

ASSOCIATION OF CANADIAN MAP LIBRARIES AND ARCHIVES  
**BULLETIN**

**ACMLA NEWS**

**CARTO 2021 Call for Proposals**

The 53rd annual conference of the Association of Canadian Map Libraries and Archives (ACMLA-ACACC) will be held virtually from June 14-16, 2021 between 1-3PM EST.

The 53rd annual ACMLA/ACACC CARTO conference will be held online. With that in mind, the theme this year is Old Is New Is Old. Presenters are encouraged to submit their presentations, posters, and other multimedia work in mapping and geospatial fields for this June event, which promises to be a thrilling new take on the old conference format. This event will also include the ACMLA/ACACC annual general meeting, and some surprise social events!

We welcome submissions that tell diverse stories, that offer conference attendees suggestions of how they can implement or adapt lessons for their own work, and that have wide-reaching appeal. Although the positive outcomes are always something people want to hear, there's also an appetite for learning about the things that didn't go well, particularly any problems you faced and how others might avoid or handle them.

We welcome submissions for papers, presentations, panels, posters, and Lightning talks in English and French. Deadline for submissions is end of day Tuesday, March 23rd, 2021

The Call for Presentations, along with the link to the submission form, is at:

[English Version](#)

[French Version](#)

Questions may be sent to the ACMLA executive (Francine Berish, Daniel Brendle-Moczuk, Martin Chandler, Dan Jakubek, Rosa Orlandini or Sheri Sunstrum)

## Nominating Committee Seeking Members

As per CARTO-ACMLA/ACACC [Bylaws 8.01 & 8.02](#), we are looking for 2-3 CARTO-ACMLA/ACACC members in good standing to join the Nominating Committee to coordinate and carry out the 2021-2022 executive election. The committee's work will be completed by mid-May 2021.

Election results will be announced at our Annual General Meeting June 14-16, 2021, virtual this year.

Nominating Committee Meetings will take place over email, phone and/or virtually. Duties include identifying and contacting potential candidates to run for open executive positions, accepting nominations for open executive positions, providing information to potential candidates about open executive positions, answering questions from members about the online voting procedure, and notifying both successful and unsuccessful candidates of election results.

CARTO-ACMLA/ACACC positions include:

President

Vice-President/President-elect

Secretary

Please volunteer by contacting [danielbm@uvic.ca](mailto:danielbm@uvic.ca), current CARTO-ACMLA/ACACC Past-President.

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## Call for Members: Bibliographic Control Committee

One of our new members has expressed interest in the [Bibliographic Control Committee](#)! The committee hasn't met in some time, so this is a call for those interested. If you are interested in discussing cataloguing and bibliographic control of maps and geospatial data – the second being something of a growth industry, I think! – then please send your interest to Martin Chandler by April 16th.