The 2019 Saskatchewan Libraries Conference is packed with opportunities to meet and mingle. Join us at Rogue Taproom the evening of May 1st for a tour and tasting with other conferencegoers. On Thursday, refreshments and prizes will be up for grabs at the Exhibit Hall Social. Later in the evening, the President's Reception will include refreshments and trivia. For a full list of details, check out the <u>Conference Social Calendar</u>.

Don't stay up too late reveling in your trivia victory—door prizes will be drawn bright and early on Friday. SLA would like to thank our wonderful sponsors for their generous donations to the 2019 conference: Broadway Theatre, Persephone Theatre, Solar Gardens, Remai Modern, Taverna Italian Kitchen, and Timberjaxe. For more details about door prizes, follow SLA on Facebook or Twitter!

Make arrangements early to ensure your conference experience is as cost effective and convenient as possible. To book a room at the Hilton at a reduced conference rate, call 306-244-2311 and say you're with Saskatchewan Libraries Conference. Also, make sure to register for the conference before April 8 to get the Early Bird rate.

Is there such a thing as too much library merch? SLA doesn't think so! Take advantage of this year's Library in a Box and stock up on library- or literary-themed socks, notebooks, bags, pins and pouches! Merch proceeds will help to support SLA, so there's never been a better time to refresh your sock drawer!

SLA is searching for conference volunteers for a host of duties, including:

- Registration desk volunteers: Shifts of 2 hours alongside other volunteers/staff
- Session recorders: Take notes and write summary
- Session conveners: Introduce speakers and close sessions; troubleshoot and record
- Technical Support volunteers: Set up laptops and projects for presenters; troubleshoot
- Photographer: Takes high-quality photos for newsletter, SLAte, and website content.

<u>Contact Lukas Miller</u> to volunteer a portion of your time and help contribute to the success of this year's conference. Please indicate if you have a preference for a particular task, date, or time.