2021 Kentucky Public Library Association Virtual Conference Session Proposal

The annual KPLA conference is one of the best professional development experiences of the year because of presenters like you! Help us make KPLA's first virtual conference the most informative, engaging, and exciting one yet.

The proposal submission deadline is Friday, January 22, 2021.
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1. Email address *

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    ### Contact Information

    The primary contact person for the session must have a valid email address and will be responsible for communicating with any co-presenters regarding any requirements, deadlines, or other details. The opportunity to list presenter information is in a subsequent section of the form.

2. First Name *

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3. Last Name *

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4. Job Title *

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5. Library/Organization Name *

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6. Confirm Email Address *

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7. Phone *

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8. Are you willing to serve as a session moderator during the conference?

Mark only one oval.

◯ Yes

◯ No

Session
Information

Please provide a title and a brief description of the session. Because this description will be used in conference publicity materials, we ask that you provide creative, interesting, and informative titles and descriptions, and pay close attention to punctuation and spelling. KPLA reserves the right to edit submissions for style and clarity.

9. Session Title *

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10. Session Description - for use in conference publicity materials and the conference program (500 characters or less) *

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11. Please select the category/track that best fits the content of your session (select all that apply) *

Check all that apply.

- [ ] Advocacy & Development (advocacy, marketing, fundraising, legislative)
- [ ] Career & Leadership (continuing education, leadership development, networking, professionalism, scholarly communication, self-care)
- [ ] Collections (acquisitions, cataloging, genealogy, preservation & archives, readers advisory, electronic resources)
- [ ] Community Engagement (outreach, programming, underserved populations, user services)
- [ ] Contemporary Issues (diversity & inclusion, intellectual freedom, social change, COVID-19)
- [ ] Library Administration (board relations, budgets, construction, grant writing, personnel & HR issues)
- [ ] Technology (emerging technologies, gaming, library instruction)
- [ ] Youth Services (early childhood, tweens & teens, school partnerships, summer reading, STEM/STEAM/STREAM)
- [ ] Other: _____

12. Please indicate the session type *

Mark only one oval.

- ( ) Live virtual presentation
- ( ) Pre-recorded presentation, followed by live Q&A

13. Please provide any additional information that program planners might need to know, including unique needs or requests

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Presenter Information

14. Presenter Type *

Mark only one oval.

○ Peer-to-Peer: Presenter is employed by a library or primarily works within the library community

○ Professional Facilitator/Speaker: Presenter's primary source of income is from public speaking

○ Author/Writer

○ Industry Expert: May include experts outside the library community who provide a message that is pertinent to library services

○ Library Supplier/Partner: Provides a service/product for libraries. Suppliers must participate as an exhibiting vendor and are encouraged to include a library professional as a part of the presentation. Sales pitches are not allowed.

○ Other: _____

15. Presenter (full name, title, and library/organization) *

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16. Co-presenter 1 (full name, title, and library/organization)

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17. Co-presenter 2 (full name, title, and library/organization)

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18. Co-presenter 3 (full name, title, and library/organization)

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