

# LTAS Announces 2013-14 Executive

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The Library Technicians' & Assistants' Section (LTAS) held its Annual General Meeting on Friday, October 18 in conjunction with the 2013 Canadian Library Support Staff Day (CLA). Elections were held to determine the 2013-14 LTAS Executive.

## Canadian Library Support Staff Day

Annually on the third Friday of October, the Canadian Library Association recognises the critical and varied work of non-MLIS staff in library and information centres in Canada.

"This day is an opportunity to demonstrate our appreciation for the efforts of library technicians, library assistants, library clerks, shelvers, and all other support staff who help ensure libraries remain integral to communities served through our public, private, school, government, academic, and corporate libraries. Canadian Library Support Staff Day is recognized during Canadian Library Month, an annual celebration of libraries, library workers, and the services they provide to their communities," Pilar Martinex, CLA President, said in [a recent press release](#).



Prince George location, at UHNBC.

## LTAS' 2013 AGM

Our second AGM as a section was held in Prince George and Burnaby (for the Fraser Valley & Vancouver Chapters), with individuals from across the province joining us by online conference. Thirty five members were in attendance for the occasion.

A message of thanks was shared from the Chair, commending the 2012-13 LTAS Executive for the dedication, and thanking all membership for their involvement with the association. Through the many efforts and actions of this large and diverse group, we are building the profile of library technicians, library assistants, and of LTAS as a section.



Burnaby location, at Tommy Douglas Library.

## The 2013-14 LTAS Executive

LTAS Chair: Tamarack Hockin

LTAS Chair-Elect: Ashley Van Dijk

Fraser Valley Chapter Co-Chairs:  
Quinn Perry & Anita Thompson

Prince George Chapter Chair: Vaunda Dumont

Vancouver Chapter Co-Chairs:  
Ashley Van Dijk & Tamarack Hockin

Recording Secretary: Sandra Cole

Blog Coordinator: Heather Duff

Social Media Coordinators:  
Satinder Khalon, Alison Klein

Marketing & Design Coordinator: Liza Capdecoume

Careers Coordinator: Heather Duff

YAACS Liaison: Liza Capdecoume

Student Liaisons:  
Jessica Tivy (Langara) & Angela Fleming (UFV)

Members-At-Large:  
Norm Barry, Stephen Karr, Bradley Gordon, Jessica Tivy, Tracy Bergey

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