



DETAILED AGENDA

**All times are Eastern.*

Wednesday, March 4

12:00-12:10 p.m.	Welcome <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Angela Bonnell, Depository Library Council Chair, Head of Government Information and Maps, Milner Library, Illinois State University• Hugh Nathaniel Halpern, Director, U.S. Government Publishing Office (GPO)• Scott Matheson, Superintendent of Documents, GPO <p>During the welcome, the meeting will be officially called to order, and opening remarks will be delivered.</p>
12:10-1:00 p.m.	Keynote Presentation <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ian Bogus, Executive Director, Research Collections and Preservation Consortium (ReCAP)
1:00-1:15 p.m.	Break

1:15-2:15 p.m.	<p>Understanding AI Bias: How It Arises and How to Respond <i>DLC: Unique Challenges, Underserved Populations, and Federal Depository Libraries</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilitator: Gwen Sinclair, Chair of the Government Documents & Maps Department, University of Hawai'i at Mānoa Library • Kim Nayyer, Edward Cornell Law Librarian, Associate Dean for Library Services, and Professor of the Practice, Cornell Law School and Cornell University Library <p>This session explores the phenomenon of AI bias—why bias is seen as inherent in machine learning processes and generative AI models. We will examine the impact of training data, design choices, and real-world use on observable and implicit bias in AI outputs, along with the consequent implications for public trust. Participants will learn about techniques developers can use to mitigate bias and strategies information professionals can use to critically assess AI outputs for bias and mitigation efforts. By the end of the session, participants will have a deeper understanding of AI bias and will be able to apply this knowledge in their own work and toward informative interactions with patrons.</p>
2:15-2:30 p.m.	Break
2:30-3:30 p.m.	<p>National Transportation Library Resources and Services</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rosalyn Alleman, Reference and Outreach Librarian, National Transportation Library, USDOT <p>The NTL is a born-digital library which collects Government-funded transportation research and other materials, provides reference services to the public, coordinates the National Transportation Knowledge Network, and supports BTS transportation statistical data products. Created by the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century, it is funded under the highway trust fund laws that are passed every five years. NTL also hosts the USDOT archives, and our historian/archivist manages that collection and makes materials available to DOT staff and the public.</p>
3:30-3:45 p.m.	Break

3:45–5:00 p.m.	<p>Zine-Making 101: Zip, Zap, Zine <i>DLC: Collection & Discovery Services Subcommittee</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Charlie Amiot, Government Information Librarian, Collection & Discovery Services Subcommittee Chair • Selena Lee, Librarian, Ninth Circuit, Anchorage Branch • Ariella Mason, Special Collections Coordinator, Fresno County Public Library <p>Zine-Making 101: Zip, Zap, Zine introduces what zines are, why they're an effective tool for outreach and education, and how librarians can use them to make Government information more discoverable and engaging. Panelists will share a real-world case use example and walk through practical do's/don'ts, plus tips and tricks for creating zines, followed by audience Q&A.</p>
5:00 p.m.	Adjourn

Thursday, March 5

12:00–1:30 p.m.	<p>Council is Listening</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilitator: Angela Bonnell, Depository Library Council Chair, Head of Government Information and Maps, Milner Library, Illinois State University • Members of the Depository Library Council <p>Council wants to hear what is on your mind. The questions you answered as part of the Spring Meeting registration form are shaping this session. Your feedback will also guide Council as it advises the GPO Director on information policy issues affecting depository libraries and the FDLP.</p>
1:30–1:45 p.m.	Break

1:45-2:45 p.m.	<p>Q&A Follow-Up: FDLP Pre-Meeting Updates</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Julie Balutis, Managing Director, Library Services & Content Management (LSCM), GPO • Michael Dent, Supervisory Librarian, LSCM, GPO • Suzanne Ebanues, Supervisory Management Analyst, LSCM, GPO • Fang Gao, Chief of Metadata & Collection Services, LSCM, GPO • Jen Lindley, Supervisory Librarian, LSCM GPO • Scott Matheson, Superintendent of Documents, GPO • Oksana Osborne, Metadata Integrity Librarian, LSCM, GPO • Ben Petersen, Chief of Projects & Systems, LSCM, GPO • Kate Pitcher, Chief of Federal Depository Support Services, LSCM, GPO • Lisa Russell, Senior Program Analyst, LSCM, GPO <p>During this follow-up session, members of GPO's LSCM leadership team will address questions submitted by the FDLP community leading up to and during the FDLP Pre-Meeting held on Tuesday, March 3, 2026, related to LSCM projects and initiatives.</p>
2:45-3:00 p.m.	Break
3:00-5:00 p.m.	<p>DLC Business Meeting</p> <p>Meeting Recap & Closing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Facilitator: Angela Bonnell, Depository Library Council Chair, Head of Government Information and Maps, Milner Library, Illinois State University • Members of the Depository Library Council <p>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.</p>
5:00 p.m.	Adjourn