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# SCL NEWS FROM AROUND SCLA

### **STEM Interest Group**

STEM is an acronym for Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics. STEM Education refers to initiatives to improve education in these fields starting with K-12, and extending into the post-secondary level. The purpose of the STEM Interest Group is to facilitate communication among SCLA members who are interested in promoting the STEM fields at all levels of education.

#### **GOALS**

- To identify librarians across the state who are invested in providing support in STEM fields
- To facilitate communication among members
- To serve as a clearinghouse for STEM activities
- To learn about services relevant to STEM education in order to make informed referrals to other organizations

For more information about joining, contact either of the group's Co-Chairs:

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### **LMaO Lighting Rounds**

The Library Marketing and Outreach (LMaO) Roundtable is excited about hosting a Lightning Rounds session at this year's annual conference. These sessions are for public, academic, and special libraries. Topics will focus on Marketing and Outreach. Panelists will each have around 10 minutes present. Attendees will have opportunity to network and receive helpful feedback. This session will be fast-paced, keeping attendees engaged and excited. We are still accepting proposals for anyone who wants to participate (link for submitting - http://goo.gl/1eVGtd).

Additionally, the LMaO Roundtable is looking for a new co-chair or other volunteers for 2017 to help coordinate online meetups and annual conference presentations.

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