

Committee Information Update (CIU)

Appendix I: Revised Form

ALA COMMITTEE REPORT

Committee Name: American Libraries Advisory Committee
Conference Year: 2025
Committee Chair: Bradley Kuykendall
Staff Liaison: Carrie Smith
Committee Members: Bradley J. Kuykendall, Eileen K. Bosch, Pat Hawthorne, Elizabeth Nelson, Matthew N. Noe, Lisa Anne Romano, Katie Rothley, Lisa Bintrim, Sarah Maximiek

Date of meeting(s)	Meeting format (in-person or virtual)	Number of members present	Guest Presenters, Speakers
2/11/2025	Virtual	8	Lindsay Cronk, Andrea Jamison, Maria McCauley
12/16/24	Virtual	5	n/a
9/20/24	Virtual	6	n/a

Committee Charge: To review and recommend editorial policies for *American Libraries* and to provide oversight for the implementation of those policies. To communicate with, and operate within, the frameworks established by the ALA Publishing Committee. To serve as a channel for member communication regarding the scope and coverage of *American Libraries*.

Objectives of the committee for this conference year, including any planned activities:

1. Meet once for each published issue of *American Libraries* to review content and suggest stories
2. Provide ongoing feedback on AL digital products (AL Online, AL Direct, etc.)
3. Interact on ALA Connect

Describe interactions with other units within ALA: n/a

Synthesis of activities (summarize discussions, decision(s) or motion(s) reached, and note follow-up action(s) required:

1. In virtual meetings, provided thorough review of published issues and digital content.
2. Discussed mechanics of content ingestion, preferred columns, and new topics for coverage

If unable to achieve desired committee outcomes, what hampered the ability to achieve stated goals (lack of resources, member participation, communication issues, procedural delays, etc.?)

n/a_

Priorities/recommendations for the upcoming year: ___Continue as-is

Other comments/information you believe will help the Association in its work: ___n/a_____

Submitted by: _____

Date Submitted: _____