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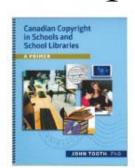
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Canadian Libraries' Response to Chapter 18 of the Trans-Pacific Partnership Agreement

The Canadian Library Association, the Canadian Association of Research Libraries, and the Canadian Urban Libraries Council have jointly prepared a statement in response to the text of the Trans-Pacific Partnership. Our associations speak on behalf of Canadian researchers, students, educators and millions of others who rely on libraries for the development, preservation, and dissemination of Canadian content.

We believe that Chapter 18 of the Trans-Pacific Partnership in its current form will have significant negative impacts on the way that knowledge is shared and culture is preserved in this country. By accepting the provisions in Chapter 18 Canada has agreed to changes in copyright that favour powerful foreign interests and ultimately constrain the preservation, access and use of Canada's historical knowledge and culture. The most troubling points are the mandatory extension of the term of copyright protection (Article 18.63), and the requirement for a fixed interpretation of digital locks (Article 18.68).

To read the full response please click here

Shipping Tool Update

As previously communicated, Canada Post has introduced a new method of payment for meter customers' to pay for parcel shipments. For libraries using the Library Materials Shipping Tool (EOE Secure), the Supplier Account is not available at this time. Please continue to use meter as a method of payment and process your item as per the current process. Further communication will be sent out once Supplier Account is active and visible in the shipping tool.

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2016 CLA Forum News



Libraries Matter. Your Voice Matters. Prepare For A Canadian Library Association Event Like No Other!

As CLA winds down and the new Canadian Federation of Library Associations starts up, the June 1-3, 2016 meeting in Ottawa will be a watershed gathering.

This will not be another conference of talking heads and uncertain outcomes. Instead, we are hosting a forum centered on a key set of library issues of national importance.

Participate with colleagues from across Canada and around the world in focused dialogues and help craft outcomes that will advance the state of libraries and the emerging Federation. In sessions designed to inform and engage, those attending will consider some of the most critical challenges facing libraries in Canada.

This is an action oriented policy and advocacy forum. You will be challenged through discussion and debate, and your contributions will advance libraries in Canada.

We will celebrate the legacy of CLA and we will stimulate a new era of engagement, focus, vitality, and impact. As a community we are embarking on a new path. Help chart the way.

Program Developments:

We are finalizing our panelists and session times but wanted to give you a sneak peak at the sessions to date:

Topic: TRC Response

Session Title: From truth to reconciliation: a discussion on the path forward

Topic: Digital Marketplace

Session Title: Delivering Content in the Digital Market: Licensing Issue or Paradigm Shift?

Topic: Intellectual Freedom

Session Title: The Promise and the Peril of Intellectual Freedom in the 21st Century

Topic: Convergence "LAM" (Libraries, Archives, Museums)

Session Title: Convergence of Libraries, Archives and Museums (LAM's) - Capitalizing on the

digital disruption. Working together to change the experience.

Topic: National Digital Strategy

Session Title: Digital Strategy and the Government of Canada

Topic: Competitive Landscapes (Value / ROI / Why Libraries)

Session Title: Competitive Landscapes: Look Around & Make Decisions

Topic: National Metrics

Session Title: National Metrics Program

Topic: Unconference: Emerging Topics

Session Title: The incubator room

Topic: LAC National Digitization Strategy

Session Title: Launch of Canada's National Heritage Digitization Strategy

Topic: Copyright / IP Information still to come

In addition to the program, we will include opportunities for networking with colleagues and the library vendor community in lunch and learn sessions as well as a newly formatted Supplier Show Case.

The forum will kick-off on Wednesday June 1st with an opening keynote at 1PM, optional network/committee meetings as well as the Innovative Technology session will run during the morning. The forum will conclude Friday June 3rd after lunch.

Rates / Accommodation / Conference at a glance / Sponsorship and Show Case information have been posted at www.CLAconference.ca.

As forum details become available, updates will be posted.

2015 conference highlights and materials will still be available.

Follow the conference discussions on twitter #claott16

Library Careers

Check out the latest career ads and find out more details by visiting CLA Library Careers Listing:

Legislative Librarian

Government of Nunavut, Iqaluit, Nunavut

Salary: \$101,495 per annum Closing date:April 15, 2016

Public Services Librarian, Science and Technology Library

University of Alberta Libraries, Edmonton, AB

Salary: Not given

Closing date: April 4, 2016

Manager of Library Services

Whitchurch-Stouffville Public Library, Stouffville, ON

Salary:\$84,361-\$102,440

Closing date: April 13, 2016

Chief Librarian

Surrey Libraries, Surrey, BC

Salary: Not given

Closing date: April 14, 2016 (or until position is filled)

Director, Branch Services and Circulation

Edmonton Public Library, Edmonton, AB

Salary: \$118,951-\$148,689 Closing date: March 27, 2016

Chief Executive Officer

Niagara Falls Public Library, Niagara Falls, ON

Salary: Not given

Closing date: April 4, 2016

Library Director

New Brunswick Public Library Service (NBPLS)/Service des bibliothèques publiques du Nouveau-Brunswick (SBPNB), Grand Falls, French, Full-time/Grand-Sault Français,

temps plein, Grand Falls/Grand-Sault, NB

Salary: Not available/Pas disponsible

Closing date: April 10, 2016

Dean of Libraries

Rhode Island School of Design, Providence, Rhode Island, USA

Salary: Not given

Closing date: April, 15, 2016

Science & Forestry Library

UNB Libraries - Science & Forestry Library, Fredericton, NB

Salary: Not given

Closing date: April 4, 2016 (or until position is filled)

Social Sciences and Humanities Librarian

Wilfrid Laurier University Library, Waterloo, ON

Salary: Not given

Closing date: March 31, 2016

Japanese Language Librarian

Asian Library, UBC Library, Vancouver BC

Salary: This is a full-time term appointment that will end on March 31, 2017

Closing date: April 4, 2016

Korean Language Librarian

Asian Library, UBC Library, Vancouver BC

Salary: This is a 0.5 FTE term appointment that will end on December 23, 2016. Salary

will be commensurate with experience and academic/professional qualifications.

Closing date: April 4, 2016

Archival Assistant - Library and Archives

Laurentian University/Université Laurentienne, Sudbury, ON

Salary:\$54,253 - \$62,077

Closing date: March 17th, 2016 at 4:30pm

Check out several more postings on **CLA Library Careers Listing**

Employers? Look to CLA for all your career ad needs! With over 16,000 page views monthly, it ranks the highest-viewed area on the CLA website. Ads range from \$225 - \$350 per month (depending on level of membership)!

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Young Canada Works

The Young Canada Works selection committee met on Thursday, February 25 and Friday, February 26. The review is complete and there will be announcements in the near future.

The Canadian Library Association wishes to acknowledge and sincerely thank Allison

Harrison (Supreme Court of Canada Library), Catherine McGoveran (University of Ottawa Library) and Katherine van der Linden (Ottawa Public Library) for their sterling service to the Young Canada Works program. Through their efforts, they have provided significant assistance in the process to provide opportunities to help young Canadians develop work skills and on-the-job experience by working in a library and information environment. For more information regarding the Young Canada Works program, please click here.

For questions regarding YCW, please contact: Jon MacDougall

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On behalf of the Canadian Library Association and the Department of Canadian Heritage, we thank you for your continued interest and support of the Young Canada Works program.

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Workshops / Webinars / Events

Copyright Challenges for the 21st Century

Twenty-first century technology has presented many challenges to traditional conceptions of copyright, and to copyright regulation itself. Part of our responsibility as information professionals is to encourage and provide the tools for digital literacy, which includes the issue of information ownership. This session will address the need for, and lack of, copyright training in primary, secondary, and post-secondary education. It will also cover some of the particular issues in libraries (public, academic, and special) that might arise due to knowledge gaps on the part of patrons and users, and how some institutions are addressing them. Recommendations will be made on how to approach copyright awareness and literacy among patrons and how libraries can ensure they are not enabling copyright infringement.

Presenter: Lisa Di Valentino

Date: Tuesday, March 29, 2016

Time: 1 PM EST

Duration: One-hour webinar

Price: \$45 for OLA members / \$55 for non-members

Continuing Education Certificate credits: 1

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Library Live & On Tour: Connecting in Surprising Places

Library Live and On Tour? is an innovative, stereotype-shattering literacy initiative developed by Fraser Valley Regional Library (British Columbia, Canada) that 'delivers the library' to people who do not know about libraries or have some obstacle to visiting them. The centrepiece is 'LiLi', a highly noticeable and surprising little vehicle with very 'unlibrary'-like enhancements. LiLi takes to the street to promote the library and literacy and to connect with marginalized and socially excluded people.

How heading into it's fourth year of operation, we will discuss the highs and lows of running such an intense outreach service and where we see the service heading in the future.

Presenters: Courtney Novotny, David Denault

Date: Thursday, March 31, 2016

Time: 2 PM EST

Duration: One-hour webinar

Price: \$45 for OLA members / \$55 for non-members

Continuing Education Certificate credits: 1

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ALCTS Web Course: Fundamentals of Preservation

Session 2: May 9 - June 3, 2016

Four-week online course that introduces participants to the principles, policies and practices of preservation in libraries and archives. It is designed to inform all staff, across divisions and departments and at all levels of responsibility. Provides tools to begin extending the useful life of library collections.

Course components:

- Preservation as a formal library function, and how it reflects and supports the institutional mission
- The primary role of preventive care, including good storage conditions, emergency planning, and careful handling of collections
- The history and manufacture of physical formats and how this impacts on preservation options
- Standard methods of care and repair, as well as reformatting options
- Challenges in preserving digital content and what the implications are for the future of scholarship

Who Should Attend?

Designed to inform all staff, across divisions and departments and at all levels of responsibility. Provides tools to begin extending the useful life of library collections.

Course Level & Prerequisites

This is a fundamentals course with no prerequisites. Course Syllabus

Instructors

- Donia Conn, Preservation Consultant for Cultural Heritage Collections
- Dawn Aveline, Preservation Officer, UCLA
- Karen O'Connell, Preservation Coordinator, Georgetown University Library
- Julie Mosbo, William and Susan Ouren Preservation Librarian, Texas A&M University Libraries
- Jacob Nadal, Executive Director, ReCAP, Princeton University Library
- Annie Peterson, Preservation Librarian, Tulane University
- Roger Smith, University of California San Diego
- Peter D. Verheyen, Syracuse University Library

Registration Fee: \$109 ALCTS Member and \$139 Non-member

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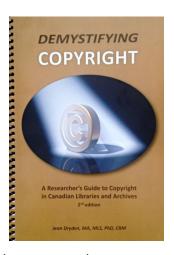
Demystifying Copyright 2nd Edition Author: Jean

Dryden Softcover

ISBN: 978-0-88802-2340-7

Sale Price: \$ 19.95 (original list price \$ 30.99)

The guide is intended to provide concise accessible information about Canadian copyright law for those who conduct research in Canadian libraries and archives in order to understand how copyright works and how to apply the rules to particular situations. The term 'researcher' includes all those who consult



the resources of libraries and archives for any purpose, whether the outcome is a dissertation, a family tree, a school project, or the answer to a question of personal interest. The librarians and archivists who serve researchers will also find it useful when responding to questions about copyright; however, the guide does not cover the administration of copyright matters in a library or archives.

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Canadian Copyright in Schools and Libraries

Author: John Tooth

Softcover

ISBN:978-0-88802-345-2

Price: \$39.95

Canadian Copyright in Schools and School Libraries addresses copyright issues that typically arise in those educational settings. The author's goal is to provide some direction to help school staff across Canada answer copyright questions in their

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Canadian Copyright in Schools and

School Libraries

daily work. This publication offers some focus for the reasonable handling of copyright issues based on legal interpretation and case law.

John Tooth is a professional librarian and educator with an MLIS from the University of Western Ontario, an MEd and PhD from the University of Winnipeg.

After a brief retirement, John accepted a position as Copyright Officer and Head of the Copyright Office for the University of Winnipeg Library beginning in October 2012. Prior to this, he was coordinator of the Instructional Resources Unit of Manitoba Education, and served as the copyright consultant for the Department and for schools for some 35 years. He now undertakes education and copyright consulting work.

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The ALA Guide to Information Sources in Insurance, Risk Management

Author: Lucy Heckman

Softcover

ISBN-13: 978-0-8389-1275-1

Price: \$ 95.00

The insurance industry is among the most highly regulated industries today, and literature on the field is a complex thicket of sources. This valuable, one-of-a-kind resource is a comprehensive guide to locating and using information resources about the insurance industry. Pointing researchers, practitioners, faculty and students of business administration, law firms, and



anybody interested in researching the insurance industry to the most relevant information, each chapter contains an annotated list of specific print and digital sources, plus explanations on how to make best use of sometimes-forbidding technical materials. Included are company directories, almanacs, databases, websites, legal resources, and industry-specific guides that cover

- All major lines of insurance, including property/casualty, life, health, and reinsurance
- Social Insurance, including Social Security, unemployment insurance, and pensions

- The insurance policy from the standpoint of practitioners, regulators, and consumers
- Insurance law and regulations
- All areas of risk management including financial, technical and intellectual property
- Actuarial science and its current applications to financial engineering
- Archival and historical material

Including an introduction defining risk management and describing its use in the insurance industry and the field of actuarial science, this resource is a must for every reference collection.

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Dewey Decimal & Library of Congress Classification

Author: Christina Neigel 176 pages, Softcover ISBN

978-0-88802-342-1

Sale Price: \$ **29.95** (original list price \$ 49.00)

Christina Neigel's much anticipated publication An Introduction to Dewey Decimal & Library of Congress Classification Systems: A

Workbook is now available for distribution. Ms. Neigel states that "this book presents and introduction to the two major North American systems of classification" providing "readers with the foundational skills to build basic classification notations and recognize their meaning and significance when using existing library records."

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The Night Gardener

Author: Jonathon Auxier

Hardcover

ISBN 978-0-670-06772-5

Price: \$ 19.95

Note: This is a signed copy by the author. Limited quantities

remain.

When orphaned Irish siblings Molly and Kip arrive to work as servants at a creepy, crumbling English manor house, they discover that the house and its inhabitants are not what they seem. Soon the siblings are confronted by a mysterious stranger and the secrets of the cursed house will change their

lives forever. This much-anticipated follow up to Jonathan Auxier's exceptional





debut, Peter Nimble and His Fantastic Eyes, is a Victorian mystery in the tradition of Washington Irving and Edgar Allan Poe. The Night Gardener is a mesmerizing read and a classic in the making.

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This One Summer

Author: Jillian Tamaki and Mariko Tamaki

Softcover

ISBN 978-1-59643-774-6

Price: \$ 18.95

Note: Limited quantities remain.

Rose and Windy are summer friends whose families have visited Awago Beach for as long as they can remember. But this year is different, and they soon find themselves tangled in teen love and family crisis. From the creators of Skim comes an investigation into the mysterious world of adults.



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Awards, Grants & Scholarships

Short-list Announced for the 2016 Amelia Frances Howard-Gibbon Illustrator's Award

The Amelia Frances Howard-Gibbon Illustrator's Award Jury of the Canadian Library Association/Association canadienne des bibliotheques, is pleased to announce the shortlist for the 2015 Amelia Frances Howard-Gibbon Illustrator's Award. This award is generously supported by Library Services Centre.

This award recognizes an illustrator of a noteworthy Canadian book, published in 2015, that appeals to children up to the age of 12 years.

The finalists for the 2016 Amelia Frances Howard-Gibbon Illustrator's Award in alphabetical order by title are:

Bug in a Vacuum illustrated by Mélanie Watt (Tundra Books)

The Bus Ride illustrated by Marianne Dubuc (Kids Can Press)

Mr. Postmouse's Rounds illustrated by Marianne Dubuc (Kids Can Press)

Oscar Lives Next Door illustrated by Marie Lafrance (Owlkids Books)

The Princess and the Pony illustrated by Kate Beaton (Arthur A. Levine Books/Scholastic)

Sidewalk Flowers illustrated by Sydney Smith (Groundwood Books)

Some Things I've Lost illustrated by Cybèle Young (Groundwood Books)
This Is Sadie illustrated by Julie Morstad (Tundra Books)
Way Back Then illustrated by Germaine Arnaktauyok (Inhabit Media)
Wild Ideas illustrated by Soyeon Kim (Owlkids Books)
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2016 Award for the Advancement of Intellectual Freedom in Canada

The Canadian Library Association is pleased to announce that Richard Beaudry and Gail Chaddock-Costello have been chosen as winners of the 2016 Award for the Advancement of Intellectual Freedom in Canada for their demonstrated leadership and exceptional courage in resisting censorship and opposing violations of intellectual freedom in school libraries and schools.

Mr. Beaudry, long-time teacher librarian in British Columbia and 1st Vice-President of the Langley Teachers' Association, and Ms. Chaddock-Costello, the Association's President, were involved in a series of formal grievances in different schools over an extended period of time against arbitrary policies, and decisions that would have severely restricted access to reading materials for students and in some cases for teachers too.

Although the results of their principled determination to support intellectual freedom principles in a school environment are felt most directly by local students and teaching staff, the courage of Ms. Chaddock-Costello and Mr. Beaudry in opposing school library censorship will serve as a model for all Canadians faced with the evolving crisis in school library services. Mr. Beaudry has said, "If you attack one library in Canada, you attack them all," and it is his and Ms. Chaddock-Costello's commitment to the broader, national perspective that is also recognized in this Award.

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Shortlist Announcement for the 2016 Young Adult Book Award

The Canadian Library Association is pleased to announce the shortlist for the 2016 Young Adult Book Award. The award is generously sponsored by Library Services Centre.

This award recognizes an author of an outstanding English-language Canadian work of fiction (novel, collection of short stories or graphic novel), published in 2015, that appeals to young adults between the ages of 13 and 18.

The winner of the award, and the Honour Books, will be announced prior to the CLA National Forum and will be presented at the Forum in Ottawa during the Book Awards luncheon on Thursday June 3rd.

The finalists for the 2016 CLA Young Adult Book Award, in alphabetical order by author, are:

Delusion Road, by Don Aker (Harper Collins)

The Masked Truth, by Kelley Armstrong (Penguin Random House)

An Inheritance of Ashes, by Leah Bobet (Scholastic Canada)

Scorpion Rules, by Erin Bow (Simon & Schuster)

Mad Miss Mimic, by Sarah Henstra (Penguin Random House)

The Truth Commission, by Susan Juby (Penguin Random House)

The Outside Circle, by Patti LaBoucane-Benson (Groundwood)

Calvin, by Martine Leavitt (Groundwood)

We are All Made of Molecules, by Susin Nielsen (Penguin Random House)

Boo, by Neil Smith (Penguin Random House)

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Shortlist Announcement of the 2016 Book of the Year for Children Award

The Canadian Library Association proudly presents the shortlist for the 2016 Book of the Year for Children Award.

This respected award honours a book published in Canada in 2015 by a Canadian author that appeals to readers aged 12 and younger. On behalf of the children of Canada, we salute the efforts and accomplishments of these writers, and thank them and their publishers for providing our children with an inspired collection of new titles. The award is generously sponsored by Library Services Centre.

We are lucky to celebrate the wealth of extraordinary children's writers in Canada with this award, and were provided with 230 titles to consider this year. After thorough reading and review, 48 were long-listed, and today we announce the 10 finalists for the 2016 CLA Book of the Year for Children Award, in alphabetical order:

The Blackthorn Key by Kevin Sands (Simon and Schuster)

Child Soldier: When Boys and Girls are used in War by Jessica Humphreys and Michael Chikwanine (Kids Can Press)

The Choice by Kathy Clarke (Second Story Press)

The First Flute by David Bouchard (Red Deer Press)

Minrs by Kevin Sylvester (Simon and Schuster)

The Nest by Kenneth Oppel (HarperCollins)

A Pocket Full of Murder by R.J. Anderson (Simon and Schuster)

Seven Dead Pirates by Linda Bailey (Tundra)

Trash Talk by Michelle Mulder (Orca)

Young Man With Camera by Emil Sher (Scholastic)

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Complete information on all CLA awards criteria and judging, prizes, nominations and applicable forms are available on the CLA website www.cla.ca or on request from the CLA office at info@cla.cla

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Network and Committee News

Voices for School Libraries The Winter 2016 edition of the online journal, School Libraries in Canada is now available. Please click here to read more.

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Community Highlights

Launch of the PERSIST digital heritage selection Guidelines

We are very pleased to announce the launch of The UNESCO/PERSIST Guidelines for the selection of digital heritage for long-term preservation!

The UNESCO PERSIST Project, an initiative of UNESCO, ICA, IFLA and other partners, for enhancing the sustainability of digital heritage, has now launched The UNESCO/PERSIST Guidelines for the selection of digital heritage for long-term preservation.

The aim of the Guidelines is to provide an overarching starting point for libraries, archives, museums and other heritage institutions when drafting their own policies on the selection of digital heritage for long-term sustainable digital preservation.

The Guidelines target institutions, professionals and administrators on every level and in every region of the world in order to review existing material for selection, highlight important issues, and offer guidance when drafting institutional policies, they were written by a team of seven authors from the libraries, archives, and museums community.

We encourage everyone to use the Guidelines as a starting point for the institutional policies. If you do use the Guidelines, we would very much appreciate any feedback you have in order to improve them and make the truly usable for all communities.

Please send your feedback to: cultural.heritage@ifla.org

Download the Guidelines: [PDF] [WORD]

Please also see the webversion.

"The Library Juice Press Handbook of Intellectual Freedom" named 2016 Eli M. Oboler Award winner

The Intellectual Freedom Round Table has announced the winner of the 2016 Eli M.

Oboler Memorial Award, which recognizes the best published work in the area of intellectual freedom. The 2016 award goes to The Library Juice Press Handbook of Intellectual Freedom, edited by Mark Alfino and Laura Koltutsky. The publisher is the Library Juice Press.

In recognizing The Library Juice Press Handbook of Intellectual Freedom, the Oboler Award selection committee said it believed that the book was an enormous contribution to the existing literature and indispensable to a thorough discussion of the subject of intellectual freedom. The book looks at intellectual freedom from a wider range of theoretical perspectives and in connection with a wider range of cultural topics, under the premise that "thought and action about intellectual freedom needs to be informed by a broader and more complex range of topics and theoretical reflection than it typically has been."

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Libraries and Science Odyssey - How can libraries help?

Science Odyssey week held from May 6 to 15, 2016 is an excellent opportunity for libraries to capitalize on the momentum and attention of this national event, contribute to the celebration of science, and help create public awareness of Canadian achievements in science, technology, engineering and mathematics.

We would like to encourage libraries to promote Science Odyssey through various channels, such as setting up displays related to science, technology, engineering or mathematics during the event or even organizing activities at their various locations.

Also, we encourage libraries to bring forward activities that they may already have planned during this time period or, if possible, to align the dates of their upcoming activities with the dates of Science Odyssey, in order to create greater and stronger impact in fostering a strong science culture in Canada. Libraries can easily submit activities with the online submission form so they can be added to the list of activities on the Science Odyssey website.

For additional information, please refer to the <u>Science Odyssey website</u>

Concordia University Libraries' 14th Annual Research Forum

Registration is now open for Concordia University Libraries' 14th Annual Research Forum, in the beautiful city of Montreal. This year's Research Forum will be held on Friday, April 29th, 2016, 9:00am to 4:30pm at the Loyola Jesuit Hall and Conference Centre. Registration is free and includes a light breakfast and lunch. To register please click here.

Our preliminary program for the day can be found <u>here</u>

National Trust for Canada Awards: Call for Nominations

The National Awards Program recognizes individuals, organizations, corporations and

rehabilitation projects that give new life to Canada's historic places. National Trust awards are presented at a ceremony held in conjunction with our annual conference. Selections are made by independent juries whose members represent, on a broad basis, the regions of Canada, the various disciplines relating to heritage conservation, and the voluntary heritage movement.

Leadership Awards

- * Prince of Wales Prize for Municipal Heritage Leadership submissions deadline is March 24, 2016.
- * Gabrielle Léger Medal for Lifetime Achievement submissions deadline is April 29, 2016.
- * Lieutenant Governor's Award for Heritage Conservation submissions deadline is April 29, 2016.

Ecclesiastical Insurance Cornerstone Awards - submissions deadline is April 29, 2016.

- * Adaptive Use/Rehabilitation
- * Infill

For information on nominations and submissions click here

Awards recipients will be honoured at our National Awards Ceremony held during the National Trust Conference in Hamilton, Ontario on Friday, October 21.

Peter Lang expands distribution in Canada

Peter Lang Academic Publishing Group has signed an agreement with University of Toronto Press Distribution (UTP) to make its new & backlist titles available to Canadian retailers as from March 2016. UTP's clients, based in all regions of Canada, include retailers specializing in scholarly, general and literary trade, children's, and educational titles. In the past, Peter Lang books were distributed via the group's own distribution center in Switzerland. As exclusive distributor in Canada, with access to the complete Peter Lang publishing list of 55,000 titles and over 5,000 titles already in stock, UTP greatly simplifies the purchase process for Canadian retailers and guarantees quick availability of Peter Lang books. University of Toronto Press is the largest distributor of scholarly books in Canada. Read More

2017 Griffin Poetry Prize Deadline Reminder

This is a reminder that the first of two deadlines for the C\$200,000 2017 Griffin Poetry Prize is June 30, 2016. Books must be submitted postmarked no later than June 30, 2016 for books published between January 1st and June 30, 2016.

Please remember to complete all necessary customs/duties paperwork when shipping your entries. For information on updates to the Griffin Poetry Prize submission deadlines, click here to read our recent announcement. If you have any questions regarding the rules, or would like to download an entry form, please visit our web site, at: www.griffinpoetryprize.com

Managing Human Resources in the library and information context: How do we want to work tomorrow?

The Marketing & Management Section and the Law Libraries Section of IFLA, in collaboration with ASTED, invite you to a two-day satellite meeting on August 10-11, 2016, taking place at the University of Toronto, for conversations relating to library human resource management in the 21st century.

The library environment is currently undergoing profound changes driven by a variety of factors, including, technological, economic, socio-political, and educational developments. At the heart of these changes we find our most valuable resource, the personnel working in libraries. Human resource management is therefore at the forefront of many complex issues and opportunities, which need to be understood, debated, and deliberated upon, in order to strengthen our organizations and to find new and dynamic solutions to problems currently facing libraries. We invite you to engage in a rich exchange of ideas on innovative and forward looking approaches to library human resource management initiatives, programs, issues, and policies.

Keynote Speaker: Guy Berthiaume, Librarian and Archivist of Canada

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News From the Community

Call for Proposals are constantly updated and arranged in order of due date.

IFLA Annual Congress - Calls for Papers for the Open Sessions and Satellite Sessions The content of the IFLA Conference Program is organized by different professional groups (Sections, Core Programs and Special Interest Groups). Calls for papers will be submitted through these groups and made available on the IFLA call for paper webpage. There are over 60 topics available in the various calls with various due dates. Please visit the IFLA Call for Papers section for more information. Read More

De Gruyter Saur/IFLA Research Paper Award 2016

We are glad to inform you the partnership between IFLA and the publisher De Gruyter Saur. Together, we have launched a call for applications for the De Gruyter Saur / IFLA Research Paper Award 2016. The award selection panel is comprised of members of the IFLA Library Theory and Research Section.

Topic: Digital Libraries: Knowledge creation and sharing

Don't miss the deadline! 31 March 2016

More information here: www.ifla.org/node/10252

2016 Library of Congress Literacy Awards

The Library of Congress Center for the Book is pleased to announce that applications are now being accepted for the 2016 Library of Congress Literacy Awards. These awards are given to outstanding organizations working to promote literacy, both in the United States and worldwide. The awards seek to recognize organizations doing exemplary, innovative and replicable work over a sustained period of time and to encourage new groups, organizations and individuals to become involved. All groups that work to promote literacy are encouraged to apply. Applications from groups that have applied before are welcome. Applications must be received no later than midnight on March 31, 2016. The application rules and a downloadable application form may be accessed here

MLA Field Bibliography Fellowships

The MLA International Bibliography invites applications for field bibliography fellowships. Field bibliographers examine scholarly materials and send citations and indexing information to the MLA office for inclusion in the bibliography. Fellowships are for a three-year period, beginning 1 July 2016, and ending 30 June 2019; five to ten fellowships will be awarded annually. The MLA seeks scholars of any level of seniority interested in training as field bibliography fellows and able to deliver 100 citations each year. This opportunity is open to potential as well as existing field bibliographers. The MLA will provide materials and training meetings at the annual convention. Fellows attending training sessions will have their conference registration fees waived. On completion of the fellowship, they will receive a stipend of \$500 and a certificate at the MLA Convention awards ceremony. It is hoped that recipients of these fellowships will continue submitting citations throughout their careers.

The deadline for application is April 1, 2016.

The basic criteria for application are:

- 1. MLA membership
- 2. MA or Ph.D. in a relevant field
- 3. Access to scholarly material for indexing

To apply, please send a letter of request including qualifications and reasons for application to the fellowship, and a current resume or c.v. Materials or questions may be addressed to: Helen Slavin, MLA International Bibliography, 26 Broadway, 3rd floor, New York, NY 10004-1789

Or hslavin@mla.org

IFLA Green Library Award 2016

According to the Online Dictionary for Library and Information Science (ODLIS), Green Libraries are "designed to minimize negative impact on the natural environment and maximize indoor environmental quality by means of careful site selection, use of natural

construction materials and biodegradable products, conservation of resources (water, energy, paper), and responsible waste disposal (recycling, etc.)"

They also focus on related services, activities, events, literature and projects, demonstrating the social role and responsibility of libraries as leaders in environmental sustainability.

Any outstanding Green Library project, initiative or idea may apply for the IFLA Green Library Award.

To read more on guidelines and instructions for submission <u>click here</u> Applications due April 1, 2016

Call for submissions: IFLA LIS Student Paper Award 2016

The IFLA Education & Training Section (SET) has the pleasure to announce the 8th IFLA LIS Student Paper Award for 2016.

The IFLA LIS Student Paper Award honours students of Library and Information Science whose abstract submissions have been accepted by any IFLA Section or Unit to be presented at the upcoming IFLA World Library and Information Congress 82nd IFLA General Conference and Assembly, 13-19 August, 2016 in Columbus, Ohio, USA.

Each year, three finalists are recognized for their outstanding achievements. One winner is selected from the three finalists.

Students must first follow one of the deadlines of any <u>IFLA Section Call for Papers</u>. Once the paper is accepted for presentation by any IFLA Section at the World Congress (not a satellite conference), you may then send your full paper to SET to apply for the award not later than 15 April 2016. <u>Read More</u>

Special week in Panama, April 18 to 22, 2016

IFLA LAC Standing Committee, MLAS Standing Committee and IFLA BSLA Program are pleasure to invite you to participate in our special week in Panama (from April 18th to 22th, 2016) with two events:

- (1) Scientific International Seminar "Transforming LAC region through libraries" 04.18.2016
- (2) IFLA LAC Standing Committee Midterm Meeting 04.19.2016
- (3) IFLA MLAS Standing Committee Midterm Meeting 04.19.2016
- (4) Building Strong Libraries Association (BSLA) Workshop 20 to 04.21.2015 Read More

FRBR-Library Reference Model Comments Wanted

You are invited to comment on FRBR-LRM as part of a world-wide review.

The FRBR-Library Reference Model was developed in response to the need to unify the three separately developed conceptual models (FRBR, FRAD, FRSAD) and consolidate them into a single, consistent model covering all aspects of bibliographic data. FRBR-LRM

aims to be a high-level conceptual reference model developed within an entity-relationship modelling framework. The FRBR Review Group worked actively towards a consolidated model starting in 2010. In 2013, the FRBR Review Group constituted a Consolidation Editorial Group (CEG) which is responsible for the drafting of this model document. Comments are due by May 1, 2016. Read More

BookNet Canada Promoting the State of Digital Publishing 2015

BookNet Canada is pleased to announce the third year of its research to determine the size and scope of the digital publishing market in Canada.

This survey is being circulated to Canadian publishers, asking about details such as:

- Number of ebook titles in circulation
- Percentage of ebook titles by genre
- Percentage of publisher revenue derived from ebook sales
- Digital production processes
- ...and more!

By surveying publishers directly, we will be able to collate data from various sectors of the publishing industry. We are interested in hearing from publishers across all sectors, regardless of the size of your digital publishing program. All responses will remain entirely anonymous.

To thank you for your participation, anyone who completes the survey will receive an advance copy of the final report, The State of Digital Publishing in Canada 2015. You can take a look at the 2013 and 2014 reports here.

To complete the survey, click here

Call for Papers: IFLA Journal special issue on Research Data Services

IFLA Journal invites papers for a special issue focused on research data services and libraries across all continents. The issue will be published in October 2016 as Volume 42:3. In particular, the main goal of the special issue is to gather the latest theory, research, and state-of-the-art practices from libraries that are informing and innovating effective data services.

IFLA Journal is hosted on ScholarOne™ Manuscripts, a web based online submission and peer review system SAGE Track. Please read the <u>Manuscript Submission guidelines</u>, and then simply visit the IFLA Journal Manuscript submission webpage to login and submit your article online. Submissions due May 16, 2016 <u>Read More</u>