Continuing Education Grant. Grant requests are accepted at various times throughout the year. The next deadline for grant applications is May 12, 2022.

COMMUNITY CORNER

UPCOMING SIS WEBINARS

Several of AALL's special interest sections (SISs) feature webinars every month that are open to all AALL members. Be sure to visit the AALL Calendar of Events page to stay up to date on future topics and to register. Upcoming webinars include tomorrow's PEGA-SIS "So You Wanna" series, as well as webinars from ALL-SIS and FCIL-SIS.

Stay Informed: Join our mailing list.