



WHY JOIN NJLA?

✓ **Members save money and have a great time!**

Discounted rates for the [annual conference](#).

✓ **Members learn and earn!**

Continuing Education programs offer great opportunities to develop skills, increase knowledge and earn professional development credits all at discounted rates (or even for FREE). Adult and Youth Services forums, and free webinars (NJLA Commons: Virtual Keynote series). Past keynotes include:

- "Project Management As Applied within a Library Environment" with [Emily Clasper](#)
- "Diversity and Advocacy throughout Our Library Communities" with [Courtney L. Young](#)
- "Creating an Irresistible Library" with [Leslie Burger](#), and
- "Shifting Perspective to Rebrand and Rethink Service" with [Melanie Huggins](#).

Consult the [NJLA calendar](#) for upcoming opportunities.

✓ **Members lead!**

Leadership opportunities through [committees](#) and [sections](#), as well as leadership training through [Emerging Leaders](#).

✓ **Members stay informed!**

- [New Jersey Libraries NEWSletter](#)
- Informative listserv postings

✓ **Members spark new ideas and collaborate!**

Networking with colleagues in [committees](#) and special interest [sections](#).

✓ **Members are social!**

Grow your professional network.

Recent examples:

- Rutgers Student - NJLA Meet-Up at Glasswoods Tavern, New Brunswick
- iPlay America Fun Day
- [Pool Party at Harrah's Atlantic City](#)

Check out the [NJLA calendar](#) for upcoming events, and our [flickr page](#) to see past events.

✓ **Membership is for everyone!**

For Librarians, Library assistants, those new to the profession and seasoned vets, NJLA is for YOU.



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