

The Minnesota Association of Law Libraries for the 2019-2020 fiscal year was led by: Abby Walters, President; Patrick Butler, Vice-President; Nicole Catlin, Secretary/Treasurer; Sarah Larsen, Member-at-Large; and Valerie Aggerbeck, Past President.

The Chapter held a business meeting in the Fall for 2019 and a winter social hour. The Spring Meeting was held online and included AALL Executive Board member Femi Cadmus

At the 2019 Fall Meeting, we had a presentation on “Authentic Connections” from Darleen Simmons and Grit Youngquist, two Health Educators with St. Paul/Ramsey County Public Health. We also had a preview of the new MALL website redesign, which was unveiled later in the year.

The Winter Social was held at HopCat in downtown Minneapolis.

In a year of change with the COVID-19 pandemic, the Education committee moved to planning online gatherings.

At the Spring Meeting, John Murphy, Law Library Director for Anoka County, was installed as our new Vice President/President-Elect, and Kallie Wass, Senior Research Librarian at Lathrop GPM, was installed as our new Member-at-Large. Thanks to Valerie Aggerbeck and Sarah Larsen for their years of service on the MALL Executive Board.

The committee reports included updates from the Board and these committees:

- Board announced the approval of a Hardship grant for those impacted by COVID-19
- Scholarships & Grants Committee: Andrew Martineau announced Sarah Larsen as a grant recipient for the AALL Leadership Academy.
- Membership Committee: Membership is steady at 151 members. We moved to Google groups for listserv, and the chair reminded members to send her any email changes.

Femi Cadmus gave members an update from the AALL Executive Board.

Abby Walters
MALL President, 2019-2020