

### Executive Committee

- Contains Officers of the Section
- Provides direction for the attainment of the objectives of the section
- Conducts the business of the section during the period between Section meetings in accordance with the rules and guidelines of ALA and ACRL

### STS Council

- Contains Executive Committee members and chairs of Committees, Discussion Groups and Taskforces
- Serves as an advisory body to the Chair and the Executive Committee, acting as a channel of information and discussion to the committees and membership at large
- Matters of policy or operations requiring Council action shall normally be referred first to the Executive Committee

#### Awards Committee

To solicit, collect and review applications for awards sponsored by the ACRL-STS and to identify and recommend the most qualified ... more at <http://www.ala.org/acrl/sts/acr-stsawoberly>

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#### Liaisons Committee

To promote and coordinate the work of the STS Liaisons to different professional groups with which STS has established more at <http://www.ala.org/acrl/sts/acr-stslia>

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#### Scholarly Communication Committee

To address ongoing, critical work in open access and scholarly communication, and will specifically address the following related areas: education, communication, advocacy, collaboration and other emerging areas.

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#### Professional Development Committee

To monitor continuing education needs of members and to communicate those needs to STS planners ... more at <http://www.ala.org/acrl/sts/acr-stsce>

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#### Assessment Committee

To collect, analyze and distribute comparative information on North American academic science and technology libraries.

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#### Research Committee

To plan forums for ALA meetings where science and technology librarians can share ideas about new directions in science librarianship, research in progress, and current topics of interest.

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#### Science Resources: Discovery & Access Committee

To provide a forum for exchange of information relating to discovery of and access to science and technology resources... more at <http://www.ala.org/acrl/sts/acr-stssba>

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**Want to get involved with STS?** Volunteer for a committee by Feb 15! For committee information, see contacts. To volunteer, <http://www.ala.org/acrl/membership/volunteer/volunteer>

#### Government Information Committee

To serve as a focus for STS member concerns about science and technology government issues and to cooperate with other ACRL and ALA legislative groups as appropriate.

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#### 2019 Conference Program Planning

To plan the program and reception for the next conferences. Local representation required. Two committees are always at work so that plans are made well in advance.

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#### 2018 Nominating Committee

To create a slate of candidates for the Executive Committee.

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#### Publications Committee

To coordinate the section's publishing activities. This includes writing, editing and publishing the section newsletter and other documents produced by the Section as a whole. ... more at <http://www.ala.org/acrl/sts/acr-stspb>

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#### Information Literacy Committee

To provide, evaluate and/or develop resources for advancing information literacy in science and engineering; to serve as a liaison to other instruction-oriented groups as appropriate ... more at <http://www.ala.org/acrl/sts/acr-stsil>

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#### Membership and Recruitment Committee

To maintain a history of STS committee participation; publish committee rosters for the STS Council; update and distribute the membership brochure; actively recruit new members to STS.

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#### Organization and Planning Committee

To provide long-range direction for the section by assessing implementation of strategic plan activities, reviewing suggestions from the membership, and proposing new activities ... more at <http://www.ala.org/acrl/sts/acr-stsorgplan>

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## Mentorship Program

The STS Sci/Tech Library Mentors help new or less experienced librarians identify experienced science librarians willing to serve as mentors. Participants can select their topics of interest and preferred means of communications, and the Professional Development Committee will seek to pair them with an appropriate mentor. More information is on the STS web site.

## Discussion Groups

*Membership determined by section leadership.*

## Hot Topics

To provide a forum for and facilitate a discussion of current issues of concern to science and technology librarians.

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## Publisher/Vendor Relations

To provide a forum for exchanging information between science and technology publishers and vendors and science and technology librarians.

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# STS

Science & Technology Section

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## Welcome to ACRL-STS

Since 1961, the Science and Technology Section of ACRL has fostered sci/tech librarianship. STS members continue to share ideas, mentor newer members and find solutions to problems encountered in our daily work. We strive to make our activities relevant and useful to you. The most visible activity of STS is our ALA Annual Conference Program, but we offer a variety of events at both Midwinter and Annual, as well as sponsoring events like field trips, dinners, and the like.

## Listserv and STS Signal Newsletter

If you have not already, be sure to sign-up for STS-L to receive section news, engage in interesting discussions, and more.

<http://lists.ala.org/sympa/info/sts-l>

STS Signal reports the STS activities at ALA conferences.

<http://www.ala.org/acrl/aboutacrl/directoryofleadership/sections/sts/stswebsite/publications/stsignal>

## Issues in Science & Technology Librarianship (ISTL)

ISTL provides the opportunity to publish substantive content of interest to science and technology librarians including peer-reviewed or board-accepted papers.

<http://www.istl.org>