

## **MPLA**

### **O-2 Vice President's Report**

**October 13, 2021**

**Brenda Hemmelman**

- Attending MPLA Chew n Chats
- Attended PD committee meeting
- Reviewed bank statements
- Continue to organize MPLA VP email account
- Reviewing reports for meeting
- Conference 2022 report:
  - Tri-conference agreement has been signed by all three conference groups
  - Not much planning is happening right now. According to our timeline, prior to Dec. 2021 the tasks to be done are: logo, exhibit fees, updating speaker/presenter agreement forms, call for program proposals, setting up conference steering committee. I have not received any correspondence yet if any of these things are happening.

FYI: a new employee of ours and I recently teamed up to write an article on joining library associations for the SD State Library newsletter. The article was written from the perspective of a 'seasoned' librarian (yes, that's me) and a newly minted MLS librarian in her first professional job (Cheyenne).

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