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**SEPTEMBER 5, 2023**

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**FEATURED****YOUR FEEDBACK IS NEEDED / ABA'S PROPOSED REVISIONS TO LIBRARY STANDARDS**

The ABA Council of the Section of Legal Education and Admissions to the Bar [approved for Notice and Comment proposed revisions](#) related to the Library and Information Resources standards (Chapter 6 of the Standards). AALL will be providing comments, and we would appreciate your thoughts on these proposed revisions. Please use this [form](#) to submit your comments. **The deadline to submit comments to AALL is 11:59 p.m. PDT on Monday, September 18.** If you have any questions, please contact Vani Ungapen, AALL executive director at [vungapen@aall.org](mailto:vungapen@aall.org). We appreciate you taking the time to provide your feedback.

**LEGALWEEK 2024 / CALL FOR PROGRAM PROPOSALS**

[Legalweek New York](#) is scheduled for January 29-February 1, 2024, at the New York Hilton Midtown. As part of AALL's ongoing collaboration with ALM, we have been offered three 1-hour program sessions for the first day of the Conference, Monday, January 29. **If you are interested in presenting a program at Legalweek, please fill out the [Program Submission Form](#) by Friday, September 15.**

Program moderators/speakers will receive free registration to the full conference and access to the exhibit hall each day. All participants will be responsible for their own travel expenses and accommodations.

For AALL members who do not intend to present at Legalweek, but would still like to attend, ALM is providing 30% off a Full Conference or One Day Pass\* Use code "[AALL](#)." (\*Includes access to the exhibit hall each day).

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**AALL UPDATES****SUBMIT A PROGRAM PROPOSAL FOR THE 2024 ANNUAL MEETING / DUE OCTOBER 6**

AALL is [now accepting program proposals](#) for the [2024 Annual Meeting & Conference](#) in Chicago, July 20-23. **The theme for AALL 2024 is Lead.Innovate.Transform** This is your opportunity to advance the profession and establish yourself as a leader by submitting a program or workshop proposal.

**BEFORE SUBMITTING A PROPOSAL**

- Review the 30 "[must-have](#)" [program topics](#) from the IdeaScale site.
- Explore the [quick guide for getting started](#).
- View additional [resources for program proposers](#).
- Consult the [rubric](#) for program evaluation criteria and scoring.

**The program proposal collection site will close on Friday, October 6 at 11:59 p.m. (PDT).** For more information, please visit the Annual Meeting & Conference website. Contact [elarning@aall.org](mailto:elarning@aall.org) with additional questions or for assistance.

**AALL 2023 EXECUTIVE BOARD CANDIDATES' FORUMS**

The AALL Executive Board election starts on October 1, and two candidates' forums are scheduled ahead of the election. This is an opportunity for you to learn more about the candidates before voting opens. You may submit questions in advance to [candidatesforum@aall.org](mailto:candidatesforum@aall.org). Please indicate which candidate forum you would like your question directed. Members may also ask a question during the forums via live chat. [Emily R. Florio](#), chair of the [2023-2024 Nominations Committee](#) and AALL past president, will serve as moderator for the forums.

### Candidates Forum for Executive Board Members Wednesday, September 13

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### Candidates Forum for Vice President/President-Elect Tuesday, September 26

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## ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

Read the [Q&A with the candidates](#) from the July/August issue of *AALL Spectrum* and the [candidate biographies and statements on AALLNET](#).

## PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

### UPCOMING COFFEE CHATS & WEBINARS

AALL has several exciting coffee chats and webinars coming up this month, including the **September 12 AALL Webinar: [Applying an Equity Approach in Middle Management](#)**, from 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 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 [elarning@aall.org](mailto:elarning@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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### CHAPTER NEWS

- The [Western Pacific Chapter of the American Association of Law Libraries \(WestPac\)](#) will hold its [2023 Annual Meeting](#) September 28-30 in San Diego. The program will cover Generative AI: The Revolution Will Not Be Televised, Managing Neurodiverse Employees in the Law Library, A2J Pocket Part 2023: An Update on How Law Libraries Facilitate Access to Justice, [and more!](#) AALL Executive Board Member [Kris Niedringhaus](#), will be attending. **Early-bird pricing ends September 13.**
- The [Mid-America Association of Law Libraries \(MAALL\)](#) will hold its Annual Meeting October 12-14 at Drake University Law School in Des Moines, Iowa. The theme for the meeting is "Back for the Future," and attendees will enjoy [two days of learning](#), networking, dining, a visit from AALL Executive Board Member, [Michelle Hook Dewey](#), and more—[register by October 3.](#)

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