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FEATURED NEWS

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Over 700 of your colleagues have registered for [AALL 2022](#). Don't miss out on the networking and learning opportunities from this Conference. AALL 2022 will offer [more than 60 educational programs](#) planned over four days—you will return from Denver energized and empowered with new techniques and strategies to benefit your library and its users. Let your employer know *why* you need to be at AALL 2022. [Download the Justification Toolkit to make your case for attending the conference.](#)

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- Attend preconference workshops on [Fundamentals When You Don't Have a JD](#), [Teaching Law Tech Teachers](#), or [CONELL](#)
- Discover new and emerging technology and trends from over 55 [exhibitors](#)
- If you have implemented an innovative program in your library, consider submitting a [poster session](#). Your good idea could benefit your fellow colleagues. [Submit your proposal by June 1.](#)

Join the conversation! Let your network know that you are attending, presenting, or exhibiting at the AALL Annual Meeting on Twitter using [#AALL22!](#)

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CRIV ROUNDTABLE SURVEY / RESPONSES DUE MAY 25

The [Committee on Relations with Information Vendors](#) (CRIV) is hard at work planning their annual vendor roundtable, which will be held virtually in mid-June. As they finalize the topic for this year's roundtable, they would like your input. Broadly, the topic addresses diversity, equity, and inclusion in vendor collections and products; and they are seeking your help to narrow down this topic further. [Please fill out this short, two question survey by Wednesday, May 25, 2022.](#)

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PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

UPCOMING COFFEE CHATS & WEBINARS

AALL has several exciting coffee chats and webinars lined up for the remainder of this month, including the June 2nd coffee chat "[Legal Research Competencies and the Bar Exam](#)," as well as into May and June. Be sure to visit the [AALL Calendar of Events](#) page to stay up to date on future topics and to register.

Is there a topic you want covered in an AALL webinar? Please email Fiore Barbini, AALL director of education and learning at fbarbini@aall.org.



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AALL UPDATES

RENEW YOUR AALL MEMBERSHIP BEFORE IT EXPIRES ON MAY 31

Over 1,700 of your colleagues have renewed their membership for 2022-2023. **As a reminder, your current membership is valid through May 31, 2022.** Don't lose out on essential AALL benefits that 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 connect 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.

**RENEW YOUR
MEMBERSHIP**

NEW AALL SPECTRUM EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBERS SELECTED

The [AALL Spectrum Editorial Board](#) has selected three new members to serve for a two-year term starting in July 2022. The purpose of the editorial board is to help shape, solicit, and curate content for *AALL Spectrum*.

- [Allison Reeve Davis](#); Senior Library Manager; Littler Mendelson, P.C.; Kansas City, MO
- [John DiGilio](#); Firmwide Director of Library Services; Sidley Austin LLP; Los Angeles, CA

- [David Whelan](#); Director of Libraries; San Diego Law Library; San Diego, CA

Current board members serving their final year are:

- [Ashley Ames Ahlbrand](#); Assistant Director for Public Services; Indiana University Maurer School of Law; Jerome Hall Law Library; Bloomington, IN
- [Itunu Sofidiya](#); Reference Librarian & Adjunct Professor; Georgetown University Law Center; Washington, DC
- [George Taoultides](#); Circuit Librarian; First Circuit Court of Appeals; Boston, MA

[Tina Ching](#) will serve as *AALL Spectrum's* Editor and as the board's chair. Thank you to outgoing editorial board members [Cynthia Brown](#), [Clanitra Stewart Nejdli](#), and [Marcelo Rodriguez](#) for their hard work and service these past two years on the editorial board.

COMMUNITY CORNER

#WEAREAALL / GET TO KNOW SAVANNA NOLAN

AALL has created a fun video campaign to get to know our members. These video spotlights provide an opportunity for members to share a little something about themselves, what they love about AALL, and their hopes for the profession. [Watch the latest video](#) featuring [Savanna Nolan](#), instruction & faculty services librarian at the University of Georgia School of Law. She has been an AALL member since 2014. Nolan discusses why she joined AALL as a student member, and what she does in her current role.



If you'd like to participate in this project, please contact [Heather Haemker](#), AALL's director of marketing & communications with the subject line "#WeAreAALL."

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 ALL-SIS "[Teaching E-Discovery](#)," as well as an upcoming FCIL-SIS webinar.

2022 PLLIP VIRTUAL SUMMIT

The [2022 PLLIP Virtual Summit](#) "Rocking New Roles, Responsibilities, and Realities" will be held **June 24 from 10:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (CDT)**. The 2022 PLLIP Virtual Summit will offer attendees the opportunity to explore how to increase their visibility, promote their expanding roles, and learn to build their personal brand. If you have any general questions regarding the Summit, please contact [Abby Dos Santos](#).

AALL Members: \$25.00

**** The registration deadline is June 10, 2022 (with zero exceptions).** Please note, check payments will no longer be accepted after May 27 and any new registrations must be paid in full with a credit card.

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