

APLA 2018 Conference

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Main Venue: Wu Conference Centre, 6 Duffie Drive, Fredericton, NB, E3B 5A3 (Tel: 506 453-5135)
Conference Dates: June 6-9, 2018. **Exhibitor Dates:** June 7-8, 2018

Conference hashtag: #APLA2018 / **Facebook :** [Atlantic Provinces Library Association](#) /
Twitter: @APLAcontact / **Instagram:** @aplagram

APLA 2018 Opening Welcome Reception:

Wednesday, June 6 (7:00pm-9:00pm)

[Beaverbrook Art Gallery](#) 703 Queen St, Fredericton, NB E3B 1C4

Thank you for Exhibiting at APLA 2018!! We invite you to join us at the Opening Reception being held at the newly renovated, award winning [Beaverbrook Art Gallery](#) and catered by Fredericton's mouth-watering Chess Piece Café. This year's reception will offer a chance to socialize, join a docent tour of the gallery, and experience the music and rhythms of Pokuhulakon Witsehkehsu: Sisters of the Drum.

Vendor Exhibits Open:

The Vendor Exhibits open on Thursday, June 7 at 10:15am and will include refreshments and an opportunity for exhibitors and attendees to network.

Exhibit hours: Thursday, June 7, 2018: 10:15am (Opening) - 3:30pm
Friday, June 8, 2018: 8:00am - 3:30pm

Shipping items to the conference:

Please do not have items arrive before **Monday, June 4th**. Be sure to have them clearly labelled "APLA 2018 Conference" and have your company name visible on the outside of the containers.

Please address them to:

Beth Wallace
Wu Conference Centre
APLA 2018 Conference
6 Duffie Drive, UNB Campus
Fredericton, NB
E3B 5A3
Tel: **506 453-5135**

Arrangements to ship items back will need to be made in advance and taken care of by you or your company. Thank you for your co-operation.

Exhibitor set up date & times:

Wednesday, June 6 from 4:00pm-6:00pm
Thursday, June 7th from 8:00am –10:00am.

Exhibits open on Thursday, June 7 at 10:15am

Exhibitor Tear-down

Friday, June 8 at 3:35pm

Events Taking Place in the Exhibit Areas

APLA 2018 Passport : Each delegate has been provided with a "Passport" and is encouraged to visit at least 7 Exhibit tables, collect a signature from each and then place their Passport in the ballot box located at the Conference Registration Desk. Names will be drawn randomly on June 7 and 8 and the winners will be posted at the Registration Desk and on social media.

Thursday, June 7

- **Vendor Opening:** 10:15am with Refreshments
- **Lunch:** 12:00
- **Refreshment Break:** 3:30pm

Friday, June 8

- **Exhibits open:** 8:00am
- **Refreshment Break:** 10:00am
- **Lunch:** 12:30am
- **Refreshment Break:** 3:00pm

Exhibit Space – What is Provided for your Fee

- one 6 foot table with cloth/skirting and one power outlet
- 2 vendor passes for booth staff
- Coffee breaks and lunches
- Invitation to the Opening Reception (includes 2 complimentary beverage tickets)
- Complimentary Wi-Fi
- Maximum exposure to conference attendees
- Company logo on conference website

APLA 100 Social**Friday Evening, June 8, 6:30 - 11:30pm (Tickets \$25 each).**

Location: Charlotte Street Arts Centre, 732 Charlotte Street, Fredericton

While there will not be a Merit Award recipient this year, we are very excited to be celebrating the 100th anniversary of APLA. This event features the 80's band *Pretty in Pink* (<https://www.facebook.com/Pretty-In-Pink-That80sband-139389792760277/>).

Attendees will be able to sample a wide range of food, from traditional local recipes to International favorites, drink a pint or two from Fredericton's stellar craft beer and cider industry and wander the building to look at the curated exhibits of local artists and dance. Once you see the band in action, you'll know why they sell out shows across New Brunswick.

To purchase tickets (\$25), please use the “register now” link in the top right-hand corner at: <https://www.regonline.com/builder/site/Default.aspx?EventID=2177842>