2020 Midwinter Conference

Library Careers: Growth, Transition & Future

9:00 - 9:50 Registration, Continental Breakfast, Networking

9:50 - 10:00 Welcome to Ossining Library - Diana Lennon, Past President

Welcome to WLA Midwinter Conference – Elaine Provenzano, President

Announcements

10:00 - 11:00 Introduction of Authors – Giovanna Iannace, Vice President

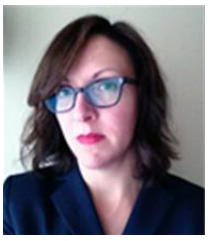
How to Thrive as a Library Professional: Achieving Success and Satisfaction

- Susanne Markgren, Assistant Director, Technical Services
  O'Malley Library, Manhattan College
- Linda Miles, Assistant Professor and Librarian
  Eugenio María de Hostos Community College

11:00-11:30 Exercise and Discussion

11:30 Book Signing & Raffle

12:00 Closing Remarks – Elaine Provenzano



Susanne Markgren is the Assistant Director of the Library for Technical Services at Manhattan College. Her prior library experience (before, during, and after library school) includes working in many different areas in many different types of libraries including: a small liberal arts college, an academic medical library, a large university library, two urban public library systems, a seminary library, a government library, and a theater library. She serves on the boards of local and national committees, associations, and consortia; has written articles, book reviews, and chapters for a variety of publications; and coordinates a mentoring program for the local ACRL/NY chapter. She received her MLIS from the University of Texas at Austin, and her MFA in creative writing from Manhattanville College.



Linda Miles is Assistant Professor, Open Educational Resources Librarian, and Liaison Librarian to the faculty of Early Childhood Education and the Visual and Performing Arts at Eugenio María de Hostos Community College – City University of New York. She served for four years as Public Services and User Experience Librarian at Yeshiva University, and began her career in the special library of the Lincoln Center Institute, an arts education organization. Recent publications include articles on students' attitudes toward OER and collegiality and teamwork in libraries. Linda received an Early-career Librarian Scholarship from ACRL (2017) and an IMLS Laura Bush 21st-Century Librarian Scholarship (2009-11). She holds an MLS from St. John's University and a PhD in theatre history and criticism from the University of Texas at Austin. Linda's current research interests include students' reading and college-readiness, and game design for media literacy instruction.