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## The Amigos Continuing Education Newsletter

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## Welcome

Welcome! Amigos Cataloging & Metadata Trainer Andrea Cox

[Amigos welcomes Andrea Cox](#) as the newest addition to the team, stepping into the position of Cataloging and Metadata Trainer. Andrea was asked to share a little about herself with Amigos members and here is what she replied.

Andrea has held various positions in public and special libraries, among those working as a cataloger and Government Documents Librarian. She holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Geography from Indiana University – Bloomington and a Master of Science degree in Information Science from Florida State University. She's excited to combine her passion for cataloging and metadata with training in her new position at Amigos. In her free time, she enjoys baking, reading, and snorkeling.

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## Conferences & Special Events

### In-Person Workshop

Privacy and Learning Analytics: A Data Ethics Workshop for Library Professionals

Amigos Library Services and the University Libraries at Washington University in St. Louis are pleased to host a Privacy and Learning Analytics workshop at Washington University's Danforth University Center (DUC) on **March 31st** from 9:00 am – 12:00 noon.

This [in-person workshop](#) will be facilitated by Lisa Janicke Hinchliffe, Professor & Coordinator for Research and Teaching Professional Development, University of Illinois at Urbana-

Champaign, and Principal Investigator (PI) for Prioritizing Privacy, an initiative supported by an IMLS National Leadership Grant.

Registration is limited to 25 attendees currently working in an academic library and there is no cost for attendance. Applications for attendance are currently open.

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## Amigos Online Conferences

### Amigos Member Conference 2023: Libraries Plan to Succeed

Whether choosing a new technology, developing crisis communications, filling an open position, or implementing a new service, careful planning and preparation leads to success. This year's [Member Conference](#) will highlight Amigos member libraries' latest successes and the innovative approaches that led to their implementation.

Possible session topics include:

- Choosing new programs and services
- Technology decisions and implementations
- Developing emergency and crisis response plans
- Staffing and succession planning
- New approaches to community engagement and strategic planning

The [Call for Proposals](#) is available and open through March 25th, 2023.

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## Amigos Community Conversations

### Sustaining Open Education Programs

Register now for Amigos Community Conversations: Sustaining Open Education Programs. Register now to join March 22nd for the next installment in the Amigos Community Conversations series. Developed for member libraries, Community Conversations provide a safe space to engage in discussions about the topics and trends evolving in libraries today with experienced facilitators and other Amigos member library staff.

This discussion on Sustaining Open Education Programs will encompass the long-term planning for both growing and sustaining open education programs. Open education programs are those that use resources, tools, and practices that are free of legal, financial, and technical barriers and can be fully used, shared and adapted in the digital environment.

This is an [exclusive, no-charge event](#) for Amigos Library Services members.

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## Recordings

Amigos Online Conferences - Easy to Access. Meaningful to Attend

**Online conferences are a no-charge benefit for Amigos member libraries.**

Register today for access to recent conferences:

- [Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion in Cataloging and Technical Services](#)
- [The Library Technology Roadmap](#)
- [Materials on the Move: Strategies for Delivery, Distribution and Storage](#)
- [Amigos Member Conference 2022: Building the New Library Team](#)

Please Note: Attendees registered for the live event already have access to the past conference recordings. To view the recordings, login with the credentials provided for attending the live conference.

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## Sessions & Workshops

Sessions are always being added so be sure to check out our full schedule.

\*All times are listed in the Central Time Zone\*

### On Request Training Available

Amigos will provide on-request training sessions, online or face-to-face designed specifically to meet your library's needs. [On-request training](#) can be an effective way to meet specific and specialized training needs.

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### Know & Go | 1 hr Monday Sessions at 1:30 pm | Free for Members

- [Know & Go: EDI \(Equity, Diversity, and Inclusion\) Organizational and Individual Self-Assessment Tools for Libraries](#) February 27
- [Know & Go: Conducting Effective Meetings](#) March 6
- [Know & Go: Generation Z: Libraries and the Post-Millennial Generation](#) March 13
- [Know & Go: Using Open Science to Deal with the Next Health Crisis](#) March 20
- [Know & Go: Diversity and Inclusion Activities for Library Meetings](#) March 27

### Live Online | Also Available on Request

- [SimplyE: Lists & Lanes](#) February 28, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
- [Getting Started with Grant Writing](#) March 1, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
- [SimplyE: Troubleshooting](#) March 2, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
- [Introduction to Scholarly Metrics](#) March 3, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm
- [Incorporating Sustainability into Teaching, Programs, and Practice](#) March 6 – 27 (Self-Paced)
- [SimplyE: Statistics](#) March 7, 1:00 pm - 2:30 pm
- [SimplyE @ Amigos: An Overview and Demonstration](#) March 9, 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
- [Library Management: Managing Personnel](#) March 9, 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm
- [Introduction to Archival Practice](#) March 13 - 16, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm
- [Authority Control: Creating and Maintaining Consistency](#) March 27, 2:00 pm - 4:00 pm

### Your Trainers | Learn more about your Amigos trainers



[Jodie Borgerding](#)

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