

## **NJLA 2016 Pre-Conference**

**Sponsored By these NJLA Sections: Administration & Management, College & University, Diversity & Outreach and Urban Libraries**

**“Open to All: ADA Compliance and Beyond at your Library”**

**Monday, May 16, 1pm-4:30pm: Located at Harrah’s Convention Center, Atlantic City, Wildwood Rooms 12 & 13**

**Welcome: Selwa Shamy, Somerset County Library System**

**Keynote: John Walsh, Chief of Program Administration, NJ Commission for the Blind and Visually Impaired**

**Statistics: Mary Kearns-Kaplan, NJ State Library Talking Book & Braille Center**

**Panel: ADA Compliance at Your Library**

**Panelists:**

- **Cindy Czesak, Director, Paterson Free Public Library**
- **Craig Hill, Architect, Parette Somjen Architects**
- **Dina Trunzo, Therapeutic Recreation, Somerset County Park Commission**

**Break**

**Panel: Make Your Library a Welcoming Place**

**Panelists:**

- **Tara Kehoe, NJ State Library Talking Book & Braille Center**
- **Bethany Sewell, Access Services Librarian, The College of NJ**
- **Meghan Sooy, Director, Disability Support Services, The College of NJ**
- **Dan Weiss, Director, Fanwood Memorial Library and Co-Founder of Libraries & Autism**

**Q & A: Selwa Shamy**

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