

TEP Standing Conference Committee

Wednesday, June 11, 2025 ([recording](#))

11 a.m. ET / 10 a.m. CT / 8 a.m. PT

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Present

- Ruth Frasur Davis
- Katie Greenleaf Martin
- Gina Monti
- Jennifer Weston

2026 Conference Local Arrangements Committee in attendance

- Val Ita (KCLS)
- Lauren Yockman (KCLS)

Absent

- Rogan Hamby
- Debbie Luchenbill
- Chris Sharp
- Jessica Woolford
- BJ Colvin (KCLS)

1. Introductions/Roll Call
2. Agenda Review
3. Updates
 - a. 2025 Conference Wrap-Up [[EG Planning Online Conf 2025 Timeline](#)]
 - i. General Review / Analysis
 1. Platform - see Gina's [notes](#)
 - a. Smooth! Very few issues connecting
 - b. Exhibit hall was good - easy to access
 - c. Consider special needs for Social Hour
 - d. Announcements / Email communication was embedded
 - e. Cap on Admin accounts, used for moderators but # is limited
 - f. Reminder: yearly subscription, confirmed
 - i. \$4,500 line item in conference budget
 - ii. Limit # of attendees - confirm - but can use for Hackfest
 - iii. Expires in October
 - iv. Recommend keeping it as a yearly subscription
 2. Programs
 - a. Well received; solid diversity;
 - b. Always considering ways to reach more audiences
 - c. Excellent pre-conference content on different subjects this year
 3. Schedule
 - a. Time between sessions questioned (need more?) - monitor survey
 4. Attendance
 - a. Unedited registration counts (will include a few duplicates for sponsors and such): 293 regular conference, 104 hackfest, 101 preconference

- ii. Website Updates
 - 1. Slides posted to [Program Descriptions](#) page
 - 2. Videorecordings available on [YouTube](#)
 - a. Rogan / Outreach posted to YouTube
 - b. Are we going to also post individual videos to website?
 - c. New plugin on Website links to the videos:
<https://evergreen-ils.org/video/>
- iii. Next (*update Action Items below*)
 - 1. Report to TEP Board (next meeting July 17)
 - a. Financial - revenue, expenses, surplus/deficit
 - b. Confirm Attendance
 - c. Recommend finalizing report to board by July meeting
 - 2. Feedback / Survey – send after close of conference
 - a. Debbie will review history of tools used and update for this year - pass this to Ruth (as of 6/11 mtg)
 - b. RingCentral capability to send out survey? Gina confirmed - we can send an announcement email with link to a google survey
 - c. Discussed survey content & schedule
- b. TEP Board (Katie)
 - i. TEP has signed contract with Hyatt Regency Lake Washington at Seattle's Southport for room rentals, food and beverage, and hotel block
 - ii. MoU with KCLS - Status: signed by KCLS; just awaiting board signature
 - iii. Announced 2026 location, dates, & hotel info at 2025 conference
 - 1. Link for hotel reservations:
<https://www.hyatt.com/en-US/group-booking/SEARL/G-EVE1>
- c. 2026 Conference [ 2026 Evergreen International Conference - KCLS]
 - i. Local Arrangements Committee/TEP update
 - 1. AV Contract with Hyatt Regency
 - 2. Next (*update Action Items below*)
- d. Other

4. Action Items

- a. 2025 online conference wrap-up
 - i. After Conference Activities
 - ☒ Ruth: Copy ~~2024 survey~~ to use as starting point this year, update as needed, and send to committee to review; anticipate few (if any) changes to content to maintain treadlines
 - a. Survey Draft
 - i. Ready: [2025 survey draft](#) and [survey folder](#)
 - b. Review Dates
 - i. Deadline to respond: July 3
 - ii. Review at next SCC mtg: July 9
 - iii. Include results in report to board for mtg on: July 17
 - ☐ Gina: Send out survey, when ready, via RingCentral announcements
 - ☐ Gina: Provide final registration counts – can we break down numbers to exclude vendors; can we count registered vs attended?

- ☐ Gina: Ask about captioning files that can be added to YouTube
- ☐ Gina: Provide feedback to RingCentral - include note about suggested functionality to be able to share sounds
- ☐ Jennifer: Meet with Katie/Gina to learn more about RingCentral contract and terms
- ☐ Jennifer or Ruth: check with Outreach on status of breaking out individual videos (Note - Rogan is out week of 6/16)
- ☐ Jennifer: start draft of report to share with committee

b. 2026 conference planning

- i. Next KCLS LAC meeting is Jun 17, 2025 at 9 a.m. PT, 11 a.m. CT, 12 p.m. ET
- ii. Draft prospectus - initial starting document in progress
- iii. Graphics: [theme and logo](#)
 - ~~1. Share version in vector format~~
 - ~~2. Ruth will create subfolder for 2026 graphics~~
- iv. Save the date announcement
- v. Schedule
 - 1. Jennifer & Ruth will work on draft schedule / checklist
- vi. Budget
 - 1. Jennifer will add to agenda for KCLS LAC meeting next week
- vii. Subcommittees (Katie & Jennifer to meet to discuss)
 - 1. Subcommittee Activities
 - a. Marketing
 - i. Promo Video
 - b. New Website Design
 - i. Melissa, web designer, added to local team
 - ii. Confirm "ownership" of website - TEP or KCLS?
 - 1. Consider archival needs & duration of support
 - 2. Would need analogous page(s) on evergreen site to push people to 2026 site created by KCLS
 - 3. Retain standard links to components and required content – policies, etc.
 - 4. Coordinate with efforts to document and create practices for providing access to edit the website (Galen leading this effort)
 - c. Sponsor Recruitment
 - d. Programming
 - i. Outline for Beginner's Track

5. Announcements

- a. Next meeting
 - i. Wednesday, July 9 at 8 a.m. PT, 10 a.m. CT, 11 a.m. ET

6. Adjournment