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# ACL News & Notes



This section of *The Christian Librarian* includes updates to the membership, announcements from members, and reports from various committees and groups around the Association of Christian Librarians. If you have news or notes to share in an upcoming print issue of *The Christian Librarian*, please email [robbie@arbor.edu](mailto:robbie@arbor.edu) or tweet [@robbiebolton](https://twitter.com/robbiebolton).

– Robbie Bolton, News & Notes Editor

## New Emerging Professionals Interest Group

Are you new to ACL and would you like to know how to best get plugged in to the association? Do you ever feel like the learning curve is steep in librarianship? Would you benefit from sharing ideas, experiences, and observations from the perspective of a new librarian? Then this new interest group might be for you.

The purpose of this new group is to provide a faith-based support system for those who are new to the library profession and to also help those new association members become actively involved in the association and the profession. This group will work to create networking opportunities, promote ACL

membership among emerging library professionals, and to create in-person and online forums (via a Google Group) for emerging librarians to openly share resources and to freely discuss topics relevant to new professionals in the library community.

Membership is open to ACL members who are new to the profession or the association. “New” shall be defined by the interested individual and not limited by number of years of experience. To join, email the home office ([info@acl.org](mailto:info@acl.org)) to request to be added to the discussion group.

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