

# EAST Member Update

EAST Member Meeting  
October 19, 2018

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BOSTON LIBRARY CONSORTIUM



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# Topics to cover

- The top 5 things you need to know about EAST
- The value of GreenGlass to the EAST members
- Communicating with local stakeholders about EAST
- General update on activities
  - Monograph retention
  - Serials/journals retention – Matthew will cover this
  - The EAST Summit(s)
  - Operationalizing EAST
  - The EAST lending network
- Thanks and more thanks



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# Before I start



Mei Mendez  
Project Manager



Matthew Revitt  
Shared Print Consultant

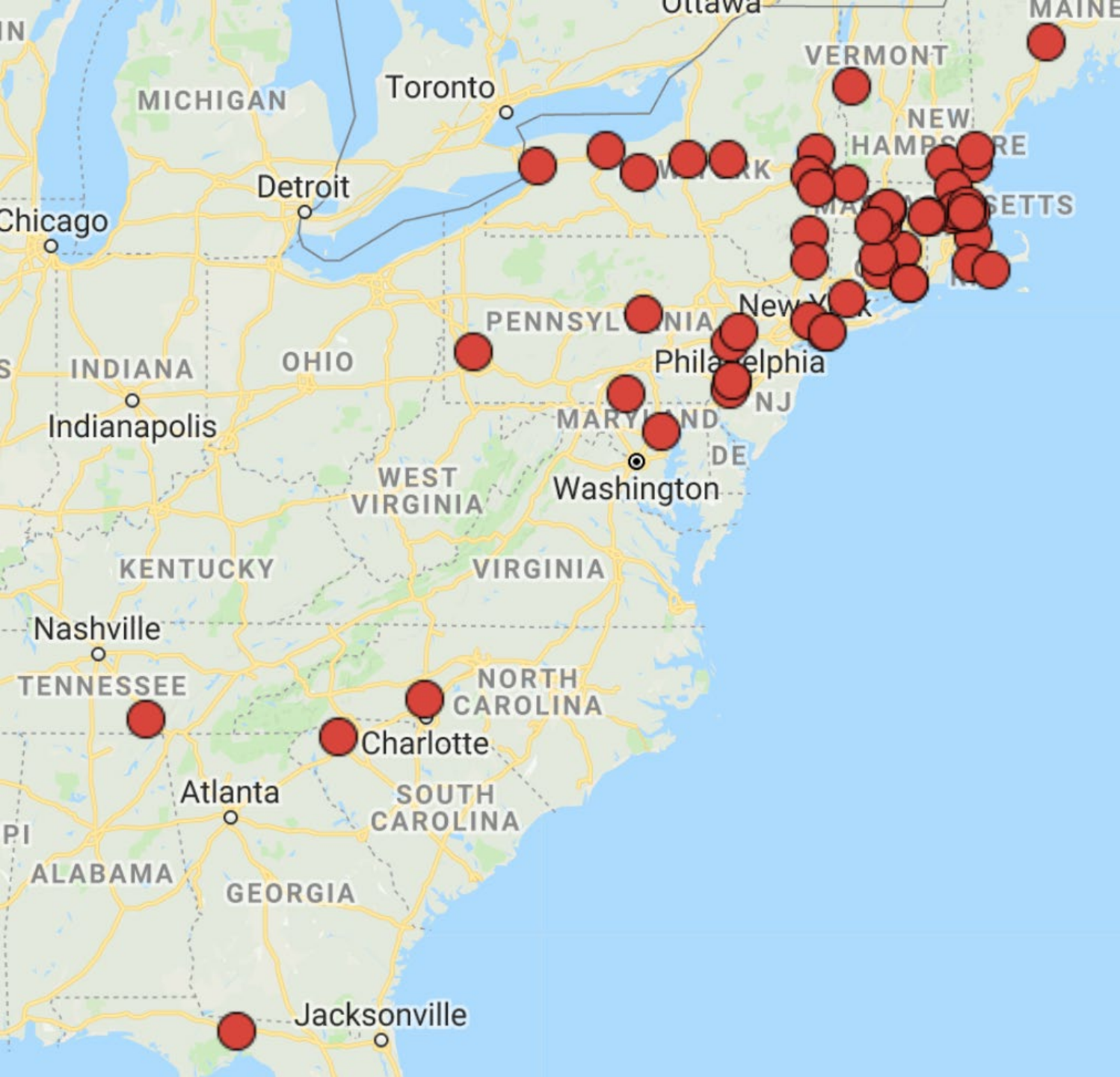


Sara Amato  
Data Librarian



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The Eastern  
Academic  
Scholars' Trust –  
now 61 libraries  
strong

Welcome to the US  
Coast Guard  
Academy



geographically  
space  
library  
decisions  
assurances  
deaccessioning  
scholarly  
weeding  
faculty  
shared  
preserved  
long-term  
collective  
retention  
local  
important  
commitments  
print  
record  
preservation  
community  
collection

# The top 5 things you need to know about EAST

EAST allows us to change the conversation from de-accessioning books to what we are doing proactively as a library community to ensure the protection of the print scholarly record.

# The top 5 things you need to know about EAST

EAST gives libraries enhanced flexibility in managing their local collections as part of a larger collective collection, including supporting intelligent downsizing when needed to support reclaiming space for new services.



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# The top 5 things you need to know about EAST

EAST provides library staff with member resources and documentation that support internal work and foster a sense of community.



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# The top 5 things you need to know about EAST

Our EAST resource sharing partners increase access to print resources for students, faculty and scholars.



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# The top 5 things you need to know about EAST

With our EAST partners, we have a strong voice in support of the importance of shared print at the national level.



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# Support for collection management

## How EAST libraries are using



- Data cleanup
- Moving materials to/from offsite
- Evaluating collections
- Support for de-accessioning

- WHO
- WHAT
- HOW

Library staff  
– updates,  
operations

Email

Face-to-face

Blogs,  
wikis

Administrators  
& department  
heads – goals  
and value

Committee  
meetings

Blogs,  
website

Email

Regular  
reporting

Students –  
value to them

Committee  
meetings

Blogs,  
website

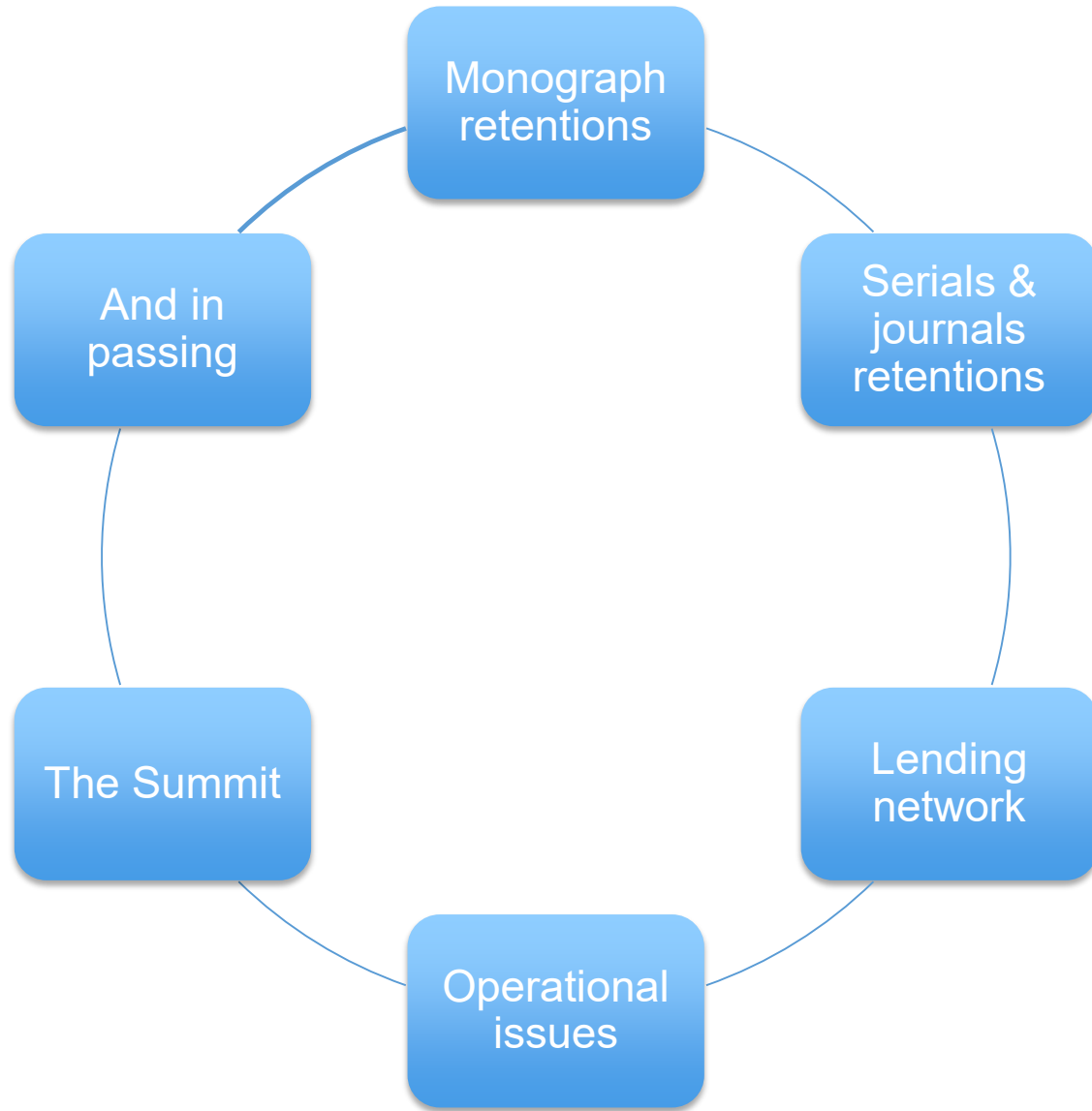
Email

Vendors &  
consortia –  
support for  
shared print

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Telephone

# Communications



# The Year: An Overview



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# Cohort 2 Monograph Retentions

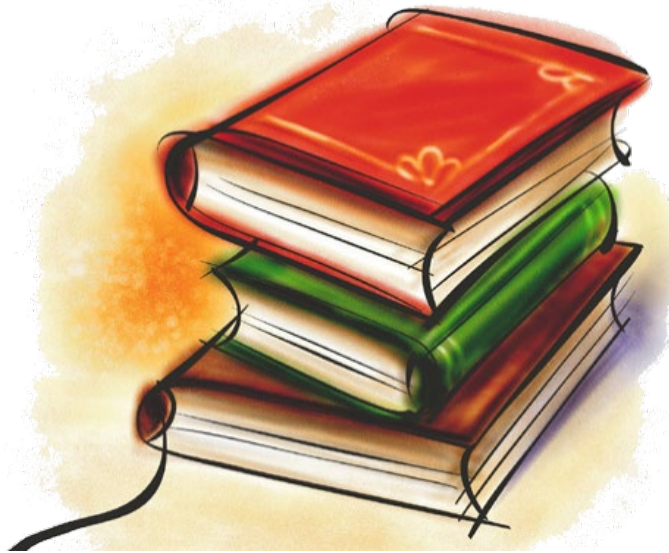
- 11 new Monograph Retention Partners
- Collective holdings of over 8.9M representing almost 4.5M title sets
- Comparable retention model – unique/scarcely held, frequently used, one of everything else except <2011 and ephemera
- Excluded titles already held and increased number of older materials
- EAST retained monograph titles now over 9,000,000



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# EAST Lending Network



- Best Practices
- Rapid Pod – 28 members
- OCLC GAC – 54 members

EAST libraries strongly support a policy of free lending across the member libraries

# Registering EAST Retention Commitments in WorldCat®



Shared Print Registration Service



# EAST Retentions

SEARCH:

Number of EAST Retention Copies:

HathiTrust:

## Retained by (optional):

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|---|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any (default)                | <input type="checkbox"/> Connecticut College             | <input type="checkbox"/> Phillips Exeter Academy   | <input type="checkbox"/> UMass Boston                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Adelphi                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Elms College                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Saint Anselm College      | <input type="checkbox"/> UMass Dartmouth             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Amherst College              | <input type="checkbox"/> Fairfield University            | <input type="checkbox"/> Siena College             | <input type="checkbox"/> UMass Lowell                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bard                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Five College Repository (FCLRC) | <input type="checkbox"/> Skidmore College          | <input type="checkbox"/> University of New Hampshire |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Boston College               | <input type="checkbox"/> Hamilton College                | <input type="checkbox"/> Smith College             | <input type="checkbox"/> University of Rochester     |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Brandeis University          | <input type="checkbox"/> Lafayette College               | <input type="checkbox"/> Trinity College           | <input type="checkbox"/> Wellesley College           |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Bryn Mawr College            | <input type="checkbox"/> Middlebury College              | <input type="checkbox"/> University of Connecticut | <input type="checkbox"/> Williams College            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Colby College                | <input type="checkbox"/> Mount Holyoke College           | <input type="checkbox"/> UMass Amherst             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yeshiva University          |

The EAST retention  
commitments database

<https://east-retention-db.appspot.com/>

# Operations Committee and New Onboarding Documents



- Focus on operationalizing the work of EAST
- The “devil is in the details” committee
- Worked with Sara, Mei and Matthew to develop new Onboarding Documents for EAST
- <https://eastlibraries.org/onboarding>

HathiTrust



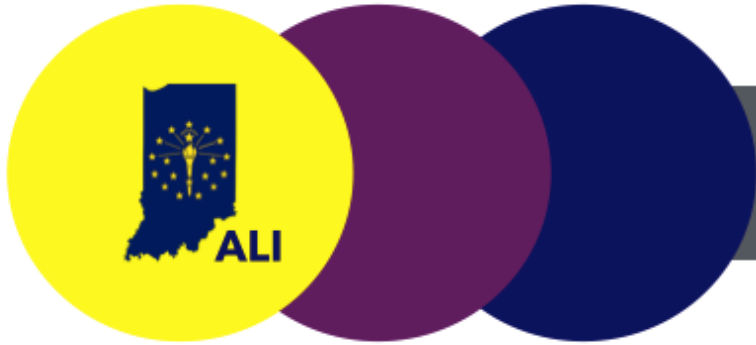
[www.hathitrust.org](http://www.hathitrust.org)



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*for* LIBRARY SERVICES  
Building better libraries



- Organizational Structure
- Open Data
- Resource sharing
- Research
- Standards
- Communications

# The Working Groups

<https://sites.google.com/a/blc.org/summit/home>



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in support of teaching, learning  
and research ... [LEARN MORE >](#)

## Featured Member Resources >


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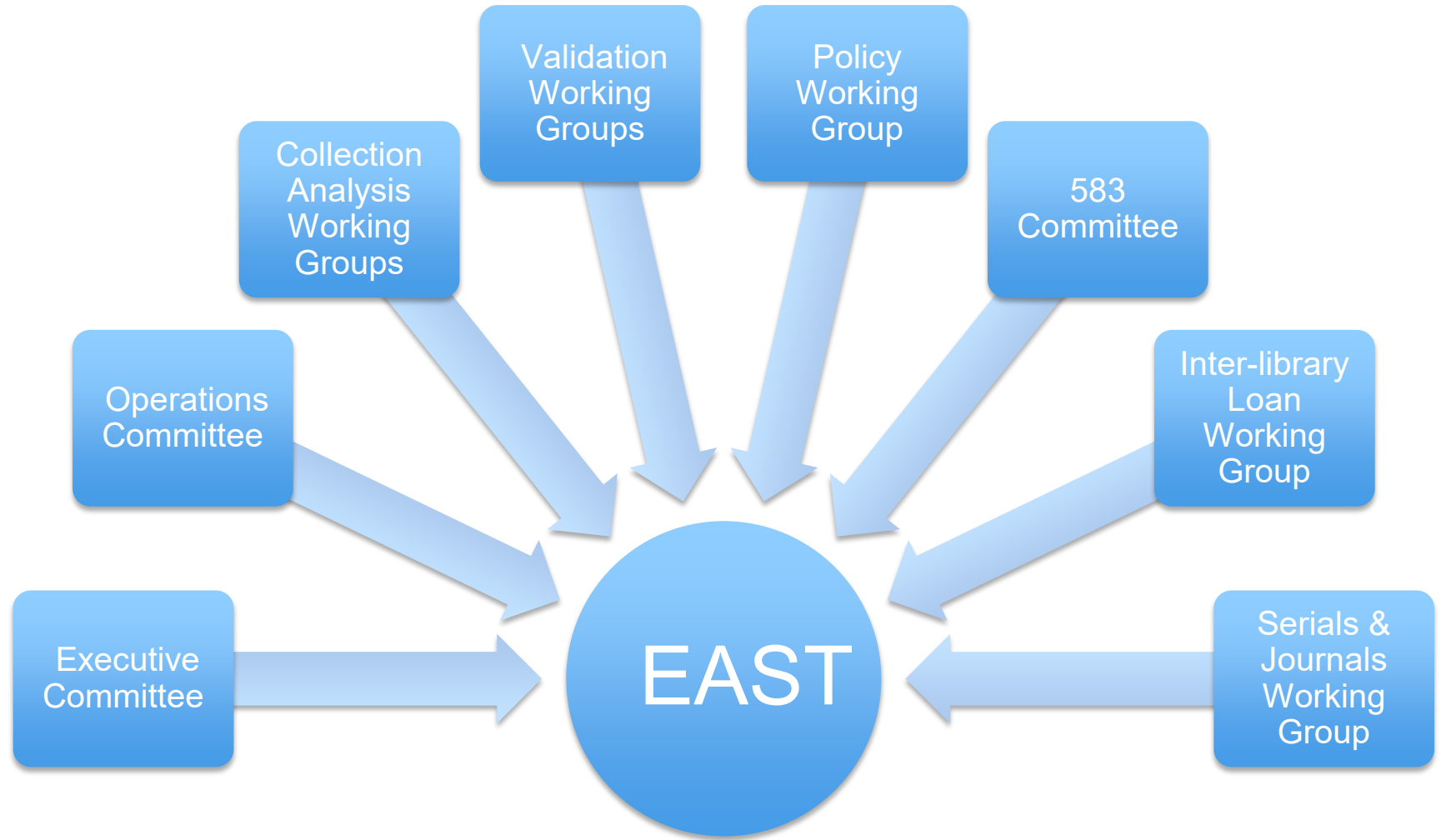
The 2018 EAST Member Meeting is scheduled for Friday, October 19th at the Metro Meeting Centers in Downtown Boston. Librarians at EAST member institutions are welcome to submit short presentation proposals to Susan Stearns ([sstearns@blc.org](mailto:sstearns@blc.org)), EAST Project Director or Mei Mendez ([mmendez@blc.org](mailto:mmendez@blc.org)...

## EAST Retained Items

Search the 6+ million EAST retention holdings.

Title Phrase 

THANK YOU!



We couldn't do it without you...



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# Thank you.

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