

FOLIG Meeting Notes

June 3, 2019

Rockville Memorial Library

MLA Business

New MLA President: Andrea Berstler

- Goals: Strategic Plan for MLA FY20
- Recruit new members for 3% increase in membership.
- Focus on Legislative Day

Marketing and Membership Committee has split in two:

- Carrie Reins, chair of Marketing Committee
- Tiff Sutherland, chair of Membership Committee

MLA has added a "Special Needs" budget for accessibility/accommodations

Ignite sessions at MLA Annual: might move from 1hr to 90mins

MLA is considering connecting with University of Maryland iSchool Students to develop an MLA chapter there.

FoLIG may co-sponsor a membership drive happy hour with the Membership committee

FoLIG considering sponsoring a tour of Western Maryland branches, librarians there could present on innovations in their systems.

Plans for This Year

Group and Topic Pairings

1. **Children and Teens:** Annie, Michelle – **September**
2. **Gov't and Legislation Panel, Intellectual Freedom, Library Advocacy interest group:** Michael - **October**
3. **Public Services and Support Services, Technical Services, Maryland Adult Programming:** Alli - **November**
4. **Leadership, New Members and Professional Development:** Ella/Ashley - **December**
5. **Marketing, Membership and Social Media Users Group:** Maddie/Olivia - **January**
6. **ACRL:** Anna/Tracy - **February**
7. **Collections: Author Award, Reader's advisory:** Kelsey – **March**

At the July Meeting, we'll discuss:

- Document of prompts and how to scan for our guests
- Planning for possible Western Maryland Tour/program