TLA Quarterly Report  
From: ALA-UTK student chapter  
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Fall semester activities
The student chapter hosted 2 speakers and 2 social networking events during the Fall 2020 semester. At each event, approximately 10 people participated. The speakers were (1) Sandra Riggs (University of Georgia), speaking about diversity, inclusion and equality, and (2) Erika Long, (2020-2021 Tennessee Library Association President) on Legislation Day.

The social networking events allowed students the opportunity to engage with their classmates outside the classroom. These were a hit among the participants! We strongly encouraged participation because you will never know who you might help out or who might help you beyond the classroom. We are classmates first and friends and colleagues perpetually.

New logo
After the new chapter name was instituted, the officers hosted a logo design contest as an engagement opportunity with members. Below is the new logo for this student chapter!

Spring semester activities
We started conversations with our fellow students organizations with the School of Information Sciences to collaborate on events and speakers and determine how to increase virtual engagement within our memberships and the school. We are currently seeking guest speakers for our Spring semester speaker series. If any TLA member is interested in speaking with UTK students, please email Ashley at aorehek@vols.utk.edu.

We also plan to host multiple social networking events throughout the semester at various times. We hope our frequent virtual coffee and happy hours will attract more students and create more connections.