

#### **Announcements**



# Community, Connecting, Caring Communauté, Connectivité, Compassion

## APLA 2023 Virtual conference, June 6-9 Conférence virtuelle, 6-9 juin



The APLA 2023 virtual conference is coming up fast! If you haven't registered yet, here are some highlights that will undoubtedly convince you to join us.

#### **Pre-Conference Workshop featuring ChatGPT!**

Have you had a chance to explore ChatGPT yet? This workshop will allow you to explore its potential to enhance library services and operations.

#### **Two Amazing Keynote Speakers**

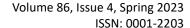
The conference will open with a keynote from **Julie Wright**, host of CBC Information Morning and self-confessed fan of microfilm! Our closing speaker is **Thandiwe McCarthy**, who combines his passion for social justice with his artistic talents as a writer, spoken word poet, and community advocate.

#### **Sessions for Everyone**

Whether you work in an academic or public setting, you will find sessions and presentations useful to your context. We've got everything from social media, cataloguing, acquisitions, open access, censorship, EDI, pandemic impacts, sustainability, building partnerships, and more.

#### **Drag Bingo!**

The conference may be virtual, but we're still offering a bit of fun with a social activity that promises to be entertaining. And there are prizes to be won!





### <u>Virtual Conference</u>

We will surely be returning to in-person conferences next year, so why not enjoy one last virtual conference wearing your comfiest clothes and sipping a favourite beverage from home? And since the conference is online, the registration fee is more affordable. Are you new to Pheedloop, the conference platform? You can get familiar by watching the <u>Pheedloop Video Attendee Training</u> to get you started.

Scan the QR code or <u>click here</u> to explore the conference website, the program, and to register today! If you follow us on social media, be sure to add #APLA2023 to your conference-related posts.

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The APLA 2023 Conference Committee