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Emergency Preparedness & Response Summit for Public Libraries

This full-day workshop is co-sponsored by the State Library of North Carolina and the National Network of Libraries of Medicine (NN/LM). Designed to bring together public librarians and emergency planners, the Summit will include morning panel discussions with emergency planners and an afternoon library disaster readiness workshop for library staff. Staff from the NC Department of Cultural Resource’s CREST program will also present information about how CREST can assist North Carolina libraries with disaster planning, recovery, and training.

Dates and locations:

**Monday, April 6**
9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Durham County Library, Durham
Register

**Tuesday, April 7**
10:15 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Pack Memorial Library, Asheville
Register
Emerging Trends

Join Toby Greenwalt, Director of Digital Strategy and Technology Implementation at the Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh, for an exciting day of reimagining and reinventing library service!

Holistic Librarianship: Reinventing the Reference Desk for a Go-Anywhere World
(morning session)

Walking the Talk: Creating an Embedded Library Service Action Plan
(afternoon session)

Complete session descriptions are available on the Train Station. Click on a link below for more information and to register for the location nearest you!

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Fundraising Summit for Public Libraries

• Need to raise private funds for your library system?
• Looking for opportunities to learn and share with your NC and SC public library peers?

Mark your calendars and save the date: Library Fundraising Summit – Friday, May 15, 2015 in Charlotte, NC

Led and hosted by the Charlotte Mecklenburg Library Foundation, the Summit is also planned in partnership with the State Library of North Carolina, the South Carolina State Library, and fundraising professionals from Durham County, Richland County and Spartanburg County public libraries.

The Summit is designed for library directors, library volunteer leadership, or others with responsibilities for raising private funds for their libraries.

Registration and additional details coming soon!

Contact Karen Beach, Charlotte Mecklenburg Library Foundation at kbeach@cmlibrary.org or 704-416-0802 for questions or more information.
LibGuides: Getting Started with LibGuides (v1)

This hands-on workshop is designed for public and community college library staff interested in creating or editing a LibGuide for their library; during the workshop, all participants will begin work to develop a new libguide for their home library. This is a LibGuides version 1 workshop; it will not be relevant for staff at libraries that have fully migrated to LibGuides v.2.

Why attend THIS workshop and not the Version 2 session?
This session is an easy introduction for those with little or no LibGuides experience. The LibGuides v2 workshop requires familiarity with the LibGuides platform and experience in creating a guide. This session will give you the skills and knowledge to start using LibGuides and prepare you for taking the v2 course when your library is ready to migrate to version 2.

Content of this workshop includes:

- Introduction and guided tour of LibGuides to see how and why libraries are using it
- LibGuides basics including the dashboard, page elements, and content options
- Demonstration and practice using the LibGuide Community and "Best of" pages to find exemplars and shortcuts
- Hands-on time and facilitator assistance to create a new LibGuide for your library

Friday, March 20
Pack Memorial Library
Asheville
Register
LibGuides: Top 10 Reasons to Go Beta and Beyond!

This webinar, led by NC Master Trainers, will have you feeling confident and eager about upgrading your LibGuides account to Version 2! There are at least 10 great reasons to make the switch, plus FAQs, lessons learned from early adopters, and plenty of time for your questions about making the leap to LibGuides v2.

This one-hour webinar is appropriate for all library staff who create or edit LibGuides, and especially relevant to those with responsibility for administering their library's LibGuides account. Advance registration is required. This session will be recorded and available for viewing on demand.

**Wednesday, March 4**
2:00 p.m.
[Register](#)
LibGuides: Beyond Beta to Version 2

Get your feet wet with the new features in LibGuides version 2 in this full-day workshop led by NC Master Trainers!

Explore what’s new in LibGuides version 2 and learn how to use the new features of v.2 to enhance your LibGuides! Participants will have time to experiment with customization options, start their version 1 “clean up”, and spend some guided learning time in preparing to fully migrate to Version 2.

*Participation in this workshop is limited to NC library staff members whose libraries are in LibGuides Beta status or whose libraries are already fully migrated to LibGuides, version 2. Check out the [March 4th LibGuides webinar](#) for an introduction to LibGuides beta and version 2.*

**May 11** – Statesville Main Library
Statesville
[Register](#)

**May 13** – High Point Public Library
High Point
[Register](#)

**May 19** – Sheppard Memorial Library, Greenville
[Register](#)
NC LIVE: Quick & LIVE-ly Webinars

Developed by the State Library and presented by NC Master Trainers, these short, interactive sessions introduce new NC LIVE resources and give you time to try searching. Sessions will be recorded & available for viewing on demand.

- **Films on Demand** – Jan 29th, 2:00 p.m.
  Register

- **It’s Not Rocket Science! (Science resources)** – Feb 3rd, 2:00 p.m.
  Register

- **E-Books on NC LIVE** – Feb 4th, 2:00 p.m.
  Register

- **Literature Resource Center** – Feb 13th, 2:00 p.m.
  Register

- **Reference USA** – Feb 17th, 2:00 p.m.
  Register
NC LIVE: *New NC LIVE Basics*

This all new workshop updates the NC LIVE Basics course to include new 2015 NC LIVE resources. Full-day, customized in-person training provides guided, hands-on search practice, plus trainer tips & tricks for using these new NC LIVE resources with your patrons.

Sessions are customized for public library and community college audiences, but *any* NC library staff member is welcome to attend *any* session. Your free registration includes lunch!

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Tackling RDA

This full-day, hands-on workshop provides an introduction to RDA and FRBR, new MARC fields, and cataloging a variety of materials following RDA rules. *Tackling RDA* is perfect for copy catalogers and/or those who haven't received formal training in cataloging.

Dates and locations:

**Tuesday, February 10**
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Kinston-Lenoir County Public Library, Kinston
Register online

**Thursday, March 5**
10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
May Memorial Library, Burlington
Register for the waiting list
(this class is currently full)
Looking for information about other continuing education opportunities?

Check out the **Train Station**, your one-stop destination for continuing education information and news!


Get the latest announcements via the CEinfo listserv! This listserv is open to any NC library staff members; [subscribe online](http://statelibrary.ncdcr.libguides.com/trainstation).

Need more information?

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