I would love to attend a session on how to use Follett Destiny more. I know the very basics of how to use it, but getting an in-depth training session would be so beneficial! Another session that I would attend would be on book repairs. Having some hands-on training would be wonderful!

Scan Day petting zoo
Are you curious about the equipment the SD State Library uses at Scan Day events? This is your chance to play and learn! Carlie and Brenda will have different scanners, laptops, and software along with some photos, documents, books etc. Are you thinking of providing this type of service at your library? We can provide prices and recommendations for equipment and software. And, if your library is interested in a Scan Day event, we can talk about that too.

Transforming Youth Services
Pre-Conference- 3 Hours Explore the principles of Connected Learning and come away with new, attainable ideas for youth programming and language for advocacy. Discover how Connected Learning relates to educational and career opportunities by combining personal interests, supportive relationships, and opportunities. Discuss with other librarians how to integrate or enhance the Connected Learning approach in your own programing. Learn facilitation techniques that maximize your skills and setting and acquire strategies to help youth stay motivated to learn.

I'm an accidental library director, now what do I do?
In any small town, one day you are the school lunch server, and the next day you might be asked to be the public library director because the other director left unexpectedly and the mayor knows you "like to read books". Sounds like a great gig! But did you know you have to prepare a budget, hold board meetings, make sure there are policies and procedures in place, weed the collection? Kathleen, Shawn, and Brenda will provide the tools you need to prevent being overwhelmed, and you'll leave with a toolbox full of resources.

Open the Digital Doors to your Library
Allow your resources to go wherever your users go, making it easier to spread the love for books and learning. We want to share how important it is to have library information and resources online. Program content will include: -Synopsis of the current library website project underway with the South
Dakota State Library. -Why it is important for libraries to have an online presence and how to stay relevant online. -What Google Analytics can tell us. -What is SEO and how does it work. -How to claim your Google My Business listing and why it's important.

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Mary Francis
Privacy in Libraries
This session will provide a look at the importance of privacy in all types of libraries. After a short introduction to the history of privacy in libraries, the session will provide tips and topics that librarians should consider as they work to maintain the privacy of their patrons.

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Brenda Hemmelman
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Libraries respond to COVID-19
Brenda is willing to put a panel together and moderate. Public, school, and academic libraries faced uncharted waters in March when a rash of closures across the state brought many questions and scrambling to provide services to the public and students. Hear from a variety of libraries on what they did and prepare to share your own experiences.

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Kristin Echtenkamp and Morgan Sederburg
Assessing Library Instruction: Taking Cues From Project Outcome
Learn about how SDSU librarians are using ACRL Project Outcome to assess their instruction of First Year Experience classes. We’ll discuss which survey tools we used as well as how Project Outcome helped us increase participation in assessment activities with a small class time commitment. We’ll also discuss how student feedback helped inform a redesign of some instruction activities.

Public Libraries
John Kerber
How providing WiFi in public libraries improves communities
The purpose of this course is to show how providing free public WiFi in libraries facilitates community growth. First, we explore the library role in promoting digital inclusion and how this is an investment communities need to build a strong economic foundation. We will explore digital human capital theory and examples of economic benefit of internet access. We’ll demonstrate how libraries’ offering of WiFi improves advocacy efforts as well as quality of life for patrons. Finally, we’ll discuss how to track measurable data to prove the value of WiFi service and its impact. I have enough material for a 50 minute talk, however, if these talks are unavailable, I could limit this talk to a 15 minute talk instead to just talk about WiFi data, changes since Covid 19, etc.
School/Children’s Services

Kimberly Darata
The School Library Collection Development Policy
Wondering where to begin in developing your school library collection? What to purchase? What to weed? What to do in the event of a book challenge? The school library collection development policy is essential in guiding the librarian's practices and decision-making. This session will discuss the components and rationale of a collection development policy, providing participants with direction to get started writing a policy for their libraries.

School/Children’s Services

Julie Erickson and Upell
Reaching Out to Help School Librarians Meet Digital Needs
How can school librarians meet the digital needs of their learning communities? Join us to learn some tips, tricks and tools that you can try out as soon as you get home. School librarians in South Dakota, North Dakota and Wyoming have been successfully implementing many of these ideas through the TIE/IMLS program Reaching Out: Meeting the Needs of Rural School Libraries. Find out what’s working.