

Library Publishing Coalition 2021 Peer Mentorship Program

Brought to you by the LPC Professional Development Committee

PROGRAM GOALS

- **Primary:** To enrich participants' experiences with the LPC, and build meaningful relationships between peers.
- **Secondary:** To further the development of library publishing through a professional, semi-structured mentorship program.

SUGGESTED ACTIVITIES

- Schedule an initial getting-to-know-you call.
- Meet monthly and work together to agree on discussion topics and/or goals (optional: use the Professional Development Committee's monthly prompts to guide discussions).
- Attend special mentorship calls hosted by the Professional Development Committee.

ELIGIBILITY AND APPLYING

- All LPC members are welcome to apply! You do not need to be your institution's voting member.
- Apply via a Google Form asking basic contact and professional information, plus questions about your goals and expectations.

GUIDELINES

- We will provide a list of basic guidelines for pairs to adhere to (establish ground rules, meeting schedule, be open and positive, etc.) and a basic Code of Conduct.
- We will provide an adaptable mentoring agreement that participants can use, if desired, to set expectations.

TIMELINE

- The 2021 Program will run from February 2021 to December 2021. There will be a mid-year check-in survey in the summer and an evaluation questionnaire in December.
- The mid-year check-in provides an opportunity for necessary changes to program participation.
- Each year, we will open up applications for new participants. Alumni are welcome!

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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