

# Updates from Affiliates, Committees, and Round Tables

## ODLOS Advisory Committee

April 20, 2017

## Affiliates

### [Asian Pacific American Librarians Association \(APALA\)](#)

Submitted by Lessa Pelayo-Lozada

- Upcoming Conferences: ALA Annual -- Deepa Iyer Program (<https://www.eventscribe.com/2017/ALA-Annual/fsPopup.asp?Mode=presInfo&PresentationID=257826>)
- Upcoming Meeting: APALA Executive Board Meeting: 5/16/17 @ 10amPT
- Recommended Reading: APA VOICES ON "HOPE IS THE THING" PODCAST by Dawn K. Wing (<http://www.apalaweb.org/apa-voices-on-hope-is-the-thing-podcast/>)
- APALA releases statement opposing proposed cuts to IMLS (<http://www.apalaweb.org/apala-statement-opposing-proposed-cuts-to-impls/>)

## Committees & Subcommittees

### [Committee on Diversity](#)

Submitted by Martin Garnar

- Conference call in mid to late April, date TBD

### [Committee on Legislation](#)

Submitted by Gwenn Weaver

- Upcoming Meetings: Not yet schedule, but hope to have a planning meeting prior to annual

### [Rural, Native, and Tribal Libraries of All Kinds](#)

Submitted by Susan Hess

- Upcoming Conferences: Two presentations at Annual; Monday, June 26 at 8:30 am
- Upcoming Webinars: May 17: TRAILS and The Small but Powerful Guide - Management and Advocacy Toolkits for Rural, Native and Tribal Libraries