The 2018 Indie Memphis Youth Festival showcased a wealth of talent from CLOUD901 students. 1/3 of the 43 films were produced with the help of CLOUD901’s video lab and 4 out of 6 awards were given to CLOUD901 films, including the Grand Prize Winner, Janay Kelley’s "The Death of Hip Hop".

The Library partnered with Google to offer a full day of free workshops, connecting local business owners, entrepreneurs, and job seekers to the digital tools and new technologies available to grow businesses and enhance careers.

Nearly 1,000 customers participated in Citizenship/ESL programs like the International Festival at Cordova Library & the Independence Day Naturalization Ceremony, offering an opportunity to celebrate diverse cultures, practice different languages, and support new American citizens.

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Goal 3: Communicates in ways that move libraries from a supporting player to a leadership role that is highly valued in today's public space.

Goal 4: A platform for three overriding purposes: literacy, education accelerator, and jobs center.

Goal 5: Advances a culture of excellence in operations and outreach.