



*DCLA 2017 Fall Tour,  
North Miami Public Library*

## What is DCLA?

DCLA (Dade County Library Association) is a community of Miami Dade information professionals ranging from academia to public to school libraries.

### Why join?

- Do you have responsibilities at work, but no authority to make changes? Take control! DCLA is your outlet for creative, professional expression.
- Celebrate your work success with your peers
- Develop your professional network among those interested in quality library services

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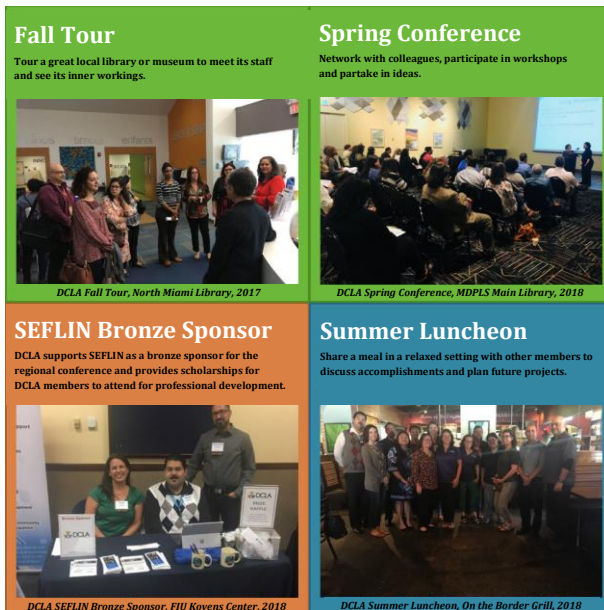


*DCLA Spring Conference,  
JFK Library, 2017*

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Library  
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*2018-2020*



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## What does DCLA offer?

- Promotes the professional growth of its members
- Supports innovative library services
- Encourages cooperation among libraries
- Mentoring/Mentee opportunities
- Awards to professional development conferences

- Career enhancing workshops
- Annual tours of local resources
- Luncheons to discuss issues affecting libraries
- Promotes sharing of ideas and information
- Develops professional networks and creates friendships
- Opportunities to be a positive voice for libraries in Miami-Dade County

### Member Benefits

- Access to the members-only discussion forums, surveys, and polls
- Access to the private Member Directory
- Access to Executive Board minutes
- Eligibility to participate in committees and interest groups
- Eligibility to vote in DCLA elections
- Free or discounted registration to DCLA events
- Awards to professional development conferences
- Discounted membership rates for organizations



*DCLA 2018 Spring Conference, Miami Dade Public Library System, Main Library*

### How to Join DCLA

Any librarian, library staff member, or former library staff member from any academic, public, or school library in Miami-Dade County is invited to join DCLA. Annual membership costs just \$16, the membership year runs from September 1 - August 31.

**Join at:**

<http://www.dclamiami.org>

