

ALA Council Committee Report Form

TO: ALA Council

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REPORT OF: Council Orientation Committee

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1. BACKGROUND:

Committee Members: Jules Shore (Chair), Celia Avila Santiago, Jacquelyn A. Bryant, Kim DeNero-Ackroyd, Rhonda Gould (Immediate Past-Chair), Sara Kelly Johns, Guinsly Mondesir, Kimberly Patton, Gail Tobin, Emily Drabinski (Executive Board Liaison), & Marsha P. Burgess (Staff Liaison)

The Council Orientation Committee met quarterly to carry out the business of the committee.

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2. ACCOMPLISHMENTS:

The committee hosted two 'Tune in Tuesday' Feb 28 and Apr 4, 2023. The Topic of both were ALA Round Tables. The Chair /President of 12 Round tables presented information on their RT and answered questions. Recordings of those and all Tune in Tuesdays are available at

<https://www.ala.org/aboutala/governance/council/councilrecordings>

3. ANNUAL PLANS:

There will be an in-person Orientation session Saturday, June 24, 2023 (9:00-10:00 a.m.) in the Council room at McCormick Place, W375b/Skyline.

4. CHANGE OF NAME, CHARGE, & COMPOSITION:

The Committee has presented the Committee on Orientation a request to change our Name, Charge, & Composition. Details can be found in the COO report which will appear on the Action Agenda at Annual 2023.