

The LLMC Digital Newsletter

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Report on Annual Members Meeting

LLMC's 46th Annual Members Meeting was held on July 17 in Boston. Future Annual Members Meeting will be virtual to support global participation. Key items on the Agenda: Board approved 3% increase in LLMC membership rates effective January 2024; Board approved new membership charge of \$2,000 for Category A universities with law schools to assist with increased demand for digitization and preservation effective January 2024; Early State Records (ESR), CMR and MA Register, Records and Briefs; Indigenous Law; expanding foreign coverage (177 countries, 69 languages): Canada, United Kingdom, Latin America, Germany, Caribbean, Africa, Eastern Europe and Russia; partner updates, including Google and Library of Congress. Election results were confirmed for LLMC's two governing bodies, our Board of Directors and Advisory Council. Voting rights for delegates reflected each library's subscription status relative to LLMC Digital.

Elections 2023

In the Board of Directors election, two four-year slots were open due to the expired terms of Lyonette Louis-Jacques, For. & Int'l Law Libn., U. Chicago U.L.L., and **Suzanne Young,** Libr. Services Mngr., Jones Day. The Board nominated **Kincaid** Brown, Dir, Univ of Michigan L.L. and Kim Nayyer, Dir, Cornell Univ LL. Board nominees were elected by electronic ballot.

In the Advisory Council elections, six councilors' terms expired. Four were nominated to serve another term and reelected by electronic ballot: Alex Burdett, Ref/For & Int'l Law Libn., NY School of Law Lib, Mary Hemmings, Dir, Thompson Riv U.LL, Ivo Vogel, Intr'l and Interdisciplinary Legal Research, Staatsbibliothek zu Berlin - Preußischer Kulturbesitz, and Jean Wenger, Dir., Chicago-Kent LL. In addition, the Board nominated former Board member Lyonette Louis-Jacques For. & Int'l Law Libn., U. Chicago L.L. to chair an Outreach Committee, Marisol Floren-Romero, For. & Int'l Law Libn., Florida International Univ. L.L., Rebecca Plevel, Reference Libn., Univ. Of South Carolina L.L., and Marcelo Rodriguez, For. Comparative, & Int'l Law Libn., Univ. of Arizona L.L. Council nominees were elected by electronic ballot.

We extend our sincere appreciation to Suzanne Young, Glen Dickinson, and Linda Maslow for contributing their valuable time, expertise, and oversight to LLMC over the years. Our grateful congratulations to all the new incumbents. All of us have already benefited so much, and will no doubt continue to benefit, from the willingness of our colleagues to serve!

LLMC's Leaders in 2023/24

Board of Directors:

Kincaid Brown, Director, University of Michigan L.L.

Lucy Curci-Gonzalez Executive Director, New York Law Institute (2026)

James Duggan Dir., Tulane U.L.L. (2024)

Anne Matthewman (Chair) Dir., Dalhousie U.L.L. (2025)

Kim Nayyer, Director, Cornell University L.L.(2027)

Kathleen Richman LLMC Exec. Dir. (ex officio)

Judith Russell Dean, U. Florida Libraries (2025)

Ronald Wheeler Dir., Boston U.L.L. (2024)

Beth Williams Dir., Stanford U.L.L. (2026)

Director Emeriti:

Richard Amelung Prof. Emer., Saint Louis U.L.L. Barbara Garavaglia ret. Dir., U. Mich. L.L.

Advisory Council:

Alex Burdett Reference/For. & Int'l Law Libn., NYU School of L.L. (2026)

Femi Cadmus Dir., Yale U.L.L.(2024)

Yemisi Dina Chief Law Libn., Osgoode Hall (2024)

Marisol Floren-Romero, For. & Int'l Law Libn., Florida International Univ. L.L. (2026)

Jonathan Franklin Assoc. Dean U. Wash. L.L (2024) Helen Garner Bodleian Law Librarian, Oxford University

Jolande Goldberg Sen. Cat.-Policy Spec., Library of Congress (2025)

Mary Hemmings Dir., Thompson Riv. U.L.L.(2026)

Marci Hoffman Assoc. Dir U. Cal-Berkeley L.L. (2024) Lyonette Louis-Jacques For. & Int'l Law Libn., U.

Chicago L.L. (2026)

Teresa Miguel-Stearns Dir, U Arizona L.L. (2024)

Rebecca Plevel, Reference Libn., Univ. Of South

Carolina L.L. (2026)

Marcelo Rodriguez, For. Comparative, & Int'l Law Libn., Univ. of Arizona L.L. (2026)

Sara Sampson Dir., The Ohio State U.L.L. (2025)

Richard Tuske Hd. Libn., N.Y.C. Bar L.L. (2024)

Ivo Vogel International and Interdisciplinary Legal Research, Staatsbibliothek zu Berlin - Preußischer

Kulturbesitz (2026)

Jean Wenger Dir., Chicago-Kent L.L. (2026)