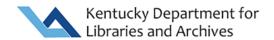
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KDLA Quarterly Online New Trustee Orientation

KDLA will host the quarterly orientation for library board trustees via Zoom on **Wednesday**, **February 21**, at **10 AM Eastern /9 AM Central**. The training is open to new and existing trustees and counts as the Regional Consultant orientation when applying for the trustee certification program. No registration is required--a link to the Zoom meeting will be emailed to directors and posted on the trustee listsery the week before.

Kentucky Public Library Association Legislative Day 2024

The KY Public Library Association (KPLA) has announced that the 2024 Library Legislative Day will be **Thursday, February 15, 2024**.

For talking points or other information, please get in touch with Advocacy Chair Jean Ruark at Paul Sawyier Public Library. (502) 320-3922 jean.ruark@pspl.org

Statewide Job Fair Initiative 2024: KDLA Wants You!

The Lexington Public Library and KDLA are partnering to promote a Statewide Job Fair initiative in 2024, and we welcome staff from academic, public, and school libraries to participate. The job fair initiative will be held during National Library Week, April 7-13, 2024. The events and programs encouraged during this week can include résumé preparation classes, presentations by local Adult Education instructors, on-site job fairs or take-home job fair kits, poster sessions, interviewing seminars, and more. Register your library by Thursday, February 1, 2024, to guarantee access to the resources and opportunities offered by the Statewide Job Fair Initiative partners.

Contact KDLA Workforce and Adult Services Consultant Hilary Writt with questions or to register your library for this event. hilary.writt@ky.gov

Kentucky Public Library Association Conference 2024: Meeting the Challenge

The Kentucky Public Library Association (KPLA) has <u>opened registration for the 2024 Conference</u>, **March 20-22, 2024**, at the Owensboro Convention Center in Owensboro, Kentucky. This year's conference includes pre-conference sessions on Wednesday, March 20, a wide variety of session topics on Thursday, March 21, and Friday, March 22, and roundtable discussions in the afternoon on Friday, March 22.

This year, conference participants will have more time to make networking connections during opportunities built into the conference schedule.

Attendees registering through February 29 qualify for early bird registration rates. Kentucky Library Association (KLA) members whose membership has expired must renew their membership before registering for the conference to receive the KLA member discount.



