

# What Makes Up the Georgia Council of Media Organizations?

## Georgia Association for Instructional Technology, Inc.

The Georgia Association for Instructional Technology, Inc. (GAIT) is open to all who are interested in improving education through the use of media and technology. The membership is diverse and includes public school educators, corporate trainers, vocational instructors, college media directors, university professors, library/media specialists, commercial vendors and many, many more. All unite in activities designed to expand and diversify information and communications technology to improve instruction through the systematic development, utilization and management of learning resources including people, processes and technology.

GAIT is the Georgia affiliate of the international Association for Educational Communications and Technology (AECT) [<http://www.aect.org>]. Being a member of GAIT plugs one into a network of colleagues who provide one another with informal information exchange and who join together to work on various committees and activities. Because GAIT is a diverse organization, members may often interact with others outside their own work setting who share common interests in teaching, learning and technology.

### GAIT Membership Benefits

GAIT co-sponsors (with GaCOMO) an annual joint professional development conference. The organization participates in the annual Georgia Library Legislative Day at the State Capitol; co-sponsors (with the Georgia Library Media Association - GLMA), the Georgia Library Media Specialist of the Year Award; and co-sponsors (with the Georgia Library Association - GLA), the Georgia Student Media Festival. Georgia annually has a large number of winners in International Student Media Association Festival (ISMF) which is hosted as part of the annual AECT Convention [<http://www.ismassn.net/>].

GAIT members keep current with association news and information through the GAIT Web Connection, an online newsletter, and the GAIT website [<http://www.gait-inc.org>].

### 2013 Officers

President: Diane Griffin, Richmond County Schools  
President-Elect: Jacqueline Keeton, DeKalb County Schools  
Past President: Pam Kelly, Fulton County Schools  
Secretary: Dr. Dianne Dees, Valdosta State University  
Treasurer: Leslie Wantland, Henry County Schools

## Georgia Library Association (GLA)

The Georgia Library Association is an umbrella organization that encompasses members from public, school, academic and special libraries, and includes professional and paraprofessional staff, public library trustees and friends of libraries. GLA was founded in 1897 for the purposes of promoting public library funding, establishing a library training program in the state, and setting up a state commission to oversee the library interests of the state. Its current focus lies along similar lines, with legislative, financial, technological, and library training issues and advocacy for libraries of all types being among its chief concerns.

With membership approaching 800, GLA represents all of the library interests in Georgia. The Atlanta Emerging Librarians, the Carterette Series Webinars, Georgia Library Day, the GLA Mid-Winter Meeting, and the state's participation in the ALA National Library Day are major activities of the association. GLA publishes the peer reviewed journal The Georgia Library Quarterly. The Association offers MLIS students joint membership in GLA and ALA (American Library Association), and the GLA Academic Library Division is a chapter of ACRL (Association of College and Research Libraries).

GLA also has memberships in, is affiliated with, or sponsors the following professional organizations: the American Association of School Librarians (AASL); the Freedom to Read Foundation (FTRF); the Georgia Association of Media Assistants (GAMA); the Library Leadership & Management Association (LLAMA); the Public Library Association (PLA); the Society of Georgia Archivists; and the Southeastern Library Association (SELA). So, it can draw upon considerable resources to facilitate workshops and other training programs for librarians, media specialists, and support staff.

GLA awards two scholarships annually to students enrolled in a program leading to an ALA-accredited Master's Degree in Library/Information Science. Noteworthy achievements of members and "lay" persons in the advancement of and advocacy for Georgia's libraries are recognized through the association's awards program. In its over 100 years of existence, GLA has been instrumental in the growth of Georgia's libraries [<http://gla.georgialibraries.org/>].

### 2013 Officers

President: Dr. Diana J. Very, Director of LSTA, Statistics & Research, Georgia Public Library Service  
Vice President/President-Elect: Susan Morris, ILL Librarian, University of Georgia Libraries  
2nd Vice President/Membership: Ameila Glawe, Reference & Instruction Librarian, Georgia Perimeter College  
Secretary: Jessica Everingham, Library Director, Okefenokee Regional Library System  
Treasurer: Ashley Dupuy, Interim Asst. Dir for Instructional Services, Kennesaw State University

The origins of the Georgia Library Media Association (GLMA) date back to 1930 when the Department of School Libraries of the Georgia Education Association was formed. In 1947 the Children's and Young People's Section of GLA and the Georgia Education Association joined together to foster library services to schools and children, and this union continued until 1970, when the Georgia Library Media Department (GLMD) of the Georgia Association of Education (GAE) was formed. In 1975 the Georgia Educational Media Association and the Georgia Library Media Department merged as GLMD, and in 1988 the organization separated from the GAE and reorganized as the current GLMA. It became incorporated in 1993, and continues as the largest professional organization serving school library media professionals in Georgia. Its members are dedicated to the advancement and empowerment of school library media specialists and to quality education in Georgia's schools. GLMA, Inc. is the state affiliate to the American Association of School Libraries (AASL), a division of the American Library Association (ALA). GLMA is also an affiliate of ISTE, International Society for Technology in Education.

What does GLMA do for its members?

- GLMA gives school library media specialists a voice in the Georgia legislature and the State Board of Education through the efforts of the Legislative Advocacy Committee. Much of the revenue from the GLMA dues is used every year to retain a firm of lobbyists to represent the interests of school media specialists and manage the finances and business of the association.
- GLMA represents your interests in an active liaison and advisory role with other library organizations and with national and professional organizations.
- GLMA uses email lists and social media to disseminate information concerning legislative issues and to encourage ongoing discussion on topics of interest to all library media specialists.
- GLMA maintains a website and blog to keep members informed of issues.
- GLMA presents district meetings that provide an opportunity for each member to become involved in the organization and network with and learn from other media specialists in their area.
- GLMA presents the annual Summer Institute which provides informative professional learning and networking opportunities.
- GLMA recognizes and encourages professional excellence by presenting awards such as the Library Media Specialist of the Year, Exemplary Media Program, Freedom of Information Award, and Mini-Grants.

- GLMA helps sponsor the statewide Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl, a successful reading competition that encourages teams of students to engage in award-winning books.

- GLMA supports the Georgia Peach Teen Book Award with the state's public libraries.

#### 2013 Officers

President: Andy Spinks

President-Elect: Beth Miller, Fulton County Schools

Treasurer: Lora Taft, Harris County Schools

Secretary: Karii Zimmerman, Cobb County Schools

Past President: Betsy Razza, DeKalb County Schools

## Featured Speakers



Andy Plemmons, Library Media Specialist, Barrow Elementary School, Athens, GA

Andy Plemmons is the media specialist at David C. Barrow Elementary in Athens, Georgia. His library program is grounded in transliteracy, participatory culture, and students as creators of content shared with the global community. He makes his work public through his blog <http://barrowmediacenter.wordpress.com>

In 2010, the David C. Barrow Elementary Media Center was named one of Georgia's Exemplary Elementary Library Media Programs. Andy has presented at numerous conferences, including the School Library Journal Leadership Summit. He was named the Northeast Georgia Library Media Specialist of the Year and received the Clarke County Foundation for Excellence Kathryn H. Hug Instructional Leadership Award. Andy is currently exploring connected libraries and librarians.



A Chattanooga native with strong roots in Georgia, Janie Dempsey Watts writes both fiction and non-fiction stories. Her first novel, "Moon Over Taylor's Ridge" was nominated for a Georgia Author of the Year Award and a Southern Independent Bookseller Award (S.I.B.A.) Her novel was also a finalist in the Augusta Literary Festival and was chosen

as Catoosa County's 2012 community-wide read. Her short stories have been published in literary magazines and anthologies. Her non-fiction stories have appeared in the "Chicken Soup for the Soul" series, "Stories to Warm a Grandmother's Heart." She pens a column, "Boomerang," for "Catoosa Life Magazine." After many years in California, she returned to Georgia to live near Taylor's Ridge with her husband, Steve, and an American bulldog, Bella. Most days she can be found at the family farm caring for her horses, one that she describes as sweet and gentle, and two that are just plain ornery. Please visit her at [www.janiewatts.com](http://www.janiewatts.com).



New York Times bestselling author Patti Callahan Henry has published nine novels: *Losing the Moon*, *Where the River Runs*, *When Light Breaks*, *Between the Tides*, *The Art of Keeping Secrets*, *Driftwood Summer*, *The Perfect Love Song*, *Coming up for Air* and the upcoming *And Then I Found You*—which will be released by St. Martin's Press in April 2013.

Hailed as a fresh new voice in southern fiction, Henry has been shortlisted for the Townsend Prize for Fiction, and nominated four different times for the Southeastern Independent Booksellers Novel of the Year. Her work is published in five languages and in audiobook by Brilliance Audio. Henry has appeared in numerous magazines including *Good Housekeeping*, *skirt!* magazine, *South* magazine, and *Southern Living*. Two of her novels were *Okra Picks* and *Coming up For Air* was selected for the August 2011 Indie Next List. She is a frequent speaker at fundraisers, library events and book festivals. A full time writer, wife, and mother of three—Henry lives in Mountain Brook, Alabama. Patti Callahan Henry grew up in Philadelphia, the daughter of an Irish minister, and moved south with her family when she was 12 years old. With the idea that being a novelist was "unrealistic," she set her sights on becoming a pediatric nurse, graduating from Auburn University with a degree in nursing, and from Georgia State with a Master's degree in Child Health. She left nursing to raise her first child, Meagan, and not long after having her third child, Rusk, she began writing down the stories that had always been in her head. Henry wrote early in the mornings, before her children woke for the day, but it wasn't until Meagan, then six, told her mother that she wanted "to be a writer of books" when she grew up, that Henry realized that writing was her own dream as well. She began taking writing classes at Emory University, attending weekend writers' conferences, and educating herself about the publishing industry, rising at 4:30 AM to write. Her first book, *Losing the Moon*, was published in 2004.

## General Information

### Pre-Conference Workshops

There will be three pre-conference workshops Wednesday in the Centreplex. The GALILEO workshop includes a required boxed lunch for \$20.00 (vegetarian also) and runs from 1:00 – 5:00 p.m. Others are free except for Wednesday conference registration fees. All preconference sessions are included with a Full Conference Registration. A two-part “Best Practices for Youth Services Programming” begins at 9 a.m. – Noon and 1:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Bringing It All Together: RDA from Experience has two parts; Basic begins at 9 a.m. and Advanced begins at 1:30 p.m. Lunch is an option for these workshops. A tour of the Center for Collaborative Journalism at Mercer University will be held at 3:30 p.m. Michelle Lenderman, Media Services Director with Bibb County Schools, will meet you at the tour site.

### Exhibits

Exhibits are located in Exhibition Hall A of the Centreplex and are open Thursday from 8:00am–7:00pm and Friday from 8:00am–11:00am. Join us for the “Exhibits Kick-Off” with a continental breakfast on Thursday, 8:00am–8:50am. Other “Exhibits Focused” times are Thursday, 3:30pm–4:20pm and Friday, 10:00am–10:50am. The vendors are extremely important to the success of this conference and they have a lot to show you! New this year – play Vendor Vingo for a chance to win one of (3) \$50 Amazon Gift Cards. Pick up and return your Vendor Vingo card at the Conference Registration Window to participate. You must be present to win. Drawings are on Thursday during the Author’s Reception and Friday during the GLA Scholarship Raffle drawing.

### Locations for Concurrent Sessions, Keynotes, Movie Night, and Parking

Wednesday’s Library Movie Night, “The Breakfast Club,” happens in the Macon Marriott City Center, Magnolia AB at 7:30pm with support from Infobase Learning (Facts on File and Films on Demand). Join old friends and chat with new ones over popcorn and fun trivia. Thursday’s First and Second Keynote Sessions will be held in the Centreplex Ballrooms A/B/C. Concurrent Sessions are scheduled in the meeting rooms of both the Centreplex and the Macon Marriott City Center. There is an enclosed walkway between the Centreplex and the Marriott (past the Starbucks) on the building’s south side. Please refer to the floor plans/map. Free parking is available in surface lots next to the Marriott and adjacent to the Centreplex, on the I-16 side.

### Meals and Meal Tickets

All meals are ticketed functions; payment is due with your conference registration. No tickets will be sold on site, although you may ask at COMO Registration if anyone has made a ticket available. If you are not attending a ticketed meal, Grab-N-Go Concessions will be sold in the Centreplex Pre-Function Space Thursday, 11 a.m. – 1:15 p.m., and Friday, 7:30 a.m. – 9 a.m. and 11 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. The Marriott also offers a wonderful farm-fresh restaurant and a Starbucks. From 6 p.m. – 8 p.m. Wednesday evening, C & H Bus Lines will be looping between the Marriott and the downtown restaurants with a complimentary ride to dinner on your own. Thursday evening, between 5:00 p.m. and 10:00 p.m., the New Town Macon trolley will be looping between the Marriott and the downtown restaurants with a complimentary ride to dinner on your own. The Macon Convention and Visitor’s Bureau will provide menus for a variety of restaurants at their booth in the Centreplex Lobby.

### Authors Reception

Enjoy a glass of wine or a soft drink, chat with authors, get your books autographed, visit with old friends, and make new ones at this reception. Authors will be available to autograph their books from 5:30 – 7 p.m. following the Second Keynote with Patti C. Henry. Books-a-Million will be on site for sales, also. This reception will be in Exhibit Hall A and B. Guest passes are available for \$20.00.

### Badges and Registration

Your Conference Badge is required for admittance at all conference sessions and events. Non-registrants will not be admitted. Guest badges are available for purchase (\$20.00 each) for Exhibits and Authors’ Reception at the Conference Registration window Centreplex Lobby. COMO Registration is managed by Classic Center Registration Team.

### GLA Scholarship Raffle Booth

“Shop” for a good cause! The GLA Scholarship Raffle Booth is in the Centreplex Atrium Lobby under the stairs on Thursday from 8:00am–5:00pm and Friday from 8:00am–11:50am. Plan to stop by between sessions to view items such as gift baskets, art, one-of-a-kind items, etc...and BUY your lucky tickets, \$1 each or 6 for \$5. Proceeds from this annual raffle support two GLA Scholarships for library graduate programs.

## Conference Overview

### Wednesday, October 9

9:00am-5:00pm

1:00pm-3:00pm

3:00pm-7:15pm

4:00pm-6:00pm

5:30pm-7:20pm

5:30pm-7:00pm

7:30pm-9:15pm

Four Pre-Conferences – Centreplex, Rooms 303, 308, 309, 310, and 312

GLA Executive Board Meeting – Marriott Restaurant Private

Diningroom

COMO Conference Registration Window Open - Centreplex Lobby

Macon Visitors' Bureau Available with Downtown Menus – Centreplex Lobby

New Comers' Dinner (Dutch Treat) – Acapulco Mexican Restaurant, Downtown

GLA Interest Group Council Dinner (Dutch Treat) – Marriott's Vintage Restaurant

Library Movie Night – "Breakfast Club" @ Macon Marriott – Magnolia A&B

### Thursday, October 10

6:00am– until

7:00am-8:30am

8:00am-9:00am

8:00am-12:00pm

8:00am-5:20pm

8:00am-7:00pm

9:00am-9:45am

10:00am –10:50am

10:00am –10:50am

11:00am –11:50am

11:00am-1:15pm

12:00pm-1:15pm

Pat Carterette Memorial Run/Walk on the Ocmulgee Heritage River Trail (meet at Macon Marriott City Center Lobby at 5:55am)

Breakfast Grab-n-Go Concessions on Sale – Centreplex Lobby

Exhibits Only Kick-off (w Continental Breakfast in Exhibition A)

Scholarship Raffle Booth Open – Centreplex Atrium Lobby Staircase

COMO Conference Registration Window Open - Centreplex Lobby

Vendor Exhibits Open – Centreplex Exhibition A

Opening Keynote Speaker – Andy Plemmons – Centreplex Ballroom A, B, C

Concurrent Sessions 1 (See Grid)

Poster Session 1 (Centreplex Exhibition B)

Concurrent Sessions 2 (See Grid)

Lunch Grab-n-Go Concessions on Sale – Centreplex Lobby

Ticketed Luncheons with Speakers – (Anyone Welcome at Either w/Ticket)

1. GAIT/GLMA/GLA K-12/School Library Division Lunch-Centreplex Ballroom A

2. GLA Academic and Public Divisions Lunch-Centreplex Ballroom C, D, E

Scholarship Raffle Booth Open - Centreplex Atrium Lobby Staircase

Concurrent Sessions 3 (See Grid)

Concurrent Sessions 4 (See Grid)

Poster Session 2 (Centreplex Exhibition B)

Exhibits Time with Break Snacks; Interest Group Sessions (See Grid)

Macon Visitors' Bureau Available with Downtown Menus – Centreplex Lobby

Second Keynote Speaker – Author Patti Callahan Henry – Centreplex Ballroom A, B, and C

## Conference Overview, Continued

### Thursday, October 10, Cont.

5:30pm-7:00pm

Authors Reception (Autographs, Wine & Cheese) – Exhibition A & B (with Exhibit Vendors)

7:00pm-8:20pm

GLA Awards Banquet (ticketed), Centreplex Ballroom C

7:00pm-8:20pm

GLMA Dinner and Business Meeting (ticketed), Centreplex Ballroom D

5:00pm-10:00pm

Two Trolleys Looping (Free Ride) to Restaurants\* (Dutch Treat) in Historic Downtown Macon

### Friday, October 5

7:00am-9:00am

Breakfast Grab-n-Go Concessions on Sale – Centreplex Lobby

7:00am-7:50am

GAIT Breakfast (ticketed) – Centreplex, Ballroom D

8:00am- 8:50am

Concurrent Sessions 5 (See Grid)

8:00am-10:00am

COMO Conference Registration Window Open – Centreplex Lobby

8:00am-12:00pm

Scholarship Raffle Booth Open – Centreplex Atrium Lobby Staircase

8:00am-11:00am

Vendor Exhibits Open – Centreplex Exhibition A

9:00am-9:50am

Concurrent Sessions 6 (See Grid)

9:00am-9:50am

Poster Session 3 (Centreplex Exhibition B)

10:00am-11:00am

Exhibits Only – Thank Our Vendors! – Centreplex Exhibition A

11:00am-11:50am

Concurrent Sessions 7 (See Grid)

11:00am-11:50am

Fill Out Your COMO Survey via iPads – Centreplex Lobby, Registration Window

<http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/COMO2013>

11:00am-1:15pm

Lunch Grab-n-Go Concessions on Sale – Centreplex Lobby

12:00pm-12:45pm

GLA Scholarship Raffle Prize Drawing – Centreplex Lobby, Atrium Staircase

12:45pm-1:15pm

Fill Out Your COMO Survey via iPads – Centreplex Lobby, Registration Window  
<http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/COMO2013>

\*Note: The Evening Transport will stop in Historic Downtown Macon at these restaurants:

Acapulco Mexican

Bearfoot Tavern

Downtown Grill

Michael's on Mulberry

The Rookery



## Pre-Conference Workshops & Meetings

Wednesday 8:00AM - 5:00PM

### Vendor Set Up

Location: Centreplex Exhibition A

Wednesday 9:00AM - 12:00PM &  
1:30PM - 4:00PM

Pre-Conference Bringing it all together: RDA  
from Experience (Morning-Basic) (Afternoon-  
Advanced) (E)

Location: Centreplex Room 308

Pre-Conference Best Practices for Youth Services  
Programming Workshop(s) I & II

Location: Centreplex Room 309

Pre-Conference Best Practices for Youth Services  
Programming Workshop(s) I & II (P, S, ES/MS/  
HS)

Location: Centreplex Room 310

Pre-Conference Best Practices for Youth Services  
Programming Workshop(s) I & II

Location: Centreplex Room 312

Wednesday 1:00PM - 3:00PM

### GLA Executive Board Meeting

Location: Marriot Vintage Restaurant

Wednesday 1:00PM - 4:00PM

### Mercer Library Tour

Location: Off Site, Mercer University

Wednesday 1:00PM - 5:30PM

Scholarship Raffle Booth Set Up and Ticket Sales

Location: Centreplex Atrium Lobby Under Stairs

Wednesday 1:00PM - 5:00PM

GALILEO Pre-Conference and Boxed Lunch  
(Ticketed)

Location: Centreplex Room 303

Wednesday 3:00PM - 7:15PM

### COMO Registration Open

Location: Centreplex, Atrium Window

Wednesday 4:00PM - 6:00PM

Macon Visitors Bureau Representative on site with  
menus for downtown

Location: Centreplex, Atrium Window

Wednesday 5:30PM - 7:00PM

GLA Interest Group Council Dutch Treat Dinner &  
Meeting

Location: Marriot Vintage Restaurant

Wednesday 5:30PM - 7:20PM

NMRT New Attendee Dutch Treat Dinner & Meet-  
ing

Location: Acapulco Mexican Restaurant

Wednesday 6:00PM - 8:00PM

Free bus looping to downtown restaurants.

Wednesday 7:30PM - 9:15PM

### Library Movie Night

Location: Macon Marriott City Center Hotel Mag-  
nolia (A&B)

Thursday, October 10, 2013

Thursday 6:00 AM - 11:00 AM

**Pat Carterette Memorial Run/Walk**

**Location:** Meet in the Marriott Lobby at 5:55am, then walk to the riverside Ocmulgee Heritage Trail

Thursday 7:00 AM - 8:30 PM

**Grab-N-Go breakfast items on sale**

**Location:** Centreplex, Prefunction Space

Thursday 8:00 AM - 8:50 AM

**Exhibits Kick-Off with Continental Breakfast**

**Location:** Centreplex, Exhibition Hall A

Thursday 8:00 AM - 5:20 AM

**Registration Open**

**Location:** Centreplex, Atrium Window

Thursday 8:00 AM - 11:50 AM

**GLA Scholarship Raffle Booth open for ticket sales**

**Location:** Centreplex, Atrium Lobby

Thursday 9:00 AM - 9:45 AM

**Keynote Speaker: Andy Plemmons, David Barrow Elementary School**

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom A, B, C

Thursday 10:00 AM - 10:50 AM

**Library Media Specialist of the Year Panel (Finalists from Elementary)**

**Subject Track:** Vendor Tech

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 303

Join the best of the best for an enlightening, interactive discussion in which 4 of the LMSOTY finalists (elementary) share their ideas and tips for successful media programs in grades K-5.

**Presenter(s):** Lummie Harris

*lummie\_l\_harris@fc.dekalb.k12.ga.us*

**What's New with GALILEO**

**Subject Track:** ProfDev

**Location:** Centreplex Room 310

Join GALILEO staff for information on new and upcoming services and enhancements. Q and A session is included.

**Presenter(s):** GALILEO Staff

**In a Galaxy Far, Far Away...Lives Your Distance Education Students**

**Subject Track:** Event

**Location:** Centreplex Room 309

Sharing ways through technology to reach Distance Learning/Off-Campus Students and connecting them with library resources.

**Presenter(s):** Lynn Futch *lfutch@ogeecheetech.edu*

**Current Trends in ILL and Resource Sharing**

**Subject Track:** ProfDev Emerging Lib

**Location:** Centreplex Room 312

To update members about developments in ILL from ILLiad to WorldShare

**Presenter(s):** Russell Palmer  
*russell.palmer@lyrasis.org*

**Charging Station Survey**

**Subject Track:** Tech

**Location:** Centreplex Room 306

Present the results of my survey on the presence and use of charging stations for electronic devices in academic libraries.

**Presenter(s):** Leslie Mackie  
*lmackie@gsu.edu*

**GLASS Update - What is happening with talking book libraries in Georgia**

**Subject Track:** LibServ

**Location:** Centreplex Room 313

GLASS is placing a new emphasis on outreach to librarians in all settings. Librarians are the best promoter of this service and will want to be aware of all of the trends and news related to the NLS- Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped.

**Presenter(s):** Pat Herndon  
*pherndon@georgialibraries.org*



**Making Makerspaces Work in the Academic Library**

**Subject Track:** LibServ

**Location:** Centreplex Room 308

This presentation will cover the basics of what a makerspace is, why academic libraries would want to have one, how to set up one on a very small budget, and ideas to get interested academic libraries started on creating their own makerspace.

*Presenter(s): Michael Holt  
moholt@valdosta.edu*

**...And the Two Shall Be Made One: Consolidation and Academic Libraries in Georgia**

**Sponsored by** GLA Academic Division

**Subject Track:** Event

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia A

In January 2013, eight USG institutions were consolidated into four. A panel of librarians from newly-created Georgia Regents University and University of North Georgia will discuss effects of this major change on library staff, services and collections.

*Presenter(s): Virginia Feher, Julie Higbee, Kyle McCarrell, Amanda Nash, Peter Shipman  
vfeher@gru.edu*

**Planning and Implementing a Successful Traveling Exhibition -- Cooperative Exhibition Projects**

**Location:** Marriott Magnolia D

A repeat of a GUGM presentation discussing planning

*Presenter(s): Bonnie Morris, Cynthia Horne  
bonnie.morris@ung.edu*

**Working with TRiO Programs: Encouraging Technology, Research, and Information Organization Skills for Early Start Students**

**Subject Track:** Event

**Location:** Marriott Magnolia B

Explain an intensive plan that introduces Early Start students to learning technologies and basic IL skills and engages them in information organization behaviors.

*Presenter(s): Kaetrena Davis  
Kendrick Kaetrena@mailbox.sc.edu*

**5 New Librarians + 4 New Parapro + 1 New Brainstorming Tool = 6 Thinking Hats and Tutus in the Library**

**Subject Track:** General Interest

**Location:** Marriott Grand Salon B

Learn about De Bono's 6 Thinking Hats tool for improved meetings and brainstorming

*Presenter(s): Linda Marie Golian-Lui,  
Elisabeth Shields, lgolian@kennesaw.edu*

**Scooping, Clipping and Snipping: Leveraging the power of curation tools to enhance LibGuide Design and Use**

**Subject Track:** Assessment/Evaluation

**Location:** Marriott Grand Salon A

Ideas for tapping into the synergy between online curation tools (e.g. Evernote, ScoopIt, and Pinterest) and LibGuides for improved design and collaboration, and to promote the use of LibGuides beyond standard subject or research guides.

*Presenter(s): Ruth Baker  
rbaker@georgiasouthern.edu*

**Unlocking Assessment with the Teacher KEYS**

**Subject Track:** ProfDev

**Location:** Centreplex Ballroom D

The objectives of the presentation are to: 1) Briefly review the Teacher KEYS evaluation system and 2) demonstrate assessment strategies that can be used in the media center to meet evaluation criteria.

*Presenter(s): Janell McClure  
janell.mcclure@cobbk12.org*

**Teaching with Images**

**Subject Track:** CollDev

**Location:** Centreplex Ballroom E

To present fellow library instructors with information and skills to create dynamic instructional images using the basics of font and drawing.

*Presenter(s): Michael Elrod  
rmelrod@yhc.edu*

**This Ain't Your Mama's Dodgeball: Adding a Twist to Research Projects**

**Subject Track:** General Interest

**Location:** Centreplex Room 324

To show participants some examples of research projects that went from copy-and-paste papers to dynamic project-based learning units that incorporated higher-order thinking skills, creativity, Common Core Standards, and fun!

*Presenter(s): Susan Grigsby  
susan.grigsby@gmail.com*

Thursday 10:00 AM - 10:50 AM

### Poster Session

**Location:** Centreplex, Exhibition Hall B

Posters will be available at all 3 sessions.

1. What's the Trouble with LibGuides in Higher Education? by Ruth Baker
2. The Libbys: Awards to Promote Faculty Involvement by Amber Brock, Robyn Hurst, Jessica Wilson
3. Now Featuring... (faculty and staff highlight favorite library materials and experiences) by Pete Bursi
4. The Power of Scoop.it—engaging secondary students in research by Marion Crombie, Rhonda Davis Crombie, Kelly Sorenson
5. Serving ADA Certified Patrons in Your Library by Kim Eccles, Kay Pinckney
6. Free your Library: A Resource Sharing Space for Georgia Libraries by Oscar Gittemeier, Ana Guimaraes, Erin Prentiss
7. Your Library @ Home: Document Delivery for the Online Learner by Ashley Hoffman, Kiara Bynum
8. Outreach—Get them In and Get Them to Stay by Bonnie Parker
9. Copyright Law 101: Why Be Concerned About Copyright? by Mary Wilson

Thursday 11:00 AM - 11:15 PM

Grab-N-Go Lunch Items for Sale

Centreplex, Prefunction Space

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*Presenter(s): Leslie Wantland, [lwantland@henry.k12.ga.us](mailto:lwantland@henry.k12.ga.us)*

**Collaboration: You Have to DO It! We'll Help you!**

**Subject Track:** Assessment/Evaluation

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 306

Effective collaboration with teachers is a learned skill that requires social and marketing skills, along with a thorough knowledge of the Common Core Curriculum and other resources. Learn how to master this 21st century skill.

*Presenter(s): Marty Arrington,*

*[Marty.arrington@cobbk12.org](mailto:Marty.arrington@cobbk12.org)*

*Evelyn Thames, [Evelyn.Thames@cobb.k12.ga.us](mailto:Evelyn.Thames@cobb.k12.ga.us)*

**Student Usage of Library Research Guides**

**Subject Track:** Research/Instruction

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 308

The presenters will discuss the process and outcomes of using usability tests and focus groups to improve the design of research guides for students.

*Presenter(s): Angela Pashia, [apashia@westga.edu](mailto:apashia@westga.edu);*

*Adriana Gerena, [Adriana.gerena@gmail.com](mailto:Adriana.gerena@gmail.com)*

**Web Analytics for All Y'all**

**Subject Track:** Library Services

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 309

This presentation will provide an overview of basic web analytics from a public services perspective: what they are, what they can tell us, and how they can help libraries evaluate and improve their patron services.

*Presenter(s): Bethan Havas,*

*[bhavas@brenau.edu](mailto:bhavas@brenau.edu)*

**Macon It a Happening: Enlivening Libraries through Live Music**

**Sponsored by GLA Academic Division**

**Subject Track:** Event

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia A

From Mozart to Hank Williams to punk to bluegrass, explore steps and collaborations needed to present a live music program—from conception to performance and all the aspects in between—to enhance exhibits, lectures and other traditional library programs.

*Presenter(s): Lorene Flanders, [lflander@westga.edu](mailto:lflander@westga.edu)*

*Catherine Hendricks, [chendric@westga.edu](mailto:chendric@westga.edu)*

*Brittany Prenell, [bprenell@westga.edu](mailto:bprenell@westga.edu)*

*Shelley Rogers, [shelley@westga.edu](mailto:shelley@westga.edu)*

**In the Cloud: Rising Above the Collaborative Limitations of Rural/Small Academic Librarianship**

**Subject Track:** Coll Development

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia B

To share study results about small/rural librarians access to continuing education \* To share effective tools that overcome the financial, administrative, and geographic constraints that hinder academic librarians' access to professional development.

*Presenter(s): Deborah Tritt, deboraht@usca.edu*

**See Us on Film! When Hollywood Invades Your Campus/Library**

**Subject Track:** Assessment/Evaluation

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia D

A lighthearted look at images and stories from 58 years of Agnes Scott College and McCain Library serving as a location for movie/TV shoots - plus some practical tips if your library is ever "on camera."

*Presenter(s): Elizabeth Bagley, elbagley@yahoo.com*

**Give Your Website a User Experience Makeover**

**Subject Track:** Cataloging

**Location:** Marriott, Grand Salon A

This presentation will discuss the underlying principles of user experience in website design, and offer specific practical recommendations for improving both standard and mobile website user interfaces.

*Presenter(s): Amy Burger, amy.burger@ung.edu*

**Reaching Adolescents with Unexpected/Surprising Perspectives**

**Subject Track:**

**Location:** Marriott, Grand Salon B

Help MS/HS students find PERSONAL relevancy in history—esp. classical history. -Deepen understanding of complicated social/political issues. -Engage not just LA teachers in media center programs, but also social studies, history and Latin teachers too.

*Presenter(s): Vicky Alvear Shecter, valvearshecter@gmail.com*

**TRS Teachers' Retirement System**

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom B

**An Apple a Day: Building a Healthy iPad Check-Out Program**

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 310

From the selection of apps to developing a check-out policy, there is a lot more involved in managing circulating iPads than meets the "i." If you want to offer iPads to your patrons or already do, this session is for you.

*Presenter(s): Jennifer Young, Linda Bristol, lbristol@kennesaw.edu*

**Think Like an Author: A Creative Writing Program for Your Library**

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 312

Adrian Fogelin shares a creative writing program developed in a public library setting. Good for writers of all ages. Interesting props & prompts. Directions provided. A great addition to any Youth Services Librarian's or Media Specialist's toolkit.

*Presenter(s): Adrian Fogelin*

**Library Information Literacy: The Hybrid Experience**

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 313

The presenter will share triumphs and challenges of teaching the first hybrid version of Columbus State University's two credit library information course.

*Presenter(s): Michelle Jones, jones\_michelle@columbusstate.edu*

**Practical Outreach: Best Practices for Engaging Your Community**

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 324

Panel presentation providing a practical set of best practices for creating and curating impactful programming that engages with your library's community.

*Presenter(s): Ariel Turner, aturne93@kennesaw.edu; Benji Barton, benjibarton@gmail.com; Lindsay Cronk, lindsay.cronk@lyrasis.org; Melissa Perez, mc.perez8@gmail.com*

Thursday, 12:00 PM - 1:15 PM

**GLA Academic and Public Library Divisions Lunch (Ticketed Event)**

**Speaker:** Janie Dempsey Watts

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom C, D, E

**GAIT/GLMA/GLA K-12/School Library Division Lunch with Awards (Ticketed Event)**

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom A

**Fifth Triennial Academic & Research Library Building Project Round-Up**

**Subject Track:** Event

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 303

Present library building renovation and construction projects completed in the last several years, and share visions and plans for projects currently in planning.

*Presenter(s): Charles Forrest,  
Charles.forrest@emory.edu*

**GLA Academic Presented Papers**

**Sponsored by** GLA Academic Division

**Subject Track:** Research/Instruction

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 306

**Winning Paper:** The Flipped Library Classroom by M. Leslie Madden, Georgia State University and Ida T. Martinez, Georgia State University

**Additional Papers:** Assessing Assessment: The Challenge of Proving Worth in Library Instruction Programs by Eli Arnold, Kennesaw State University; Archival Education: An Overview and Comparison of the Types of Archivist Training by Michael Law, University of Georgia; iLibraries: Maintaining Relevancy in a Mobile World by Ariel Turner, Kennesaw State University

**eBook Tips for K12 School Librarians**

**Subject Track:** Cataloging

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 308

The objective is to present and discuss different eBook formats, compatibility with devices, and strategies to encourage patron use.

*Presenter(s): Eden Clark,  
edenclark@gmail.com*

**Personal Knowledge Management: Helping your users and yourself**

**Subject Track:** Research/Instruction

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 309

Overwhelmed by floods of information & scattered ideas? Join the authors of WWW.academicpkm.org to talk about tools & techniques for personal knowledge management which help you and your users manage the transition of ideas & information into knowledge.

*Presenter(s): Crystal Renfro,  
crystal.renfro@library.gatech.edu*

**Climate Change Essentials: Don't Sweat the Research**

**Subject Track:** MLIS

**Location:** Marriott, Grand Salon B

Solid scientific information on climate change is essential for students doing research as well as the general public. We'll explore strategies and tips for finding information on this hot topic, as well as key sources and statistics. Handouts provided.

*Presenter(s): Patricia Kenly, Georgia, patricia.kenly@library.gatech.edu;  
Bette Finn, bette.finn@library.gatech.edu*

**Tools for Promoting and Training Ga. Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl Coaches and Volunteers**

**Subject Track:** Library Services

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 310

Hands on session. Tools will be presented for hosting and advertising your local and regional bowl. 2 training DVDS with explicit instructions and rules will be included. Templates will assist in creating Animoto videos, bookmarks, and flyers.

*Presenter(s): Barbara Hallstrom;  
Barbara\_K\_Hallstrom@fc.dekalb.k12.ga.us  
Dr. Mary Etta Thomas, methoma@comcast.net  
Lummie Harris,  
Lummie\_L\_Harris@fc.dekalb.k12.ga.us  
Dr. Wendy Smith, Wendy\_L\_Smith@fc.dekalb.k12.ga.us*

**In Search of Wonder**

**Subject Track:** Partnership

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom A

Share the eight different reading personality preferences, what makes them unique, how to recognize them and what books will make them lifelong readers.

*Presenter(s): Barb Langridge,  
bookandahug@gmail.com*

**Teachers+Media Specialists = Common Core Dream Come True**

**Subject Track:** Assessment Evaluation

**Location:** Centreplex Room 324

An elementary media specialist and a classroom teacher share valuable resources, ways to meet common core standards by working together, and examples of how they are already doing this!

*Presenter(s): Susanne Smith  
Susanne.Smith@cobbk12.org*

**The New Personal Learning Network:  
Tools for Collecting, Curating and Creating**  
**Subject Track: Event**

**Location: Centreplex, Room 312**

The presentation will introduce participants to exciting web 2.0 and 3.0 tools that extend the power of social media by helping librarians collect, curate and create informative websites & resource lists - easily shared. Followed by GSLA division meeting.

*Presenter(s): Dr. Lucy Green, lgreen@georgiasouthern.edu; Dr. Stephanie Jones, sjones@georgiasouthern.edu; Dr. Judi Repman, jrepman@georgiasouthern.edu*

**From the PINES Grew a Mighty Forest:  
The Evolution and Growth of the Evergreen Open Source ILS**

**Subject Track: Research/Instruction**

**Location: Centreplex, Room 313**

To cover the expansive evolution and growth of the open source Evergreen ILS software community from its beginnings as software specifically created for the PINES consortium by GPLS to a truly international software project.

*Presenter(s): Chris Sharp, csharp@georgialibraries.org*

**Two Years Later – the Status of RDA in our Libraries**

**Subject Track: Technology**

**Location: Marriott, Magnolia A**

This panel brings catalogers together from across Georgia to discuss what libraries were doing with RDA two years ago, what they are doing now and what they plan to do in the future.

*Presenter(s): Linh Uong, luong@negeorgialibraries.org*

**MOOCs and the Future of Higher Education**

**Subject Track: Vendor/Tech**

**Location: Marriott, Magnolia B**

Are Massive Open Online Courses changing the face of higher education? This panel will examine what the popularity of MOOCs means for academic institutions and how academic librarians can meet new challenges and opportunities.

*Presenter(s): Jackie Werner, mdimsdale@gsu.edu*

**Engage and Empower: Library Instruction for the 21st Century Student**

**Subject Track: Vendor/Tech**

**Location: Marriott, Magnolia C**

Participants will learn about online resources, games, as well as educational and marketing strategies used to engage 21st century students in active learning during library instruction sessions.

*Presenter(s): David O. Brown, dobrown@daltsonstate.edu*

**Macon It Safe @ Your Library**

**Subject Track: Tech**

**Location: Marriott, Magnolia D**

A panel of safety and security officials at college campuses and public law enforcement officers discuss safety and ways to be prepared for the unexpected.

*Presenter(s): Jane Summey, jsummey@southeasterntech.edu*

**The 2012-2013 Georgia Peach Book Award for Teen Readers**

**Subject Track: K-12**

**Location: Marriott, Grand Salon A**

**The Academics of Graphic Novels**

**Subject Track: Research/Instruction**

**Location: Centreplex, Ballroom C**

This presentation for academic librarians, will discuss the benefits of graphic novels in an academic collection, how they can help support the academic curriculum and share some of the ways to build the best collection possible and market it.

*Presenter(s): Andrew Shuping, shuping\_ad@mercer.edu*

**The evolution of the main entry concept from antiquity to the present**

**Subject Track: Tech**

**Location: Centreplex, Ballroom D**

Explore the development and changes in the main entry concept and its relationship to item location from the libraries / archives of the Sumerian and Akkadian Empires (ca. 5000 years ago) to the libraries and archives of today.

*Presenter(s): Harold Thiele, hethiele@valdosta.edu*

### Teen Genres and Themes

**Subject Track:** Library Services

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom E

To discuss the varying teen genres and themes emerging in each area around strong girl characters in the different books/time. Learn about the varying genres and why they are all important in teen fiction.

*Presenter(s): S.R. Johannes, shelli@srjohannes.com*

*Jennifer Jabaley, jabaleyjennifer@yahoo.com*

*Vicki Alvear Shecter, valvearshecter@gmail.com*

THURSDAY 2:30 PM - 3:20 PM

### Fifth Triennial Academic & Research Library

**Building Project Round-Up (Cont'd)**

**Subject Track:** Event

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 303

Present library building renovation and construction projects completed in the last several years, and share visions and plans for projects currently in planning.

*Presenter(s): Charles Forrest,*

*Charles.forrest@emory.edu*

### Paying It Forward...And Backward

**Subject Track:**

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 306

Sturgis Library recently started a Mentorship Program concurrently with the hiring of 5 librarians. Paired with veterans, mentees met regularly (as a group & one-on-one) with mentors to get a feel for the culture of the library & advice on librarianship.

*Presenter(s):*

*Eli Arnold, jarnol60@kennesaw.edu*

*Sandra Barclay, sbarclay@kennesaw.edu*

*Linda Golian-Lui, lgolianl@kennesaw.edu*

*Jon Hansen, jhansen@kennesaw.edu*

*Michael Luther, mluther1@kennesaw.edu*

*Rita Spisak, rspisak@kennesaw.edu*

*Cheryl Stiles, cstiles@kennesaw.edu*

*Jennifer Sutcliffe Young, jsutclif@kennesaw.edu*

### Assessing Student Learning with iPads

**Subject Track:** Event

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 308

This session will present you with a variety of applications that can be used with a single iPad or even a one-to-one environment to assess authentic student learning. Learn new and practical ways to engage even the most reluctant student to participate.

*Presenter(s): Laurie Griffin,*

*lgriffin@jones.k12.ga.us*

### Apps, Apps, and More Apps

**Subject Track:** Library Services

**Location:** Centerplex, Room 309

Introduce audience to the 2013 AASL Best Apps for Teaching and Learning.

*Presenter(s): Jennifer Helfrich,*

*jennifer\_helfrich@gwinnett.k12.ga.us*

### Planning the Perfect (and Easy!) Winter Reading Program

**Subject Track:**

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 310

Participants will learn how to plan, budget and implement a fun and exciting Winter Reading Program in their library. Participants will learn the value Winter Reading Programs can have in their library, schools, and communities for children.

*Presenter(s): Adrienne Junius,*

*ajunius@hallcountylibrary.org.*

*Gail Hogan, ghogan@hallcountylibrary.org*

### Finding a Professional Librarian Position in a Competitive Job Market

**Subject Track:** Event

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 312

Two government information librarians, a research & instruction librarian, and a user engagement librarian will provide useful tips and advice for those seeking a professional librarian position. Sponsored by GLA/GIIG and GLA/NMRT.

*Presenter(s):*

*Virginia Feher, vfeher@gru.edu*

*Kim Boyd, kboyd2@brenau.edu*

*Chris Sharpe, csharpe@kennesaw.edu*

*Autumn Johnson, aujohnson@gru.edu*

### GLEANing The Riches of Continuing Education with GPLS

**Subject Track:** Tech

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 313

GPLS launched GLEAN on July 1 to replace Web-junction. Jay Turner demonstrates how GLEAN can be used with mobile devices; ways to use GLEAN for social learning; methods for leveraging the system to maintain individual learning histories; and more.

*Presenter(s): Jay Turner,*

*jayturner@comcast.net*



**Using GALILEO to Support Research and Writing CCGPS**

**Subject Track:** Professional Development

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 324

Get classroom-ready activities and project ideas for using GALILEO resources to support research and writing Common Core Georgia Performance Standards as well as tips for incorporating GALILEO resources into websites and course management systems.

*Presenter(s): Courtney McGough, courtney.mcgough@usg.edu*

**Everyday RDA: Tips for Streamlining RDA Cataloging**

**Subject Track:** Cataloging

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia A

Has RDA slowed you down? RDA practices may require extra data entry compared to AACR2. There's no shortcut to learning a new standard, but macros and other tools can speed up data entry. We'll also share favorite resources to simplify life with RDA.

*Presenter(s): Susan Wynne, swynne@gsu.edu*

**Academic E-Book Acquisition Discussion**

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia B

*Presenter(s): Walker Godin*

**Yours, Mine, and Ours: Making Collaborative Collection Management Happen Across USG Libraries**

**Subject Track:** Tech

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia C

Best practices for shared collections suggest a 15% duplication rate yet GIL-Find boasts that 60% of USG library collections are unique. This roundtable will explore collaborative collection management to stretch budgets and improve resource sharing.

*Presenter(s):*

*Anne C. Barnhart, barnhart@westga.edu*

*Andrea G. Stanfield, astanfie@westga.edu*

**The Patron Perceived as Difficult**

**Subject Track:** Tech

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia D

Libraries provide welcoming spaces but some patrons make others feel uncomfortable. Skills and professional resources may help staff manage atypical patrons. We will look at examples of patrons' behaviors and libraries' varying responses.

*Presenter(s): Florence Tang, tang\_fy@mercer.edu*

**Georgia Student Media Festival – What's New for 2013-2014?**

**Subject Track:** Building

**Location:** Marriott, Grand Salon A

1. Inform participants of revised rules for entries. 2. Discuss the changes that may result with the change of international sponsorship. 3. Present winners for the 2013 Festival.

*Presenter(s): Michelle Lenderman, mlenderman.Central@bibb.k12.ga.us*

**Intro to Online Maps**

**Subject Track:** Research/Instruction

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom A

Maps of all types are available online, but many librarians are not aware of the accessibility of these valuable resources. This session will provide an overview of online map sites, with suggestions for how to use maps in reference and instruction.

*Presenter(s): Hallie Pritchett, hpritch@uga.edu*

**Planning and Implementing a Successful Traveling Exhibition**

**Subject Track:** Library Services

**Location:** Marriott, Grand Salon B

A repeat of a GUGM presentation discussing planning

*Presenter(s): Bonnie Morris and Cynthia Horne, bonnie.morris@ung.edu*

**Library Marketing & Strategic Partnerships: A Blueprint for Success**

**Subject Track:** Research/Instruction

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom B

In order to maintain relevance, grow social capital, and survive the current economic climate, it is imperative that libraries engage marketing initiatives and strategic partnerships to help sustain and grow library services.

*Presenter(s): Eleanor Kinlaw-Ross, MLIS, kinlaw-ross53@yahoo.com*

**Rewarding Research: Creating a Library-Based Prize Competition**

**Subject Track:** Research/Instruction

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom C

Describes the steps taken to implement an academic library-based research prize that emphasizes students' use of library resources and their reflection upon the research process. Steps include: advertising, submission, judging, and dissemination.

*Presenter(s): Florence Tang, tang\_fy@mercer.edu*

**Not Another Meeting! Getting the Most out of a Necessary Evil**

**Subject Track:**

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom D

As many libraries strive to manage growth and change, meetings are an everyday reality. This session will present tools for librarians, paraprofessionals, and administrators to plan and execute successful meetings.

*Presenter(s): Jennifer Young, jsutclif@kennesaw.edu*

*Amy Thompson, athomps@kennesaw.edu*

**Acquisitions Practices in Georgia Libraries**

**Subject Track:** Coll Development

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom E

How are acquisitions units in Georgia libraries meeting some of the major challenges of selecting and acquiring materials in a rapidly changing environment? Panelists share their experiences and innovations and invite audience discussion.

*Presenter(s): Amy Eklund, amy.eklund@gpc.edu*

THURSDAY 2:30 PM - 3:20 PM

**Poster Session**

**Location:** Centreplex, Exhibition Hall

Posters will be available at all 3 sessions. See Thursday 10:00AM - 10:50AM for details.

THURSDAY 3:30 PM - 4:20 PM

**Libraries as art galleries: a Library/Archives Partnership**

**Subject Track:** Coll Development

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 303

Learn how libraries can use art, often held in archival collections, to enhance the library as place. Presentation explores the creation of "Art in Odum," a 3-floor gallery featuring permanent and rotating art exhibit: includes planning, exhibition & PR.

*Presenter(s): Alan M. Bernstein, abernste@valdosta.edu*

**Collaborating and Geocaching Along the Oregon Trail**

**Subject Track:** Research/Instruction

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 308

Share how a LMS and classroom teacher collaborated to teach a multidisciplinary simulational instructional unit that includes use of geocaches and GPS units.

*Presenter(s): Barbara Powell-Schager, Barbara.powell-schager@cobbk12.org*

*Betsey Kennedy, Elizabeth.kennedy@cobbk12.org*

**Course content in D2L: Open and Closed**

**Subject Track:** Coll Development

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 309

After attending this session attendees will be able to: Identify and locate open content, Identify various CC licenses, Create links and other content in D2L, Locate and refer others to the USG copyright policy and fair use checklist

*Presenter(s): Denise Dimsdale, mdimsdale@gsu.edu*

**Technical College System of Georgia Librarians' Meeting**

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 313

**Bridging the Digital Divide for two-year College Students: Anywhere, Anytime, Any Device Solutions**

**Subject Track:** Research/Instruction

**Location:** Centreplex, Room 324

We see the digital divide among our users in two-year college libraries. Cloud storage and app solutions can assist in bridging this divide. We will present solutions to help students with organization, study skills, storage, & access to resources.

*Presenter(s): Anu Moorthy, Lydia Hofstetter*

**Valdosta State University MLIS Program**

**Stakeholders Meeting**

**Subject Track:** Coll Development

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia A

Obtain insight and information from stakeholders of the VSU MLIS Program

*Presenter(s): Colette Drouillard,  
cldrouillard@valdosta.edu*

**Public Library / K12 E-Book Acquisition Discussion**

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia B

*Presenter(s): Walker Godin*

**Show Your Worth: The Library Is the Place to Be**  
**Subject Track:** School/Children's Serv/Tech

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia C

Let us walk you through our library's marketing strategy. Stress busters (with dogs!), focus groups and even the bathroom newsletter will be examined to demonstrate effective marketing ideas and innovative services to take back to your library.

*Presenter(s): Thomas Sneed,  
thomas.sneed@emory.edu  
Richelle Reid,rlreid@emory.edu*

**300,000 Shades of Green: Library Media Grants That Make Your Fantasies Come True**  
**Subject Track:** Professional Development

**Location:** Marriott, Magnolia D

Atlanta Public Schools (APS) Media Specialists have been awarded over \$300,000 in grant funding over the past two years. The APS Media Services Supervisor will provide strategies and resources to locate and win grants for your library media center. Participants will learn about library grant evaluation criteria and how to address them in proposals. Frequent proposal mistakes and tactics to avoid will also be addressed along with a synopsis of existing and future funding opportunities.

*Presenter(s): Warren Goetzel*

**Getting Readers to Interact with Authors**

**Subject Track:** Library Services

**Location:** Marriott, Grand Salon A

Kids love technology. So how can we encourage relationships between teens and authors. We will discuss how to plan and implement a success author visit using Skype/Google chat.

How do you find authors?

What topics can authors cover?

Affordability

Conducting interview

Other ways they can interact with authors.

*Presenter(s): Shelli Johannes,  
sjohannes@bialsinc.com*

**PebbleGo User Group**

**Subject Track:** Cataloging

**Location:** Marriott, Grand Salon B

Program Description: Participants will learn how Atlanta Public Schools (APS) Media Specialists have been awarded over \$300,000 in grant funding over the past two years. APS media specialists and their district coordinator will provide strategies and resources to locate and win grants for your library media center.

*Presenter(s): Jim Boonjimboon@windstream.net*

**GLA Technical Services Interest Group Business Meeting**

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom D

**Resume Review Clinic**

**Subject Track:** Library Services

**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom E

Whether you're a recent MLIS graduate, looking for a promotion, or just need to update your resume or CV, experienced professionals from academic, public, and special libraries will offer tips that'll help you stand out from the crowd.

*Presenter(s): Ana Guimaraes,  
aguimar1@kennesaw.edu*

Tuesday 4:00 PM - 5:20 PM

**Keynote Speaker: Pattie Callahan Henry**  
**Location: Centreplex, Ballroom A,B,C**

Wednesday 5:30 PM - 7:00 PM

**Authors Reception**  
**Location: Centreplex, Exhibition Hall A**

Thursday 5:00 PM - 10:00 PM

**Trolley Looping to Downtown Restaurants (Free Ride to Dinner on Your Own - Menus at COMO Reg'n.)**  
**Location: Macon Marriott City Center Hotel Entrance**

Thursday 7:00 PM - 8:20 PM

**GLA Awards Banquet and Business Meeting (Ticketed Event)**  
**Location: Centreplex, Ballroom C**

**GLMA Dinner and Business Meeting (Ticketed Event)**  
**Location: Centreplex, Ballroom D**

Friday 7:00 AM - 7:50 AM

**GAIT Breakfast (Ticketed Event)**  
**Location: Centreplex, Ballroom D**

Friday 7:00 AM - 8:50 AM

**Grab-N-Go Breakfast**  
**Location: Centreplex, Prefunction Space**

Friday 8:00 AM - 11:50 AM

**GLA Scholarship Raffle Booth open for ticket sales**  
**Location: Centreplex, Atrium Lobby**

Friday 8:00 AM - 8:50 AM

**VSU MLIS Student-Alumni**  
**Subject Track: ProfDev**  
**Location: Centreplex Room 313**  
To provide an opportunity for students and alumni of the VSU MLIS Program to unite and network.  
*Presenter(s): Anita Ondrusek*  
*alondrus@valdosta.edu*

**Salvaging a Closed School's Media Center**  
**Subject Track: Building**  
**Location: Marriott Magnolia B**  
How to salvage good quality media center books and efficiently add them to other school's collections. How to manage shipping, relabeling, barcoding, exporting and importing of MARC records.  
*Presenter(s): Andy Spinks, Ryan Jett*  
*andyspinks@gmail.com*

**Learning4Life or Lifelong learning?**  
**Subject Track:**  
**Location: Marriott Grand Salon A**  
Empower students to become lifelong learners through Learning4Life. Participants will learn how a large urban school district has been using this tool to empower both learners and Media Specialists.  
*Presenter(s): Warren Goetzel*

**Digital Public Library of America: Featuring DLG Content**  
**Subject Track: ProfDev**  
**Location: Centreplex Room 303**  
The DPLA is a portal to historical documents, images, video, and audio from America's libraries and archives, covering all American history topics. Join a Digital Library of Georgia presenter for an overview and information about the DLG's contributions.  
*Presenter(s): Sheila McAlister*  
*mcalists@uga.edu*

**Demonstrating Your Library's Value: Basic Library Assessment Discussion**  
**Subject Track: LibServ**  
**Location: Centreplex Room 306**  
Librarians must document & articulate the value of academic & research libraries. Participants will discuss best practices & issues related to assessment.  
*Presenter(s): Sonya Shepard, Jeff Heck*  
*sgaither@georgiasouthern.edu*

**The R2I Movement: Resource Librarian to Instructional Partner**

**Subject Track: ProfDev**

**Location: Centreplex Room 308**

The objectives of this session are to: 1) introduce the purpose of the R2I Movement, 2) demonstrate the collaborative process between teachers and media specialists, and 3) provide strategies for implementing this paradigm shift.

*Presenter(s): Janell McClure  
janell.mcclure@cobbk12.org*

**Teaching Copyright Law To Faculty and Students**

**Subject Track: Research/Instruction**

**Location: Centreplex Room 310**

How does copyright law affect art, English, science, social studies, music, and other subject areas? What corporate interests have driven copyright law? How is copyright law handled between countries? This session will provide a different way to teach

*Presenter(s): Betsy Razza  
betsy\_razza@fc.dekalb.k12.ga.us*

**Zebras Lost in a Race Horse World: Faculty Status and Georgia Librarians**

**Sponsored by GLA Academic Division**

**Subject Track: Event**

**Location: Centreplex Room 312**

Come to a panel presentation and hear information about the various faculty status options academic librarians hold in Georgia. Topics such as promotion, scholarship, service, and tenure will be addressed.

*Presenter(s): Dr. Linda Golian-Lui, Melissa Doyle, Laura Sinclair  
lgolianl@kennesaw.edu*

**A Learning Curve: Lessons Learned Driving Along the PDA Path**

**Subject Track: School/Children**

**Location: Centreplex Room 324**

To provide an overview of Patron-Driven/Demand-Driven Acquisitions projects recently implemented in academic libraries in Georgia, including selecting vendors and e-book titles, budgeting, creating workflows, and assessing PDA/DDA project results

*Presenter(s): Dr. Lynn Futch, Guy Leach, Chris Palazolo, Olga Russov, Amy Bursi  
lfutch@ogeecheetech.edu*

Thursday 9:00 AM - 9:50 AM

**Poster Session**

**Location: Centreplex, Exhibition Hall**

Posters will be available at all 3 sessions. See Thursday 10:00AM - 10:50AM for details.

Friday 9:00 AM - 9:50 AM

**Together Everyone Achieves More: Media Specialists, Teachers, and Research**

**Subject Track: LibServ**

**Location: Centreplex Room 306**

This session will give you a practical approach for working as a team-teacher and media specialist-to create a common core-based research project. The roles of the teacher and the media specialist will be highlighted.

*Presenter(s): Erin Thaler  
Erin.Thaler@cobbk12.org*

**Crunching Numbers, Eating Glass: Making Library Assessment More Palatable**

**Subject Track: LibServ**

**Location: Centreplex Room 308**

This session will explore the various aspects of assessment, from developing effective assessment tools to using the data, so that your future assessment efforts will be far less painful and considerably more satisfying.

*Presenter(s): Brandy Horne, Jennifer Harris  
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**Georgia Department of Education Exemplary Middle School Media Program for 2012**

**Subject Track: Library Services**

**Location: Centreplex, Room 310**

Highlights from the exemplary middle school media program of 2012 will be shared and I will discuss the application process. Anyone interested in gaining new ideas, promoting your media program, and/or applying for this award should attend.

*Presenter(s): Cara Harpin, cara.harpin@cobbk12.org*

**Acquisitions Roundtable**

**Subject Track: LibServ**

**Location: Centreplex Room 309**

Discuss problems and issues of acquisitions in all types of libraries.

*Presenter(s): Linda Jones  
jones\_linda6@columbusstate.edu*

**Supporting Your Patrons' Futures: GALILEO Job and Career Resources in Georgia's Public Libraries**

**Subject Track:** PrfDev

**Location:** Centreplex Room 310

Overview of LearningExpress Library, Job and Career Accelerator, and RB Test Prep, resources provided through GALILEO and public libraries

**Presenter(s):** Karen Minton

*karen.minton@usg.edu*

**The Power of Reading Aloud to Children**

**Subject Track:** Research/Instruction

**Location:** Centreplex Room 312

The goal is to show how to make every story time a meaningful lesson that supports and enriches the curriculum while showing children that reading is a fun activity. Every read-aloud experience should foster a love of reading while also teaching concepts.

**Presenter(s):** Janet Seigler

*janet.seigler101@gmail.com*

**Ebooks and Access Services**

**Subject Track:** School/Children's

**Location:** Centreplex Room 313

The use of electronic books presents challenges to all areas of librarianship. This panel will explore the challenges of ebooks for Access Services. Panelists will discuss ebooks from an academic library, a public library, and an ILL perspective.

**Presenter(s):** Donna Brumby, Paolo Gujilde

*dbrumby@athenslibrary.org*

**Paraprofessional Division Presentation and Business Meeting**

**Subject Track:** Partnership

**Location:** Centreplex Room 324

To give a brief presentation on the value of cross-training for paraprofessionals.

**Presenter(s):** Michael Law

*lawm@uga.edu*

**Edmodo 101: Learning Management System for Media Specialists**

**Subject Track:** Cataloging

**Location:** Marriott Magnolia B

Edmodo is a Learning Management System available both online and as a mobile app. It provides a safe and easy way for your students connect and collaborate, share content, and access homework, grades and school notices.

**Presenter(s):** Sandi Dennis

*sdennis@csdecatur.net*

**GLMA Advocacy Toolkit**

**Subject Track:** Tech

**Location:** Marriott Magnolia C

To introduce a set of tools developed by GLMA to help school librarians advocate for their programs at the school, district, and state levels.

**Presenter(s):** Nan Brown

*nantbrown@hotmail.com*

**Transforming Sturgis Library: LibQUAL as one tool in the tool box**

**Subject Track:** Partnership

**Location:** Marriott Magnolia D

This presentation will explore current efforts to transform the Horace W. Sturgis Library into a 21st Century learning organization. Specifically, the presenters will discuss how the library is using results from the LibQUAL+ survey to inform change.

**Presenter(s):** Ashley Dupuy

*adupuy@kennesaw.edu*

**Every Cloud Has A Silver Lining: Centralize to Save.**

**Subject Track:**

**Location:** Marriott Grand Salon A

Participants in this session will have an opportunity to learn about the implementation of district-wide web-based enterprise reading, textbook, and library management applications in a large urban school district.

**Presenter(s):** Warren Goetzel

Friday 10:00 AM - 10:50 AM

**Exhibits Only**

**Location:** Centreplex, Exhibition Hall A

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Friday 11:00 AM - 11:50 AM

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Friday 11:00 AM - 11:50 AM

**2013 Georgia Exemplary Library Media Programs**  
**Location:** Centreplex, Ballroom A  
Recipients of the 2013 GLMA & GLA Georgia Exemplary Library Media Program

Awards will give an overview of their library programs.

*Presenter(s): Eden Clark, edenclark@gmail.com*

**Linked Data, Big Data and the Semantic Web for Libraries**

**Subject Track:** Event

**Location:** Centreplex Room 303

Linked data. Big Data. Shared Data. What does it all mean and how does it impact libraries? Learn what big data is and how linked data, shared data, and open data are part of the semantic web and the future of libraries.

*Presenter(s): Robin Fay  
fay@uga.edu*

**Affordable Textbook Solutions in the USG: E, Free, and Open**

**Subject Track:** Event

**Location:** Centreplex Room 306

A new USG project helps student success by providing affordable textbook alternatives, including identifying electronic, open, and free textbook and educational resources, as well as online materials in GALILEO and at USG libraries

*Presenter(s): USG Project Team  
lauren.fancher@usg.edu*

**Finding Your Way through ILL for Those with Little Experience or Mentoring**

**Subject Track:** LibServ

**Location:** Centreplex Room 308

To provide information on managing an ILL department to librarians and library staff who are new to the ILL game and may be unaware of some of the basic and most important practices.

*Presenter(s): Kathleen Holcomb  
Kathleen.holcomb@asurams.edu*

**Long Distance Library Support: Making the Relationship Work**

**Subject Track:** LibServ

**Location:** Centreplex 309

In this session, we'll explore some best practices for providing library instruction and support services to our ever-growing population of distance learning students.

*Presenter(s): Brandy Horne  
BrandyH@usca.edu*

**Open Access and the GALILEO Knowledge Repository**

**Subject Track:** Research/Instruction

**Location:** Centreplex Room 310

This presentation will highlight open access resources found in the GALILEO Knowledge Repository (GKR). Along with a discussion about open access and institutional repositories, strategies on how to locate resources in the GKR will also be described.

*Presenter(s): Jacqueline Radebaugh  
radebaugh\_jacqueline@columbusstate.edu*

**Library Book Sales**

**Subject Track:** CollDev

**Location:** Centreplex 312

This presentation will discuss the pros and cons of book sales and how attendees have had book sales.

*Presenter(s): Jennifer Duke, Gordon Baker  
jenniferduke@clayton.edu*

**GLMA District Coordinators Meeting**

**Location:** Centreplex 313

**Give the Patrons What They Want -- Even If You Don't Have It Yet!**

**Subject Track:** ILL

**Location:** Centreplex 324

This presentation will highlight the robust collaboration -- recently implemented by KSU -- between a DDA program (collection development) and a PDA program (interlibrary loan), showcasing estimated savings and long term service and collection goals.

*Presenter(s): Ashley Hoffman  
ahoffm18@kennesaw.edu*

Friday 11:00 AM - 11:15 PM

**Como Survey via iPads**

**Location:** Centreplex, Atrium Lobby Registration Window

<http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/COMO2013>

Friday 12:00 PM - 12:45 PM

**GLA Scholarship Raffle Drawing**

**Location:** Centreplex, Atrium Lobby

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