

SPRING 2025 DEPOSITORY LIBRARY COUNCIL VIRTUAL MEETING

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DETAILED AGENDA

*All times are Eastern.

Thursday, May 1

12:00-12:15	Welcome
p.m.	 Susanne Caro, Depository Library Council (DLC) Chair, New Mexico State Library Hugh Nathanial Halpern, Director, U.S. Government Publishing Office (GPO) Scott Matheson, Superintendent of Documents, GPO
	During the welcome, the meeting will be officially called to order, and opening remarks will be delivered.
12:15-1:00 p.m.	Digital FDLP Tools
	• Catherine Bloom, Systems Librarian, Library Services & Content Management (LSCM), GPO
	 Ashley Dahlen, Senior Outreach Librarian, LSCM, GPO
	• Stephen Kharfen, Supervisory Librarian, LSCM, GPO
	A digital FDLP connects the public with the Government information they need, putting digital permanent public access first while recognizing the importance of the existing tangible collection. The digital change allows GPO and Federal depository libraries to leverage technology to improve access to collections and services – all to support permanent public access and <i>America Informed</i> . GPO staff will provide updates and directions on three digital FDLP tools. DiscoverGov FDLP Data Manager LSCM GitHub Repositories

1:00 -1:45 p.m.	Statistics and Metrics Working Group Discussion: Can the Numbers Tell the Story?
	• Sarah Erekson, Regional Government Documents Librarian, University of Florida
	Tasked with assessing who counts usage of FDLP material, the working group surveyed FDLs to assess who keeps track of their patron's use of print and online Government documents. This discussion will explore themes from the survey such as setting up and using PURL tracker, what to count when the collection is uncataloged, and using the data that was collected.
1:45 -2:00 p.m.	Break
2:00 -2:45 p.m.	 Where Did That Document Go? Preserving and Sharing Government Information Gretchen Gehrke, Cofounder of Environmental Data and Governance Initiative (EDGI) James R. Jacobs, U.S. Government Information Librarian, Stanford University Libraries Lynda Kellam, Snyder-Granader Director of Research Data & Digital Scholarship, University of Pennsylvania Libraries Shari Laster, Head of Open Collections Curation & Access, Arizona State University Library Kelly Smith, Government Information Librarian and Librarian for Urban Studies & Planning, University of California San Diego We are seeing an increase in born digital information disappearing as websites are updated and Executive Orders are followed. Where is all that information going? How do you answer questions from your patrons? Hear from a panel of individuals who have been working to save and share Government information through projects including the End of Term Crawl, PEGI, EDGI, and tools such as LibGuides.

2:45 – 3:30 p.m.	Artificial Intelligence: The Good, the Bad, and the Messy
	• Kate Peterson, Undergraduate Librarian, University of Minnesota
	As librarians, we frequently find ourselves navigating new tools—exploring their potential and deciding how best to integrate (or not integrate) them in various contexts. This session will introduce and explore the complexities of Artificial Intelligence (AI), from the way we discuss it to its practical applications and the ethical dilemmas it presents. We will talk about a snapshot of current AI tools; share real-life examples of their use in libraries, including teaching and AI literacies; and offer tips for navigating a messy love-hate relationship with AI.
3:30 – 3:45 p.m.	Break
3:45 – 4:15 p.m.	A Consortial Cataloging Records Success Story
	• Angela Bonnell, Head of Government Information and Maps, Milner Library, Illinois State University
	Learn how a large academic consortium worked together from a small working group to successfully replace MARCIVE/Cataloging Record Distribution Program (CRDP) monthly uploads for digital FDLP publications. The session will briefly describe the MARCIVE/CRDP situation, the scope of the consortial working group, questions asked while exploring options, choices made with the LMS (Alma), and the basic workflow of the implementation process.
4:15 - 5:15	DLC Business Meeting
p.m.	Wrap-up and Closing
	Susanne Caro, DLC Chair, New Mexico State LibraryThe Members of the DLC
	In this closing session, DLC business will be discussed, and Council members will review Meeting takeaways and DLC action items. The DLC Working Groups will also share reports and updates.
5:15 p.m.	Adjourn
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