



LACUNY

2018 Annual Report of LACUNY

Join LACUNY!

We are all LACUNY!

The LACUNY Membership spans from July 1st to June 29th of each year. Remember to join or renew your membership in order to benefit from LACUNY programming, and so LACUNY can benefit from your involvement.

<https://lacuny.org/Membership>

The service you do for others is the rent you pay for your room here on earth.

— Muhammad Ali



LACUNY Spring Membership meeting took place at LaGuardia Community College. Attendees were treated to a tour of the LaGuardia & Wagner Archives. The Ali quote was written on a novelty boxing glove Muhammad Ali presented to the 104th mayor of New York City, Abraham Beame. The glove is part of the archives.

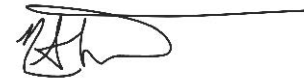
<http://archives.laguardia.edu>



Message from the President

Since it was founded in 1939, LACUNY has helped connect Library professionals from across CUNY and provided forums for librarian-driven professional development activities. The LACUNY community always reminds me of the unique nature of the CUNY library consortia, which is perhaps the most collaborative and connected of any academic library system in the US. As incoming LACUNY president, I plan to work on strengthening the infrastructure that supports our roundtables, publications, conference, events, and committees. I look forward to the year ahead and am honored to work with all of you.

Nora Almeida, LACUNY President



Introducing the Annual Report

This document is an effort to communicate to members on an organizational level about the year past, and plans moving forward. The Executive Council intends for this to become an annual report for LACUNY committee, roundtable, and association events and activities.

Membership feedback is appreciated. Please reach out to LACUNY Executives if you have suggestions or comments for the Annual Report.

The EC will be working on a proposal to incorporate the Annual Report into the by-laws, to serve as a document that both

- 1) Communicates to membership about the state of the association and other pertinent information relevant to the CUNY library community, and
- 2) Serves as a archival document of LACUNY events, Committee and Roundtable activities

[See the LACUNY By Laws for current LACUNY reporting requirements](#)

- **Section 3. Roundtables**
 - (1) Roundtable internal functions
 - (D) Roundtables shall prepare an annual report by June first of each year and shall submit copies of that report to the Executive Council and the LACUNY Archivist.



Treasurer's Report

LACUNY Finances

LACUNY funds total \$17,897.

The budget committee met in September to discuss modest investments in LACUNY in the form of *Urban Library Journal* stipends, LACUNY swag, and other ideas for the coming year.

The executive council also encourages Committee and Roundtable chairs to take advantage of meeting reimbursements for refreshments (up to \$50) and to reach out to the council for approval of similar requests for special events.

The reimbursement form can be found here:

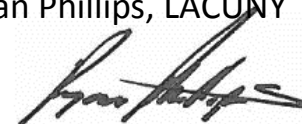
<https://lacuny.org/resources/Documents/LACUNY-reimbursement-form.pdf>

Membership

LACUNY finished the 2017/2018 academic year with 165 members. This is lower than average membership over the past ten years, but executive council hopes Wild Apricot, the associations new member management software, will help boost renewals and capture new members. Integration of Wild Apricot with LACUNY.org has improved communication with members about renewals. We have much stronger membership at this point in the academic year than in past years.

Membership Level	Members
Associate	26
Full	134
Lifetime Membership	3
Scholarship Fund	2
Grand Total	165

Ryan Phillips, LACUNY Treasurer



Upcoming Events

- October 26, 2018 Grace-Ellen McCrann Lectures & Fall Membership Meeting
- November 16, 2018 Executive Council Meeting
- December 14, 2018 Executive Council Meeting
- February 1, 2019 LACUNY Dialogues
- May 3, 2019 LACUNY Institute - Students are Evolving, Are Libraries Adapting?

More LACUNY events and details here: <https://lacuny.org/Events>





LACUNY Institute 2018

Librarianship in Challenging Times

The 2018 LACUNY Institute *Librarianship in Challenging Times: Advocating for Intellectual Freedom, Democracy, and Equity*, took place at John Jay on May 11th. It was a successful event with 126 attendees participating in a full day of discussions about the library's role in upholding democratic values of intellectual freedom, free speech, and free expression.

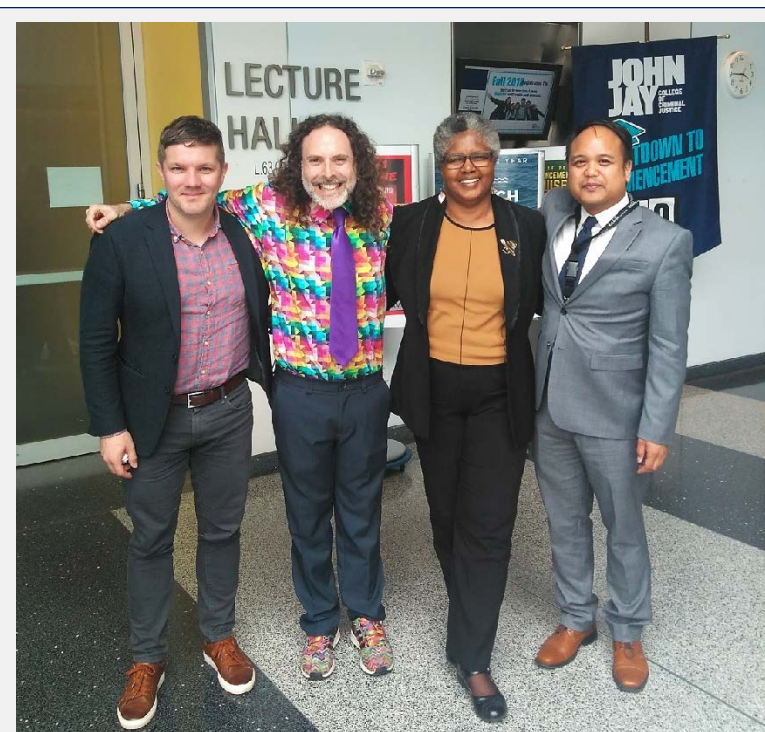
<https://2018lacunyinst.commonscuny.edu/>

The **2019 LACUNY Institute** *Students are Evolving, Are Libraries Adapting?* will take place on May 3, 2019, at LaGuardia Community College in Long Island City, Queens. Additional information will be forthcoming.

2019 LACUNY Institute Co-Chairs

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2017/2018 LACUNY President Ryan Phillips, Treasurer Geri Hebert, and LACUNY Institute Committee Chairs Mark Aaron Polger & Junior Tidalz





Urban Library Journal

Current Issue: Volume 24, Issue 1 (2018)

Articles

Notes from the Editors - *Anne Hays*

Diversity and Cultural Competence in the LIS Classroom: A Curriculum Audit - *Nicole A. Cooke and Jennifer A. Jacobs*

Play Time: Why Video Games are Essential to Urban Academic Libraries - *Christina Boyle*

RESIST: a Controversial Display and Reflections on the Academic Library's Role in Promoting Discourse and Engagement - *Stephanie Beene and Cindy Pierard*

Book Reviews

In Review The Self as Subject: Autoethnographic Research into Identity, Culture and Academic Librarianship - *Lisa Finder*

In Review: Fundamentals of Library Supervision, Third Edition - *David J. Williams*

LACUNY welcomes new *Urban Library Journal* editors Alycia Sellie of the Graduate Center and Derek Stadler of LaGuardia Community College. To read the current issue of the journal, or to submit article, visit

<https://academicworks.cuny.edu/ulj/>



Grant and Award Winners

Professional Development Travel Grant

The Professional Development Committee Travel Grant process is competitive and applications are blind-reviewed. LACUNY PDC Travel Grant Awards each receive \$600.

Fall 2017

Jennifer Noe, Kingsborough Community College
PCA/ACA 2018 National Conference

Adina Mulliken, Hunter College
American Library Association Mid-Winter Meeting

J. Silvia Cho, Graduate Center
2018 OCLC Resource Sharing Conference

Spring 2018

Lane Glisson, Borough of Manhattan Community College
Canadian Association of Professional Academic Librarians

Nicole Williams, Bronx Community College
Open Education 2018 Conference

Nelson Santana, Bronx Community College
LXIII Annual Conference of the Seminar on the Acquisition of Latin American Library Materials

Dalia Leonardo Library School Scholarship

Two scholarships are awarded to library school students with a CUNY affiliation. Each recipient receives a \$750 as well as a one-year sponsored membership to LACUNY.

Jennifer Quiambao, Queens College Graduate School for Library and Information Studies

Rachel Kahn, Queens College Graduate School for Library and Information Studies

<https://lacuny.org/Scholarships-Awards-Grants>



LACUNY Members 2017/2018

Member	CUNY College	Membership level
Kimberly Abrams	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Jacob Michael Adler	Bronx Community College	Full
Nora Almeida	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Jean Amaral	Borough Of Manhattan Community College	Full
Carl Andrews	Bronx Community College	Full
Emma Antobam-Ntekudzi	Bronx Community College	Full
Sarah Aponte	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Lisa D. Archigian	Queens College	Associate
Elizabeth Arestyl	LaGuardia Community College	Associate
Phillip Barnett	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Margaret Bausman	Hunter College	Full
joyce bavlinka	New York City College Of Technology	Associate
Damla Bek	Dália Leonardo Library School Scholarship	Scholarship Fund
Ellen Belcher	John Jay College Of Criminal Justice	Full
Monica Berger	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Amy Beth	Guttman Community College	Full
Lisa Bova	City College Of New York	Associate
Sally Bowdoin	Brooklyn College	Full
Christina Boyle	College Of Staten Island	Full
Chantal Brock	Bronx Community College	Associate
Robin Brown	Borough Of Manhattan Community College	Full
Amanda Cacioppo Belantara	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Steven Calco	Baruch College	Full
Sheau Yueh Chao	Baruch College	Full
Darren Chase	Bronx Community College	Associate
Arthur B. Chitty	Queens College	Full
J. Silvia Cho	CUNY Graduate Center	Full
Wendy Chu	Kingsborough Community College	Full
Jill Cirasella	CUNY Graduate Center	Full
Thomas Cleary	LaGuardia Community College	Full



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Member	CUNY College	Membership level
Wanett Clyde	CUNY Graduate Center	Full
Madeline Cohen	Lehman College	Full
Douglas Cox	CUNY School Of Law	Associate
Jane Cramer	Brooklyn College	Full
Robin Davis	John Jay College Of Criminal Justice	Full
alexandra de luise	Queens College	Full
Jane Devine	LaGuardia Community College	Lifetime Membership
Junli Diao	York College	Full
Tony Doyle	Hunter College	Full
John Drobnicki	York College	Full
Joy Dunkley	Bronx Community College	Full
Francine Egger-Sider	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Beth Evans	Brooklyn College	Full
Kerry Falloon	College Of Staten Island	Full
Victoria Fernandez	Queens College	Associate
Lisa Finder	Hunter College	Full
Louise Fluk	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Nancy Foasberg	Queens College	Full
Kirsten Forrest	Bronx Community College	Associate
Valerie Forrestal	College Of Staten Island	Full
Stephen Francoeur	Baruch College	Full
Lee Ann Fullington	Brooklyn College	Full
William Gargan	Brooklyn College	Full
Maureen Garvey	College Of Staten Island	Full
Harold Gee	Baruch College	Full
Lane Glisson	Borough Of Manhattan Community College	Full
Mary Godfrey-Rickards	CUNY School Of Law	Associate
Ronnie Gomez	Queens College	Full
Dianne Gordon Conyers	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Barbara Gray	CUNY Graduate School Of Journalism	Full



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Michael W. Handis	CUNY Graduate Center	Full
Yasmin Sokkar Harker	CUNY School Of Law	Associate
Joseph Hartnett	Baruch College	Full
Anne Hays	College Of Staten Island	Full
Geraldine Hebert	Bronx Community College	Full
Mee-Len Hom	Hunter College	Full
Morris Hounion	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Marguerite Iskenderian	Brooklyn College	Full
Joneil James	Other	Associate
Elizabeth Jardine	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Joan Jocson-Singh	Lehman College	Full
Sarah Johnson	Hunter College	Full
Wilma Jones	College Of Staten Island	Full
Stacy Katz	Lehman College	Full
Curtis Kendrick	CUNY Office of Library Services	Lifetime Membership
Charles Keyes	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Njoki Kinyatti	York College	Full
Maria Kiriakova	John Jay College Of Criminal Justice	Full
Jeffrey A. Kroessler	John Jay College Of Criminal Justice	Full
Meagan Lacy	Guttman Community College	Full
Sarah Lamdan	CUNY School Of Law	Associate
Miriam Laskin	Hostos Community College	Full
LaRoi Lawton	Bronx Community College	Full
Anne Leonard	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Galina Letnikova	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Suzanne Li	Queens College	Full
Julie Lim	CUNY School Of Law	Associate
Silvia Lin Hanick	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Jeffrey Lynch	Baruch College	Associate
Anita Meyers Mabra	New York City College Of Technology	Full



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Jorge Matos	Hostos Community College	Full
Ian McDermott	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Christopher McHale	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Teresa McManus	Bronx Community College	Full
Linda Miles	Hostos Community College	Full
Christina Miller	York College	Full
Michael J. Miller	Bronx Community College	Full
Colette Montoya-Sloan	Guttman Community College	Associate
Adina Mulliken	Hunter College	Full
Janet Butler Munch	Lehman College	Associate
Josephine Murphy	Kingsborough Community College	Full
Matthew Murphy	John Jay College Of Criminal Justice	Full
Emma Nieves	Bronx Community College	Associate
Jennifer Noe	Kingsborough Community College	Full
Yelena Novitskaya	Medgar Evers College	Full
Karen Okamoto	John Jay College Of Criminal Justice	Full
Anne O'Reilly	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Rita Ormsby	Baruch College	Full
Steven Ovadia	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Adriana Palmer	CUNY Graduate Center	Full
Katherine Parsons	Bronx Community College	Full
Ajatshatru Pathak	Hunter College	Full
Aisha Peña	Baruch College	Full
Nickeisha Pencil	Dália Leonardo Library School Scholarship	Scholarship Fund
Jessy Perez	City College Of New York	Full
Ryan Phillips	Baruch College	Full
Ricardo Pla	CUNY School Of Law	Associate
Mark Aaron Polger	College Of Staten Island	Full
Beth Posner	CUNY Graduate Center	Full
Meredith Powers	York College	Full



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Nandi Prince	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Gabriel Raquel	CUNY School Of Law	Associate
Mariana Regalado	Brooklyn College	Full
Maureen Richards	John Jay College Of Criminal Justice	Full
Trevar Riley-Reid	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Linda Roccas	College Of Staten Island	Associate
Serge Rodriguez	Guttman Community College	Associate
Alexandra Rojas	LaGuardia Community College	Full
madeline ruggiero	College Of Staten Island	Full
Daniel Sabol	Bronx Community College	Full
Jesus Sanabria	Bronx Community College	Full
Nelson Santana	Bronx Community College	Full
Manuel Sanudo	Queens College	Full
Jonathon Saxon	CUNY School Of Law	Associate
Kenneth Schlesinger	Lehman College	Full
Alycia Sellie	CUNY Graduate Center	Full
Ellen Sexton	John Jay College Of Criminal Justice	Full
Scott Sheidlower	York College	Full
Roxanne Shirazi	CUNY Graduate Center	Full
Suzanna Simor	Queens College	Full
Maura Smale	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Shawnta Smith-Cruz	CUNY Graduate Center	Full
Derek Stadler	LaGuardia Community College	Full
Charles C. Stewart	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Di Su	York College	Full
Zinnat Sultana	Queensborough Community College	Full
Bernice Suphal	Brooklyn College	Associate
Polly Thistlethwaite	CUNY Graduate Center	Full
Junior Tidal	New York City College Of Technology	Full
Cynthia Tobar	Bronx Community College	Full



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Anthony Todman	York College	Full
Stefka Tzanova	York College	Full
Tinamarie Vella	CUNY Graduate School Of Journalism	Associate
Michael Waldman	Baruch College	Full
Edward Wall	Queens College	Full
James Watson	Bronx Community College	Full
Jessica Wagner Webster	Baruch College	Full
Susan Wengler	Queensborough Community College	Full
Clay Williams	Hunter College	Full
Kathy Williams	CUNY School Of Law	Associate
Nicole Williams	Bronx Community College	Full
Darrow Wood	New York City College Of Technology	Lifetime Membership
Robin Wright	Lehman College	Full
Haruko Yamauchi	Hostos Community College	Full
Simone Yearwood	Queens College	Full





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MEMBERSHIP FORM

Date (Month, Year): _____

NAME: _____

TITLE: _____

COLLEGE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

Membership dues for current academic year (July-June) should be paid no later than December 31.

Please check the appropriate category:

___ Full Member \$20.00 ___ Associate Member \$10.00

Full Membership: Membership is also open to anyone on the staffs of the City University libraries who has a Master's degree in educational technology or a master's degree in computer science, and to anyone on the staffs of the City University who has a master's degree in library science from an accredited institution. (LACUNY Constitution, Article III, Section 1.)

Associate Membership: All non-faculty library employees and others employed in library service in the City University of New York including retirees, high school teachers affiliated with the City University of New York, library/information science students attending Queens College Graduate School of Library and Information Studies, and library/information science students employed at a City University library. (LACUNY Constitution, Article III, Section 2.)

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