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Last December, the US Congress and President Obama approved GPO’s name change from the Government Printing Office to the Government Publishing Office. GPO is the US Federal Government's primary centralized resource for producing, procuring, cataloging, indexing, authenticating, disseminating, and preserving the official information products of the US Government in digital and tangible forms. The new name more accurately reflects the activities of GPO.

Congratulations to Hallie Pritchett, head of the Map and Government Information Library at the University of Georgia, for being appointed to serve on the Depository Library Council. Hallie will serve a three-year term starting in 2013 and ending in 2016; she is chair-elect and will become chair later this year. The council advises the Public Printer and the Superintendent of Documents on matters relating to the Federal Depository Library Program (FDLP).

The 2015 Government Information Interest Group (GIIG) officers are:

- Chair: Chris Sharpe, Kennesaw State University
- Vice Chair: Emily Rogers, Valdosta State University
- Secretary: Laurie Aycock, Kennesaw State University