

May 2014 DC/SLA President's Report

DC/SLA Emails

Please CC me on emails to other board members or committees. I probably won't jump in the conversation unless you ask me to, I just want to make sure I'm aware of what's going on.

Annual Conference Speakers

James created a Google Survey for this but not many people have filled it out. Not sure if that's because fewer people are going or needs more marketing. I've sent out a reminder post about this. I'll ask Lisa to make this a featured blog post too. We're extending the deadline so we hopefully get more submissions. Open to ideas about the best way to publish all the info

JSW

I attended the JSW for the first time this year and moderated the panel discussion. DC/SLA was recognized for being the lead and James, Ramona, and Deena were thanked for all their help. Roughly 70 people registered and roughly 60 people attended. Wide spread of demographics but government librarians made up the biggest group of attendees.

President's Brainstorming Dinner

I'm going to follow in Marie's footsteps and schedule a Past Presidents brainstorming dinner in the summer. I'll be reaching out to presidents within the next month for scheduling.

What's Your Theme Blog

We have 2 posts for May but we still need a lot more posts. Please send them to me and let me know of anyone you think would have a good theme to share.

Demo of Electronic Board Votes

We're not meeting again until August but things may come up that require our attention before then. Please continue to include me on emails you send to board members, volunteers, sponsors, etc. We may need to conduct a vote electronically before we can meet in person and I've created a page on the wiki for that.