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Hot Off the Press

President DeYoung Interviewed on Canada AM

President Marie DeYoung was recently interviewed on CTV AM about exciting Public Library developments including the new Halifax and Calgary Public Library Headquarters currently being built. View the interview here.

Library Research Institute: Evidence Based Research for Library Practice

Kudos to CLA member Kimberly Silk who has just launched the Library Research Institute: Evidence Based Research for Public Libraries (LRI). The LRI is a curated, web-based repository of research relevant to public, academic, government and special libraries. To date, over 30 articles and studies have been added to the LRI, categorized by library type, and more are coming.
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Library Journal and School Library Journal Annual Online Conference

Now in its 5th year, *The Digital Shift: Libraries @ the Center* virtual conference will focus the attention of library professionals on libraries' central role in the transformation

of our culture from analog experiences to digital experiences.

Participants will engage in a dynamic day-long conversation about our shared digital future.We'll examine how libraries drive change like no other institution, reaching classrooms and communities around the globe, and will provide actionable answers to some of the biggest questions our profession faces...

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New Hold Lockers at Ottawa Public Library Kiosk Exceed Customers' Expectations

Ottawa - In the first week of operations, Ottawa Public Library (OPL) customers have shown their satisfaction with the new holds lockers at the Hunt Club-Riverside Park Community Centre (HCRPCC) Kiosk. In total, 86% of the available holds were picked up within five days.

On August 18, OPL launched the first holds pick-up lockers in Ontario, in an effort to increase customer service at the Kiosk location. These new hold lockers allow customers to request items from the Library catalogue and select the Kiosk as the pick-up location to retrieve their items seven days a week, during HCRPCC opening hours. Before the hold lockers were implemented, customers could only pick up their holds during two set times per week.

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Collaborate with Your Colleagues at the Library 2.014 Conference

With six subject strands covering numerous possible topics, you're bound to find something to speak about at the Library 2.014 Worldwide Virtual Conference. Scheduled for October 8 and 9, 2014, the entirely online conference on the future of libraries in a digital world is a collaborative event and everyone is encouraged to submit a presentation proposal.

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2015 CLA Conference & Trade Show

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Ottawa, Ontario
Ottawa Convention Centre
June 3 to 6, 2015

Awards

2014 Scotiabank Giller Prize Longlist to be Announced in Montreal

Now in its 21st year, the Scotiabank Giller Prize 2014 longlist will be unveiled at McGill University on September 16th at 10:30 a.m. EST. There will also be an important announcement about the future of the Scotiabank Giller Prize. Read More>>

Workshops and Webinars

Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities workshops

The CSAE Trillium Chapter has secured funding from the Accessibility Directorate of Ontario of the Ministry of Economic Development, Trade and Employment via its EnAbling Change Partnership Program to help Ontario-based not-for-profit organizations and their product and services suppliers comply with the Accessibility for Ontarians with Disabilities Act, 2005 and the accessibility standards.

A series of workshops and webinars has been organized that will be of interest to Ontario CLA members
The objective of these workshops and webinars is to provide you with the knowledge, skills, abilities and practice to satisfy the compliance requirements specific to your particular organization. Participants will be provided with the information, tools and resources required to enable your organization to comply with this legislation in a timely and cost-effective manner. **The early registration fee for the workshop is $50.** Each workshop will have the same information, so please choose the one that is most convenient for you. Please click on these links to view dates and registration

information:

Workshops

- [October 7 - Toronto](#)
- [October 15 - Ottawa](#)
- November 24 - Markham (Registration not yet open)
- November 26 - Kingston (Registration not yet open)
- [January 15, 2015 - Oakville](#)
- January 20, 2015 - Toronto (Registration not yet open)
- [January 21, 2015 - Ottawa](#)
- [February 4, 2015 - Kitchener](#)
- [March 6, 2015 - Ottawa](#)

Webinars (1.5 Hours)

- [September 18](#)
- [October 2](#)

If you have any questions regarding the workshops or webinars please contact the Project Coordinator, Paulette Vinette, CAE at 905.469.8541 or email **paulette@solutionstudioinc.com**.

Augustana Information Literacy Workshop

Building Capacity for Information Literacy Through Wisdom, Courage, and Humor

When: Wednesday, December 3 (optional information literacy consultations with presenter, Mary MacDonald, professor and Head of Instructional Services at the University Libraries, University of Rhode Island in Kingston, Rhode Island; and an evening workshop dinner) and Thursday, December 4, 2014 (presentation)

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Coming Up @ Education Institute

Fall is here and it's back to school at the Education Institute! Browse [our full calendar](#) of sessions to see what's on the syllabus.

Follow us on Twitter for course announcements, reminders and last-minute additions: [@EdInstitute](#)

Tuesday, September 16, 2014 @ 12 pm ET
[From Standards to Framework: Understanding](#)

the New ACRL IL Framework

Thursday, September 18 @ 12 pm ET
Doing Social Media So It Matters

Tuesday, September 23, 2014 @ 2 pm ET
Accessible E-books from Bookshare and CELA

Tuesday, September 30, 2014 @ 2 pm ET
Data Literacy for Libraries

The Writers' Union of Canada, Publishing 2.0 - Tips and Traps Workshop

Time is running out to register for the **Publishing 2.0 - Tips and Traps** workshop in **Saskatoon,** and **Edmonton.**

Whether you are an aspiring, emerging, or an established writer, the ever-changing publishing landscape can be daunting. If you need to learn or brush up on the skills to succeed in today's publishing landscape, the traditional and/or self-publishing route, then this full-day workshop is for you.

Authors **Mary W. Walters** and **Caroline Adderson**, along with author and executive director of The Writers' Union of Canada , **John Degen** will cover topics such as working with agents and editors, keys to successful submissions, crowd sourcing, contract terms, royalty rates, copyright, managing your digital rights, design work, distribution, and promotion.

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Letting Go of Legacy Services: Library Case Studies

Mary Evangeliste and Katherine Furlong
176 pages 7" x
10" Softcover
ISBN-13: 978-0-8389-1220-1
Year Published: 2014
Members: $60
Non-Members: $66

(CLA order # 12201)
Order here

Library Careers

Employers? Ads range from $175 - $300 per month (depending on level of membership)! Job Seekers? Free to access and apply!

Check out this week's career ads:

Data/Geographic Information Systems (GIS) Librarian
Koerner Library, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, British Columbia

Head, Special Collections & Archives
University of Waterloo Library, Waterloo, Ontario

Librarian - Bibliographic Description and Integrated Library System Support (Revised)
Ottawa Public Library, Ottawa, Ontario

Acting Reference Librarian, Internship, Casual Opportunity
Moncton Public Library, Moncton, New Brunswick

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People

Appointment: Jessica Gallinger

The University Library at the University of Saskatchewan is pleased to announce the appointment of Jessica Gallinger as Social Sciences Librarian. A graduate from the U of T, Jessica most recently worked with the Ontario Council of University Libraries in their Data Management Services area, and with the Map & Data Library at the
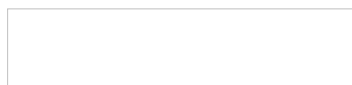
University of Toronto.

Obituary: Chih-Pien Chen

Ms. Chen died unexpectedly on Tuesday, August 19, 2014, at St. Michael's Hospital in Toronto following a recently diagnosed illness. A service to celebrate her life was held in Toronto on Thursday, August 28, 2014. She was a much beloved daughter, sister, and aunt, and a dedicated librarian at Toronto Public Library.

Featured CLA Corporate Member

The University of Alberta library system now has one of the largest research libraries systems in North America. As of 2012, according to the Association of Research Libraries, the library system is rated 11th in North America and is the second-largest, by number of volumes held, among all Canadian universities, after the University of Toronto Library. With over 10.6 million items combined with online access to more than one million electronic books and more than 1,500 electronic databases, the library system ranks first in Canada in terms of the number of volumes per student.
(Source: http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/University_of_Alberta)

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