



District 9 Fall Meeting - 2021
Saturday, October 30 – In Person

City of Lubbock Mahon Public Library
 1306 9th St, Lubbock, TX 79401

Conference Schedule

9:00 – 9:30 AM	Breakfast and networking
9:30 – 10:00 AM	Opening Remarks from TLA and District 9 Chair
10:00 – 11:00 AM	<p>Opening Keynote <i>Presenter: Kelsey Bogan</i></p> <p>Kelsey is a high school Librarian who most enjoys teaching media literacy, utilizing social media for advocacy and community building, and implementing antiracism and equity work into collection & program development efforts. She’s the kind of librarian who loves weeding, hates "shushing," and who believes that graphic novels and audiobooks count as "real reading." She is also a professional Speaker who presents nationally on topics such as Social Media for Libraries, Diversity Audits, Developing Diverse Collections, and Media Literacy.</p>
11:00 – 11:15 AM	BREAK
11:15 AM – 12:15 PM	<p>Current Events in Libraries: An Open Discussion <i>Facilitator: Stacy McKenzie, Lubbock Public Library</i></p> <p>Libraries in the news hint and changes still to come and battles left to fight where intellectual freedom is concerned. Let’s talk, rant, vent and brainstorm about the changing face of libraries over the last couple of years and speculate what it to come.</p>
12:15 – 1:15 PM	Lunch Break and Business Meeting/Gumdrop books door prize
1:15 – 2:15 PM	<p>Wading In: How to Get Started with Genially, Wakelet, Canva, and Book Creator <i>Presenter: Kristi Star, Lubbock ISD</i></p> <p>Creation and curation are at the center of a librarian's work. Tools like Wakelet, Canva, Genially, and Book Creator allow librarians to develop materials and resources for their patrons as well as for personal use. We will begin by creating an account, then exploring the resources available. As time permits, we will have time to practice creating with each tool. All tools are either free or freemium.</p>
2:15 – 2:30 PM	BREAK
2:30 – 3:30 PM	<p>Therapy Tech: The Digital Transformation of Mental Healthcare <i>Featured Author: Emma Bedor Hilland</i></p> <p>Mental Health is an exceedingly popular topic needed in all aspects of the library field. Hiland’s talk will include a discussion of mental health, tech, and pop culture and how they all overlap. Hiland will also discuss her knowledge of feminist media studies in a community-facing presentation appropriate for all type of library related communities.</p>
3:30 – 4:00 PM	Closing comments, gift bags, raffles
4:00 PM	ADJOURN

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