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Seyfarth Shaw LLP

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## FEATURED

### AALL EXECUTIVE BOARD TO MEET THIS WEEK IN CHICAGO

The AALL Executive Board will hold their fall Board meeting on Friday, November 3, 2023. The agenda and board book for the meeting may be accessed on [AALLNET](#).

### LAST CHANCE TO VOTE IN THE EXECUTIVE BOARD ELECTION

Tomorrow is your last chance to cast your vote for the AALL Executive Board election. [Voting](#) for the next vice president/president-elect and Executive Board members runs through 11:59 p.m. (PDT) on October 31. If you have any trouble voting, please contact [Christopher Siwa](#) for assistance.

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## QUICK LINKS

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## PROFESSIONAL GROWTH

### 2024 AALL LEADERSHIP ACADEMY / APPLICATION OPENS NOVEMBER 7

The application to become a fellow for the [2024 AALL Leadership Academy](#) will open next Tuesday, November 7. The Leadership Academy will take place April 9-10, 2024, in Chicago. This program fosters the professional growth of early-stage legal information professionals with fewer than 10 years of professional experience. If accepted, participants will have the opportunity to develop, enhance, and hone their leadership skills and competencies. If you or someone you know would benefit from becoming a fellow, please apply or encourage them to apply when the application opens.

### AALL/BLOOMBERG LAW CONTINUING EDUCATION GRANT / APPLY BY NOVEMBER 10

Does your chapter, special interest section, committee, or caucus have an educational event that needs funding? If so, consider applying for an [AALL/Bloomberg Law Continuing Education Grant](#). The next deadline for grant applications is November 10, 2023.

## UPCOMING WEBINAR

AALL has exciting webinars planned for next month, including the ["Thomson Reuters Partner Webinar: The Future of Professionals: How New Technologies Affect the Workplace and Upskilling,"](#) Thursday, November 9 from 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (CST). 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).

## LEXISNEXIS RESEARCH GRANT APPLICATIONS DUE DECEMBER 1

The [AALL LexisNexis Research Grant Jury](#) is accepting grant applications for the next deadline of Friday, December 1.

If you have a research project that may benefit from this grant, [review the complete guidelines](#) and [apply](#). For inspiration, [review the list of topics](#) awarded grants in past years.

## AALL UPDATES

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

Stay informed on what's happening in the law library profession. The third edition of the [AALL State of the Profession report](#) is available for purchase 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.

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### AALL NEW VOICES / SUBMISSIONS DUE NOVEMBER 10

In the [latest post](#), member [Justin Peters](#) discusses his path to law librarianship.

[AALL's New Voices](#) is a place to share your story and expertise. Whether you recently joined AALL or are a longtime member aiming to become more involved in the Association, AALL is looking for your insights on any aspect of law librarianship.

If you are interested in being involved in the next round, **please share your post with [Heather Haemker](#), director of marketing & communications, with the subject line "New Voices Project" by 5:00 p.m. (CST) on Friday, November 10, 2023.**

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