OCTOBER 31, 2022

FEATURED

AALL EXECUTIVE BOARD TO MEET THIS WEEK IN CHICAGO

The AALL Executive Board will hold their fall Board meeting on Friday, November 4, 2022. The agenda and board book for the meeting may be accessed on AALLNET.

LAST CHANCE TO VOTE IN THE EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTION

Today is your last chance to cast your vote for the AALL Executive Board election. Voting for the next vice president/president-elect, secretary, and Executive Board members runs through 11:59 p.m. (PDT) tonight. If you have any trouble voting, please contact Christopher Siwa for assistance.

CAST YOUR VOTE

APPLICATIONS FOR THE AALL/BLOOMBERG LAW CONTINUING EDUCATION GRANT ARE DUE TODAY

If your chapter, special interest section, committee, or caucus have an educational webinar or other education program that needs funding, apply for an AALL/Bloomberg Law Continuing Education Grant by 11:59 p.m. (CDT) tonight. Grant recipients will be announced in December.

QUICK LINKS

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

AALL UPDATES

BECOME THE NEXT EDITOR OF LAW LIBRARY JOURNAL / APPLY BY NOVEMBER 10

The Law Library Journal (LLJ) Editor leads the Law Library Journal Editorial Board, and assists in generating editorial content for quarterly issues of Law Library Journal that meets the needs and interests of members.

This position requires experience as a writer and/or editor; excellent communication and negotiation skills; substantial experience in the law library profession; and active AALL membership with a record of involvement with the Association.

TO VOLUNTEER

Please send your resume and a letter explaining why you are interested in becoming the LLJ editor to Heather Haemker, AALL director of marketing & communications, by Thursday, November 10. If you have any questions, please contact Heather Haemker at 312.205.8038.

VIEW POSITION
AALL STATE OF THE PROFESSION SURVEY / GIFT CARD RAFFLE & DISCOUNT

The AALL State of the Profession Survey is open and invitations were sent to all members working in the U.S. The purpose of the survey is to capture the current legal information landscape concerning technology, demographics, budgets, user services, operations, pipeline, and more. Respondents may opt in to be eligible to win one of four $50 gift cards as well as a 10% discount on the final report. If you did not receive your invitation (sent from noreply@ari-surveys.com), please check your spam folder. If you do not see the invitation in spam, please reach out to AALL. Completed surveys are due by 11:59 p.m. (Central) on Thursday, November 10, 2022.

AALL would also like to receive input from nonmembers who work in legal information. If you know anyone who falls into that category, please ask these individuals to contact Association Research, Inc., (ARI is AALL's consultant for this survey) at ari@associationresearch.com for an invitation.

PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

UPCOMING COFFEE CHATS & WEBINARS

AALL has several exciting coffee chats and webinars coming up next month, including the November 15 Virtual Coffee Chat "Avoiding Burnout: Stop, Drop, and Roll," from 3:00 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. (CST). Be sure to visit AALL eLearning to stay up to date on future topics and to register.

Is there a topic you want covered in an AALL webinar? Please submit the webinar proposal form or email Fiore Barbini, AALL director of education and learning at fbarbini@aall.org. If you have any ideas or topics for a future coffee chat, please email elearning@aall.org.

UPCOMING GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

LEXISNEXIS RESEARCH GRANT APPLICATIONS DUE DECEMBER 1

The AALL LexisNexis Research Grant Jury is accepting applications through Thursday, December 1 for grants from the AALL Research Fund (An Endowment Established by LexisNexis).

Established in July 2000, the grant funds research projects that create, disseminate, or use legal and library related information. For inspiration, review the list of topics awarded grants in past years. If you have a research project that may benefit from this grant, review the complete guidelines and apply. As the guidelines state, the research should be completed within one year and the final product published. Grants will be awarded and announced by the end of December.

LEARN MORE & APPLY

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 the November 9 PLLIP-SIS webinar "9 Is the Magic Number."

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