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# NMRT BULLETIN

A weekly digest from ALA New Members Round Table



Caption: Rainbow of umbrellas against the sky

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## **NMRT PRESIDENT LETTER**

Nicole LaMoreaux, NMRT President 2019-2020

Within the blink of an eye, my year as the New Members Round Table President has come and gone. I think we all start out with high ambitions when moving into this role, but there are always a few things that never are completed or even started (our website redesign or an update to our NMRT promotional video). Needless to say, this year has been a rollercoaster for us all. I'm not sure we could have truly predicted the role out of 2020.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank the NMRT Executive Board, our Committees, and our Members for being spectacular. Without all of you, we would not have been able to provide you, our members, a variety of programming, services, and events throughout this last year (such as scholarship awards, the 2020 NMRT Emerging Leader and Emerging Leader Project, Midwinter events and programs, online discussions and programming, Resume Review Services, COVID-19 weekly digests, NMRT social hours, and the upcoming NMRT President's Program).

As we grow as an organization, I look forward to seeing the evolution of the round table. We always strive to assist and support our members to the best of our ability, but I believe that with the updates and new initiatives around equity, diversity, and inclusion and sustainability, we will continue to improve upon ourselves and our mission for the future leaders of the library world.

Thank you again for allowing me to lead you all during the 2019-2020 year as your NMRT President.

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## **JOBLIST PLACEMENT & CAREER CENTER HOSTING WEBINARS**



Caption: Black woman using a laptop.

- July 8 Wellness: Managing Stress and Taking Care of Yourself; <u>Register Here</u>
- **July 15** Action and Balance: Using Narrative and Self-Compassion on the Job Hunt; <u>Register Here</u>
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#### **VOLUNTEER WITH NMRT!**

We still need you! Committee assignments are being made this and next week. Don't miss out on your first choice - <u>sign up now!</u> If you have questions about the committees, their charges, or their workload, please contact incoming NMRT President Jennifer Wilhelm at jwilhelm@library.tamu.edu.



Caption: Flower pot with a plant and a heart.

## **WOC+LIB**

<u>WOC+Lib</u> has been recognized by ALA on the <u>Libraries Respond: Black Lives</u> <u>Matter</u> page. WOC+Lib was co-founded by current Online Programs Committee Chair LaQuanda Onyemeh works to provide a digital platform for women of color (WOC) within librarianship.

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If you have questions, comments, or wish to contribute to the NMRT Digest, please contact Jen Wilhelm at jwilhelm@library.tamu.edu