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**ALA ALCTS CaMMS Subject Analysis Committee**

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**AALL Annual Meeting 2019**

AALL’s Annual Meeting will be held at the Washington Convention Center July 13-16. There are two metadata-related Deep Dive programs scheduled. The first program, *Clean It Up! Transforming Messy Data with OpenRefine,* is a hands-on session focused on using OpenRefine to manipulate datasets. The second program, *Things You Need to Know Before Moving to a New ILS,* reviews the pros and cons of ILS migration, including a checklist of technical issues to address before and after changing ILSs.

Additionally, a pre-conference workshop will be held July 13 for those interested in improving their MarcEdit skills. *Regex Rules! Using Regular Expression with MarcEdit* will show participants the basics of regex to simplify complex metadata cleanup projects.

The Metadata Management Standing Committee meeting will include breakout discussion groups. One topic for the breakout sessions involves the issues surrounding updating and harmonizing LC Classification for environmental law between civil and common law jurisdictions.

**AALL Hall of Fame**

This year’s class of inductees to the AALL Hall of Fame includes Jolande Goldberg, Senior Law Classification Specialist at the Library of Congress Policy & Standards Division. The award honors her decades of service and dedication to law librarianship. For more information on the Hall of Fame, see <https://www.aallnet.org/community/recognition/awards-program/hall-of-fame-award/>.

**Technical Services Law Librarian**

The Technical Services Law Librarian (TSLL) is the official publication of the Technical Services Special-Interest-Section (TS-SIS) and the Online Bibliographic Services Special-Interest-Section (OBS-SIS) of AALL. Beginning this fall, each issue will include the new column *Conference Roundup* to serve as a space for members to report on any conference, including ALA, of interest to TS-SIS and OBS-SIS. While members were free to submit conference reports in the past, now they have guidelines and a designated column to standardize submissions. Back issues of TSLL can be found here: <https://www.aallnet.org/tssis/resources-publications/technical-services-law-librarian/>.