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The Vice-chair has begun preparations for Professional Forum to be held in conjunction with 2003 MPLA/NLA Conference in Lake Tahoe. It is hoped that early and sustained advertising along in conjunction with other efforts will result in an excellent session.

The selection of Section members to serve on the Section Nominating Committee is underway.

The Section business meeting at MPLA/NDLA/SDLA Tri-Conference yielded 12 suggestions for program topics. Section Conference Committee is being appointed and will use these suggestions in planning for the 2003 MPLA/NLA Conference.

The MPLA Manual of Procedure as posted on the Association website does not yet include the amendments to the Academic Section Bylaws approved at Section business meeting on 7 December 2001 at the 2001 MPLA/AzLA Conference. According to the Section Report dated 5 December 2001, these changes reflect "recommendations by the Executive Board regarding secretaries and by the Nominating Committee."