

CALL/ACBD Webinar Committee

Annual Report 2019 - 20

May 2020 – Virtual

Committee Chair: Brenda Lauritzen

Members: Yemisi Dina, Melissa Firth, Krisandra Ivings, Matthew Renaud, Hannah Steeves, and Doris Wagner

Activities and initiatives that the committee has completed during this past year:

The committee held five successful webinars in 2019, with attendance ranging from 17 to 35. The topics were:

- Pre-Crime (February)
- The Changing Business of Law, and What It Means for Law Libraries (April)
- Presidents' Roundtable Continued: Law Librarian of the Future (May)
- Effective Budgeting for Libraries (September)
- Gamification (October)

112 registrants attended these sessions in total, bringing in approximately \$5,400 in revenue to the association.

Thus far in 2020, we have held one webinar:

- Disaster Management and Contingency Planning (April)

The committee was pleased to welcome Yemisi Dina, Melissa Firth, Krisandra Ivings, and Doris Wagner as new members. We would like to thank Jocelyn McKay, who has left the committee, for her hard work and dedication.

Activities and initiatives that the committee hopes to tackle for the next business year:

The committee is planning to hold four more webinars this year, with topics and dates to be determined.

As the COVID-19 situation develops, we will be looking for ways in which to further engage the membership and address their needs through remote professional development opportunities. Any suggestions or feedback is always welcome to the committee chair (blauritzen@ccla-abcc.ca).

Many thanks to the committee members who continually brainstorm new ideas and work hard to deliver high-quality webinars. Thank you also to Matt and Mark of Redstone Agency for their support in making the webinars happen.

Respectfully Submitted,

Brenda Lauritzen