

# NEW MEMBERS ROUND TABLE

Georgia Library Association

## 2019 NMRT DIVISION LEADERSHIP

Chair: Holly Hampton,  
Clayton State University

Vice Chair: Autumn  
Johnson, Georgia  
Southern University

Secretary: Mary Block,  
DeKalb County Public  
Libraries

Programming Coordinator:  
Brittani Sterling,  
Georgia State University

### NEW TO GLA?

Learn more about the Georgia  
Library Association, how to get  
involved, and how to get the  
most out of your GLA  
experience:  
[gla.georgialibraries.org/new-  
members/](http://gla.georgialibraries.org/new-members/)

## FROM THE CHAIR

Holly Hampton

As the 2019 Chair of Georgia Library Association's New Members Round Table, I would like to introduce your officers for 2019!



Left to Right: Brittani Sterling (Programming Coordinator), Autumn Johnson (Vice Chair), Holly Hampton (Chair), Mary Block (Secretary)

I would like to thank the outgoing Chair, Emily Williams, and the outgoing Secretary, Catherine Mancini, for all of their hard work and for paving a path for a successful year for NMRT in 2019.

As we begin the new year, I hope you find NMRT to be a valuable resource to you as you navigate the Georgia Library Association and the library profession. Should you ever have questions or feedback, I would like to invite you to reach out to us at [nmrt.gla@gmail.com](mailto:nmrt.gla@gmail.com). We would love to hear from you!

I hope that with your help, we can lead another successful year for NMRT and continue to build our programs and meet our objectives.

Holly Hampton  
Chair, New Members Round Table 2019  
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# UPCOMING EVENTS

Coastal Georgia Library Collaborative

## **Gullah Geechee Exhibit & Tour**

Hinesville Library

Friday, February 15, 2019 6:30PM EST

To RSVP, see: [glacoastal.wordpress.com/](http://glacoastal.wordpress.com/)

Carterette Webinar

## **Online Security is More Than Just Passwords**

Wednesday, February 13, 2019 2:00PM EST

For more information or to register, visit:

[bit.ly/2S8FqgB](http://bit.ly/2S8FqgB)

# BE SOCIAL

Coastal Georgia Library Collaborative Blog,  
Facebook, Twitter, & Instagram

Follow CGLC's blog for more in-depth information about

this dynamic group: [glacoastal.wordpress.com/](http://glacoastal.wordpress.com/)

Keep up with CGLC by following their social media:

Facebook, Twitter, & Instagram: @glacoastal

Atlanta Emerging Librarians Facebook & Twitter

Follow AEL's Facebook and Twitter for local job postings and  
upcoming events:

Facebook: [atlantaemerginglibrarians](https://www.facebook.com/atlantaemerginglibrarians)

Twitter: @ATLEmergingLib

Join the GLA Listserv

Join the GLA Listserv and join in on the conversation:

[gla.georgialibraries.org/gla-listserv/](http://gla.georgialibraries.org/gla-listserv/)

Georgia Library Association Facebook & Twitter

Follow GLA on Facebook and Twitter for members' GLA stories,  
conference information, and more:

Facebook: [georgialibraryassociation](https://www.facebook.com/georgialibraryassociation)

Twitter: @GLALibrary

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More GLA Events are posted to  
GLA's Events Calendar:  
[gla.georgialibraries.org/  
events-calendar/](http://gla.georgialibraries.org/events-calendar/)

## GET INVOLVED WITH NMRT

Attend meetings and events  
held by NMRT or one of NMRT's  
subgroups (AEL or CGLC).

Find out about these gatherings by  
joining the NMRT mailing list or the  
GLA Listserv.

NMRT Mailing List:

[https://goo.gl/forms/T6SjOUSl2  
VeLvuBt1](https://goo.gl/forms/T6SjOUSl2VeLvuBt1)

GLA Listserv:

[gla.georgialibraries.org/gla-  
listserv/](http://gla.georgialibraries.org/gla-listserv/)

Follow CGLC and AEL's social  
media pages.

CGLC: @GLAcoastal

AEL: @atlantaemerginglibrarians /  
@ATLEmergingLib

Attend NMRT's meetings at the  
Georgia Libraries Conference  
and Midwinter Planning  
Meeting.

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**NMRT webpage:**

[gla.georgialibraries.org/  
divisions/new-members-round-  
table/](http://gla.georgialibraries.org/divisions/new-members-round-table/)



## NMRT OBJECTIVES

- To recruit new members into the Georgia Library Association and to help these members further their knowledge of the profession and the association.
- To provide new members of the profession with a common meeting ground for connecting with one another and to the Georgia library community as a whole.
- To facilitate professional growth through offering meeting presentations and training, a wiki-based collaborative resource center, committee involvement, and many other opportunities.
- To assist the Georgia Library Association in promoting a greater feeling of involvement and responsibility for the development of library service and librarianship.
- To act as a sounding board for ideas of the New Members Round Table membership and to identify potential leaders within the Georgia Library Association.



## LEARN SOMETHING

### Read the Georgia Library Quarterly

Read the Georgia Library Quarterly to find out what is going on in the library and information science field in Georgia. You may also submit an article to be considered for publication!: [gla.georgialibraries.org/georgia-library-quarterly/](http://gla.georgialibraries.org/georgia-library-quarterly/)

### GLA Spotlight

For the month of January, GLA put Kennesaw State University Library System in the Spotlight. Visit the GLA blog to learn about KSU's recent renovations and changes in services: [gla.georgialibraries.org/news/](http://gla.georgialibraries.org/news/)

### Georgia Libraries Conference Slides

Did you miss the 2018 Georgia Libraries Conference? No problem! Many of the presentation slides are available now on Slideshare: [slideshare.net/gacomo/tag/GLC2018](https://slideshare.net/gacomo/tag/GLC2018)

## GET INVOLVED

### GLA Marketing and Branding Committee

The GLA Marketing and Branding Committee is seeking motivated, creative, and dedicated members for 2019. They need people who are actively interested in marketing, outreach, writing, and social media content curation and creation. If you'd like to work with the GLA marketing and branding committee, please contact Amanda Roper at [glapublicrelationscommittee@gmail.com](mailto:glapublicrelationscommittee@gmail.com) by February 15th.

### GLA Membership Committee

The Membership Committee is seeking volunteers to help implement membership initiatives including recording video testimonials, distributing GLA swag during Staff Development Day events, and attending library events around the state to promote GLA. Email [Oscar.Gittemeier@fultoncountyga.gov](mailto:Oscar.Gittemeier@fultoncountyga.gov) if you are interested.