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## FEATURED

**2023 AALL SALARY SURVEY / RESPONSES DUE MAY 31**

The deadline to submit responses for the [2023 AALL Salary Survey](#) is **Wednesday, May 31**. If you need an invitation or have any questions, please contact [Heather Haemker](#), AALL director of marketing & communications. To ensure that we have enough data to compile a complete report for AALL members, the participation of those in a director-level roles who received the survey is essential. If you would like to designate another appropriate person to fill out the survey on your behalf—for example, an HR manager—please contact [Heather Haemker](#).

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

If your chapter, special interest section, committee, or caucus have an educational event that needs funding, be sure to get your application in for the [AALL/Bloomberg Law Continuing Education Grant](#) by tonight!

## QUICK LINKS

[AALL Events Calendar](#) | [AALL Career Center](#) | [AALL News](#) | [AALL Anti-Racism, Diversity, Equity & Inclusion](#)

## ANNUAL MEETING

**JOIN US IN BOSTON JULY 15-18 FOR AALL 2023**

[AALL 2023](#) brings together law librarians, legal information professionals, and other legal experts from around the world for four days of tailored learning. With **65+ programs** covering a wide range of topics, from legal research and advocacy to AI, ChatGPT, and foreign and international law, you will be able to customize your experience and learn about areas most relevant to you and your work. Plus stay up to date on the latest technology and innovations in the legal marketplace by visiting with **50+ exhibitors**. AALL 2023 is the perfect opportunity to sharpen your skills to benefit your library and its users and expand your legal community. **Don't delay! AALL hotels are almost full, so be sure to book your housing soon to ensure you receive the discounted rate.**

## NEW THIS YEAR!

Showcase your libraries' art by participating in the [Annual Meeting Art Gallery](#). Art is subjective, so submissions can be anything you feel proud to display. The gallery will be set up in the exhibit hall and will mirror a real art gallery including gallery placards, tasteful placement, and curator portraits. Please submit any interesting signs, advertisements, printouts, infographics, screenshots, etc., to [Patrick Parsons](#) and [Dan Simmons](#). **Submissions will be accepted through June 2.**

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## AALL UPDATES

### RENEW YOUR 2023-2024 AALL MEMBERSHIP / INVEST IN YOUR PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

Renew your 2023-2024 AALL membership by **May 31, 2023**, to continue receiving important communications and benefits add up to **\$2,500+ in value**. These include:

- A free digital edition of the *Salary Survey* report
- Ability to participate in the **AALL Mentor Program**, and connect and learn from each other
- Access to essential **professional development**—complimentary monthly webinars and virtual coffee chats, and member discounts for online courses and live events.

If you have any questions about your membership renewal, please contact AALL Headquarters at [membership@aall.org](mailto:membership@aall.org) or 312.939.4764.

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### 2023 AALL STATE OF THE PROFESSION REPORT / ORDER YOUR COPY

The third edition of the *AALL State of the Profession* report is now available to order on **AALLNET**. The report provides organizations and law librarians with the insights needed to understand the current legal information landscape, as well as prepare for the future. The report covers demographics, budgets, user services, collections, operations, technology, and more. This edition highlights how law libraries in various organizations have bounced back following the pandemic, especially with respect to budgets and remote/in-person work.

In addition to the **exclusive interview** with Law360 that AALL President-Elect June Liebert participated in, the report was also covered by Bob Ambrogi in his *LawSites* blog and shared on **InfoDocket**. **The report is available in digital, print, and a print + digital bundle.**

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## PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

### UPCOMING COFFEE CHATS & WEBINARS

AALL has several exciting coffee chats and webinars coming up this month, including **Thursday's AALL Webinar: "Look Up, Speak Up & Watch Them Follow" from 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. (CDT)**. 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 [elearning@aall.org](mailto:elearning@aall.org). If you have any ideas or topics for a future coffee chat, please email Ashley Laverty at [alaverty@aall.org](mailto:alaverty@aall.org).

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### AALLNET MONTHLY MEMBER PROFILE

In this month's member profile, **Adam Bent**, a library student at the University of Illinois & research assistant at the University of Illinois College of Law, shares his favorite AALL member benefit and his favorite memory since joining.

See more **AALLNET Monthly Member Profiles** and view *AALL Spectrum*



## MEMBER NEWS

- **Jeff Berns** will retire May 26 from law librarianship after more than 30 years in the profession. For the last 17 years, Berns has been the librarian at Spiegel & McDiarmid LLP in Washington, DC. Prior to that, he was law librarian for 12 years at Birch, Stewart, Kolasch & Birch, LLP in Falls Church, Virginia. Throughout, Berns has been an active member of the Social Responsibilities Special Interest Section, recently serving as chair. He plans to remain active as a retired member of AALL and is looking forward to catching up with friends and colleagues in Boston.

AALL seeks more news about members' achievements, job changes, and connections with the legal information community. Please send your news to **Heather Haemker**, AALL director of marketing & communications.

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