

# CLA Digest

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## Hot Off the Press

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## News from CLA Units

Please send your news items by Wednesday, prior to the CLA Digest's Friday publishing date. To view the 2012 Digest schedule click [here](#). Email: [jgreen@cla.ca](mailto:jgreen@cla.ca)

## People

Do you have any exciting updates in your workplace? Appointments?

## Hot Off the Press

### 1. Canadian Library Month 2012

*October is fast approaching...*

CLA has posters and bookmarks ready to mail to libraries for Canadian Library Month 2012.

Go to the [CLM](#) website for 2012 resources including the press release, declaration, backgrounder and ideas to help prepare your library for this year's celebration.

Join the new [Facebook page!](#)

Get your materials early for CLM 2012 by emailing [info@cla.ca](mailto:info@cla.ca)

\* Quantities are limited: 10 posters and 200 bookmarks per library.

### 2. New Membership Fee Structure begins in January 2013

CLA Members approved a new fee structure at the Annual General Meeting in Ottawa in June 2012. This structure includes new fees for Institutional members, and introduces two new categories of members: Corporate and Associate members. There are no changes to the current fee and benefit structure for Personal members. The additional revenue generated from this new fee structure will give CLA the resources needed to expand direct services to all categories of members; but more importantly, it will enable the organization to continue to advocate with the federal government on behalf of Canadian libraries on issues such as the cuts to the Community Access Program, the importance of school libraries, and the impact on libraries of proposed legislation affecting information policies.

[Read more >>](#)

### 3. IFLA Congress 2012 Highlights

One of the largest delegations of Canadians in recent years headed to Helsinki, Finland, for the 78th IFLA Congress. More than 110 Canadians were registered to attend the 5-day event. It was a busy week full of business meetings, sessions, plenary speakers, visits to the exhibit hall, and evening social events. CLA and ASTED co-hosted the Canadian caucus meeting, which included updates on IFLA activities from President Ingrid Parent and from Paul Whitney, member of the IFLA Governing Board.

Our Finnish hosts treated us to a fantastic conference. The Opening

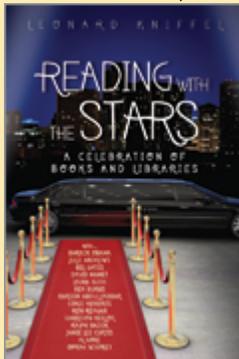
Retirements? Share your news with CLA and your fellow members by emailing [info@cla.ca](mailto:info@cla.ca).

### Shop CLA

This week's ALA featured publication:

#### [Reading with the Stars: A Celebration of Books and Libraries](#)

Edited by Leonard Kniffel  
Publisher: ALA Editions  
Member Price: \$19.75



168 pages  
5.5" x 8.25"  
Hardcover  
ISBN-13: 978-0-8389-3598-9  
Year Published: 2011

### 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:

[Liaison / Scholarly Communication Librarian](#)

Brock University  
St. Catharines, Ontario

[3 Tenure-Track Librarians / trois postes de bibliothécaire menant à la](#)

Ceremony included wonderful Finnish musicians, and a moving [keynote speech](#) by [Professor Helena Ranta](#), a forensic dentist who has performed investigations of international conflicts.

IFLA President Ingrid Parent was very visible throughout the conference, attending to official duties and finding opportunities to engage with all delegates. Her key presentations included the [opening address](#) at the Opening Ceremony and the President's Theme Session entitled "[Libraries for today and tomorrow: a force for change in our transforming societies?](#)". At this conference, IFLA launched an [International Leaders Programme](#) and presented the [reports from the first six countries](#) engaged in the [Building Strong Library Associations programme](#).

IFLA [honours and awards](#) were presented at the closing session. IFLA's highest recognition, that of Honorary Fellow, was presented to Ellen Tise, in recognition of her leadership at the national, regional and international levels for IFLA and African librarianship, and to Winston Tabb, in recognition of his outstanding achievements within his service to IFLA and which have brought distinction to IFLA in the international arena, particularly in his leadership on international copyright matters. The hosts for the [2013 IFLA Congress](#) extended a warm welcome to all delegates to come to Singapore next year. And the site of the 2014 IFLA Congress was announced: Lyon, France! [Videos from selected conference](#) sessions as well as [reports on many of the sessions and activities](#) are available for viewing on the IFLA website.

#### 4. Young Canada Works 2012-13

The Canadian Library Association, in partnership with Canadian Heritage, was pleased to help create summer employment and internships for youth across Canada this summer through the Young Canada Works program.

The CLA delivers two programs. The YCW in Heritage Organizations program helps organizations create summer jobs, ranging from 6 to 16 weeks. The YCW at Building Careers in Heritage program helps organizations create internships for recent graduates, ranging from 4 to 12 months.

This year, the CLA was able to help create 112 summer jobs and 4 internships. These opportunities have provided young people from across the country a chance to gain valuable work experience and develop practical work skills.

A full list of this year's YCW projects is available on the CLA website. If you are interested in applying to the 2012-2013 programs, please note that the applications will be available on the YCW website in December 2012.

For more information visit the YCW website at [www.youngcanadaworks.ca](http://www.youngcanadaworks.ca), or contact the CLA at [ycw@cla.ca](mailto:ycw@cla.ca)

#### 5. Changing Children's Lives One Book at a Time

Indigo Adopt a School, 2012

Every autumn, for three weeks, the Indigo Adopt a School program unites Indigo employees, customers and communities in raising money to rejuvenate elementary-school libraries across Canada with new books for children. Since launching in 2009, we've put more than 80,000 books into the hands of

[permanence](#)  
Concordia University  
Montreal, Quebec

[Manager: Branch Services](#)  
Lethbridge Public Library  
Lethbridge, AB

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.

#### Did You Know...

there are some special International days you may want to remember?

- [September 8th: Building peace, International Day of Literacy](#)
- [October 2012: World Teacher's Day](#)



children at 459 schools.  
[Read more >>](#)

#### 6. 3D Printing and Scanning at the Dalhousie Libraries

In April of this year, the Dalhousie Libraries in Halifax, Nova Scotia became the first academic library in Canada to offer [3D printing and 3D scanning services campus wide](#), purchasing both a MakerBot Replicator 3D printer and a NextEngine 3D scanner. Over the summer they have been gathering statistics on how these technologies have been used and who has been using them. They will be presenting this information in October at the upcoming CLA Access conference in Montreal.

The Dalhousie Libraries are now currently at work developing an open-access repository of 3D models that will be stored and preserved on the DalSpace servers. Using the NextEngine 3D scanner, they've turned a number of artifacts from local museums and art galleries into 3D models that will soon be made publicly available online for anyone to view or replicate with a 3D printer.

For more information on this project contact Michael Groenendyk at [mike.groenendyk@dal.ca](mailto:mike.groenendyk@dal.ca)

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#### CLA Webinars

##### **Mother Said There'd Be Days Like These: Dealing Professionally & Elegantly With the Unforeseen at Work**

In any workplace, routine will be interrupted by events arising from internal or external developments. The best laid plans are suddenly out the window – but must be caught up once a crisis is dealt with. Clients' and colleagues' needs must be attended to – within reason. Split second decision making, poise, and calm are called for. Ulla de Stricker offers straightforward tips and guidelines for negotiating these challenges with professional and personal responsibility balanced by respect for ourselves. Attendees will hear about

- Strategies for creating “room for the unforeseen”
- What constitutes a true emergency (vs. poor planning)
- Ways to focus on solutions (vs. blame)
- Strategies for capturing the learning from a challenging situation (for others and for ourselves)

Date: 17 September  
Time: 2 pm EDT  
Speaker: Ulla de Stricker

To register:  
[CLA Webinar Registration Form - Sept 17, 2012](#)

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## News from CLA Units

### **CLA Announces a New Network**

The Education Librarians Information Sharing Network (ELISN) has been approved.

[Read more about ELISN >>](#)

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## People

### ***Appointment: University of Saskatchewan***

The University Library at the University of Saskatchewan is pleased to announce 3 recent appointments:

- Tony Murphy, term Humanities Liaison Librarian. Tony is a recent graduate (2011) from San Jose State University
- Tasha Maddison, term Science Liaison Librarian. Tasha is a recent graduate (2012) from Wayne State University, and was previously the Branch Supervisor for the Engineering Library
- Gary Pon, term Law Liaison Librarian. Gary's most recent work experience was with Canadian Pacific in Calgary

### ***Appointment - Grant MacEwan University***

Jane Duffy has been named Grant MacEwan University's new Dean of Libraries

Throughout her long and distinguished career, Jane's primary focus has been on leading and managing academic information service innovation, while keeping the Library squarely at the heart of traditional and emerging University teaching, learning and research activities.

Jane is currently the Dean of Libraries at the University of Winnipeg (2009-present). Prior to that, she was the Associate University Librarian at Dalhousie University (2004-2009). Jane has also held positions at Ohio State University (2000-2004) as Head of Access Services at the Science and Engineering Library, and at the University of Manitoba (1998-2000) as a branch library head.

Jane holds a Bachelor of Arts in Christianity and Culture from the University of Toronto, as well as Master of Arts in Religion and Culture from Wilfrid Laurier University. She received her Master of Library Science from the University of Toronto. Jane has written widely on the subjects of the electronic media and the Library and the changing nature and role of university libraries. A very active member of the American Library Association, Board member of the Council of Prairie and Pacific University Librarians, and Vice Chair of the Manitoba Library Consortium, Jane has maintained and developed fruitful

library partnerships at both the local and national levels.

Reporting to the Provost and Executive Vice President Academic, Jane will assume her new position with MacEwan on October 1, 2012. In the interim, Debbie McGugan will continue to serve in an acting capacity

**Appointment: Université de Montréal**

The Université de Montréal's school of library and information studies (École de bibliothéconomie et des sciences de l'information – EBSI) is pleased to welcome Dr. Nadine Desrochers.

Dr. Desrochers holds a BA with a major in French literature and a minor in theatre (1993) as well as a PhD in French literature (2001) from the University of Ottawa. Her dissertation is entitled *Le récit dans le théâtre contemporain* (Narration in Contemporary Theatre). Dr. Desrochers also obtained an MLIS from Western University in 2011.

Dr. Desrochers has held positions as a literary advisor at the Centre des auteurs dramatiques (CEAD) and as an assistant community librarian (Okanagan Regional Library, Kelowna, CB). She is also a practising translator. She specializes in drama and her translations have been read or produced in Montreal, New York, and Barcelona.

Prior to joining EBSI as a full-time faculty member, Dr. Desrochers designed and taught an online course on reading, the book, and the publishing industry (*SCI6344 La lecture, le livre et l'édition*) at the school; she was also an adjunct assistant professor at the Faculty of Information and Media Studies, Western University.

Her current research interests include digital collections, collection development, readers' advisory, and information behaviours.

She joined the faculty as an assistant professor (*professeure adjointe*) on July 16, 2012.

**Announcement: ÉSIS has moved**

The uOttawa School of Information Studies has moved to a new location. As of 20 August 2012, the ÉSIS offices can be found in the Desmarais Building, 55 Laurier Ave E, 11th floor, in Ottawa.

**CLA Welcomes the Following New Members**

**Institutional Members**

Waterloo Region District School Board, Kitchener, ON  
Cariboo Regional District Library, Williams Lake, BC



**Personal Members**

Travis Kinnear, Moose Creek, ON  
James Rout, Vancouver, BC

**Student Members**

Kaitlyn Greer, Prince George, BC  
Grant Hurley, Vancouver, BC  
Adrian Konrad, Toronto, ON  
Julie Reay, Hanover, ON