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On Saturday, June 13, 2015, the Metro Atlanta Library Association (MALA) and the Georgia Library Association (GLA) New Members’ Round Table (NMRT) co-hosted an MLIS programs college fair on the campus of Oglethorpe University in Atlanta. About forty prospective library and archival science master’s students attended and were able to interact with representatives from the Master of Archival Studies Program at Clayton State University and MLIS programs at Valdosta State University, University of South Carolina, University of North Texas, and the University of North Carolina–Chapel Hill. The University of Kentucky and Florida State University were unable to attend but sent program and admission materials.

This college fair is just the latest in co-sponsored activities between the GLA and other Georgia professional development organizations. MALA and NMRT previously co-hosted a holiday potluck, and later in the summer, MALA, NMRT, the Society of Georgia Archivists, and the Special Libraries Association will co-host an educational and networking event at Oglethorpe. The GLA is dedicated to inter-organizational cooperation and the growth of professional development opportunities for all library professionals and paraprofessionals in Georgia.