

LOOKING BACK AT WHAT WE ACCOMPLISHED TOGETHER

Dear Heather,

Thank you so much for being an important part of the AALL family. As a member, you are an important partner in AALL's mission to advocate for access to legal information and support the legal information profession. We hope you have been able to enjoy **all the benefits** that the Association provided in the last year. With **membership renewals coming up on March 1**, I would like to highlight some of our greatest achievements from the year.

- Adopted the Association's new **2022-2025 AALL Strategic Plan**.
- Adopted the Association's first **Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Policy**.
- Shared the law librarianship's perspectives at various meetings with other groups.
- Launched the **Online Legal Information Resources (OLIR)**.
- Updated the **AALL Advocacy Toolkit** and offered the **AALL Virtual Legislative Advocacy Training**.
- Offered a **successful Leadership Academy** in Chicago.
- Hosted a successful in-person **Competitive Intelligence Strategies & Analysis** program.
- Hosted a successful **Annual Meeting in Denver**—Advancing Justice for All—with **more than 1,400 attendees, 63 exhibitors, and over 60 programs**. Attendees buzzed about the programs and their experience on Twitter at **#AALL22** and on **LinkedIn**.
- Released **recordings** from the Annual Meeting at no additional cost.
- Mentored 85 **newer AALL members** who participated in the **Conference of Newer Law Librarians (CONELL)**.
- Connected 49 mentees with mentors through the **AALL Mentor Program**.
- Awarded **\$19,000 in grants and \$55,000 in scholarships and fellowships**.
- Offered over 22 **Virtual Coffee Chats** and 27 **AALL and Partner webinars**.
- Created the **Body of Knowledge (BoK) Self-Assessment**.
- Launched a new **legal research course**.
- Hosted a four-week course on "**Managing Your Work Environment**."
- Continued creating **Microlearning Videos**.
- Curated AALL's **KnowItAALL**, **sending out over 300 daily newsletters**.
- Published **AALL Spectrum** with over 75 articles focused on trending topics in legal information.
- Supported a more inclusive and diverse AALL and legal information profession, with ongoing content in **AALL Spectrum's Voices Across the Spectrum** column.

In the coming year, AALL will continue to focus on its mission to advocate for the profession of law librarianship, with exciting things to come including:

- The **2023 AALL Annual Meeting & Conference** in Boston with the theme "Map our Future." **#AALL22 did not disappoint**, and neither will **#AALL23**.
- The 2023 **Management Institute**.
- **Webinars and coffee chats** on trending topics.
- A new self-paced course.

We are very grateful for your contributions and how they have helped the Association grow over the last year. We hope you are just as excited as we are for the future, and we look forward to continuing to work with you in the coming year.

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