



**JOHN MAYR**, registrar of British Columbia, and **CLAUDE LEBLOND**, president of the Ordre des travailleurs sociaux et des thérapeutes conjugaux et familiaux du Québec, participated with ASWB CEO **Mary Jo Monahan** and Executive Vice President **Dwight J. Hymans** in a panel discussion, "Getting to Consensus on 'Competency to Practice,'" at the 2014 National Joint Social Work Conference/Conference nationale conjointe de travail social of the Canadian Association of Social Workers and the Canadian Association for Social Work Education in St. Catharines, Ontario, in May.

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ASWB welcomes the following administrators, who recently became staff to their boards:

- **ARLENE HARTWELL**, Rhode Island
- **SARAH FASZHOLZ**, Texas
- **AMANDA URIOSTE**, New Mexico
- **MARIAMA GONDO**, Washington
- **ROBERT SHEPHERD**, Nova Scotia
- **ANGIE PARKER**, Alaska

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Congratulations to **ELEANOR VINSON** of Alaska, who announced her retirement at the end of April. She reports: "I am back temporarily teaching the new person in my position, then I am visiting new grandbabies in Texas and California (both due in August!!)"

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**JOHN MAYR**, registrar of British Columbia, was a featured speaker at the Administrators Forum in May held during ASWB's Spring Education Meeting. His presentation about the 2014-2015 communications plan of the British Columbia College of Social Workers is available for download [here](#).

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Congratulations to **JIM ROUGH**, executive director of Ohio, who announced: "I am retiring at the end of August after 15+ years working for the state of Ohio licensing boards, including over nine years with the Counselor, Social Worker & Marriage and Family Therapist Board. I am moving to Manhattan Beach, California, to live with my daughter's family, including my son-in-law and three little granddaughters (1, 3, & 5 years old)."

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Thank you to the Missouri State Committee for Social Workers for hosting ASWB's 2014 Spring Education Meeting in St. Louis. The board delivered delicious celebratory

cake pops in recognition of ASWB's 35th anniversary year. Here, **TIM BROWN** of Texas and **SHARON SORRELL** of Missouri.

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**ANNA LYN WHITT** of Mississippi (left) and **LEISA ASKEW** of Alabama (right) have a friendly rivalry going that is centered on Alabama vs. Auburn. Both **LEISA** and **ANNA LYN** are vying for **MERRI-LEE HANSON** of New Brunswick (center) to cheer for their teams. **ANNA LYN** presented **MERRI-LEE** with the Alabama jersey to attempt to sway her support. **MERRI-LEE** says she brought them both maple syrup from Canada instead.



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