# JOIN A SECTION OR ROUNDTABLE!

#### **Business Librarianship in NC Section**

Provides a forum for members interested in business reference services, business collection development, and information sharing; offers opportunities for networking, education, and training.

#### **College & University Section**

Provides a forum for college and university librarians to meet and discuss issues affecting academic libraries of all sizes.

## **Community & Junior College Libraries Section**

Provides opportunities for librarians at junior colleges, community colleges, and technical institutes to exchange ideas and to discuss common interests.

#### **Government Resources Section**

Promotes statewide cooperation among libraries working with all types of government documents; sponsors projects to increase use of documents & promote improved access to them.



## **Library Administration & Management Section**

Focuses on improving the practice of library administration and fostering the development of administrative skills in areas such as budgeting, personnel training, buildings and equipment, and public and governmental relations.

#### **Literacy Roundtable**

Focuses on literacy awareness through programs, workshops, and communication to members of the organization.

#### **New Members Roundtable**

Helps members with fewer than ten years of experience to become oriented to the profession and its organizations at the national, state, and local levels.

### NC Library Paraprofessional Association Roundtable

Provides a forum for discussion of the role of paraprofessionals in all types of libraries; offers workshops, educational programs, and networking for all who advance the interests of support staff in the library workplace.

#### **Public Library Section**

Promotes the improvement of public libraries, continuing education, and all aspects of public library service.

#### **Reference & Adult Services Section**

Provides librarians and library personnel in all types of libraries with opportunities for continuing education and discussion of reference services, library instruction, adult programs, and evaluation.

#### **Resources & Technical Services Section**

Provides opportunities for idea exchange on acquisitions, cataloging, classification, collection development and management, library automation, preservation, and resources in all types of libraries.

#### **Roundtable for Ethnic Minority Concerns**

Monitors libraries' minority recruitment and career advancement practices and procedures, serves as a resource for ethnic collections development, and provides a network for ethnic minority librarians.



#### **Roundtable on Special Collections**

Unites members from all types of libraries who work with or are interested in special collections; promotes the collection, preservation, and use of special materials through programs and workshops.

#### **Technology & Trends Roundtable**

Unites members interested in advances and uses of technology to improve and develop library services; enhances professional skills through discussions, workshops, and programs.

#### **Trustees, Friends & Advocates Section**

Provides a forum for trustees, library Friends, and other advocates to initiate programs to strengthen libraries.



# Women's Issues in Libraries Roundtable

Provides a forum to study and discuss issues affecting women in librarianship;

sponsors continuing ed programs on management and other topics of interest.

#### **Youth Services Section**

For those interested in children's and teen library services. Members include children's librarians, youth services managers, administrators, and library assistants. Members are involved in storytelling, publishing, and related businesses.

#### **NCLA Endowment**

The North Carolina Library Association has established an endowment to support the NCLA Scholarship Fund for library school students, to provide funding for outstanding speakers at the biennial conference, and to enhance continuing education of North Carolina library personnel. Contributions can be made in memory or in honor of a person or organization. Donations can be made on your membership application or on the NCLA website.

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# INFORM CONNECT SUPPORT

#### **How NCLA Works For You:**

- Provides opportunities for continuing education with exciting and relevant workshops, programs, and conferences.
- Lobbies the NC Legislature for support for NC Libraries; informs members of legislation which affects libraries and staff, with opportunities for involvement at federal and state levels.
- Publishes North Carolina Libraries, an award-winning quarterly online journal devoted to discussion of library issues: www.ncl.ecu.edu
- Awards scholarships to library school students.
- Recognizes outstanding contributions to librarianship.
- Sponsors the NCLA Leadership Institute.
- Functions through active sections, roundtables, and committees.

**Volunteer to help today!** 



#### **Member Benefits:**

- NCLA listserv membership.
- Reduced rates for continuing education programs, workshops, and conferences.
- Facilitated networking and interaction among advocates interested in quality library service.
- Subscription to our online journal, *North Carolina Libraries*.
- Opportunities for volunteer work and development of leadership skills.
- Communication of current information on events of concern to libraries and librarians.
- Mentoring, networking, and job-hunting programs and events.
- Eligibility for scholarships to fund graduate library education and awards for outstanding professional service.
- Wide variety of sections and roundtables allowing for a more customized membership experience.
- Association voting rights.