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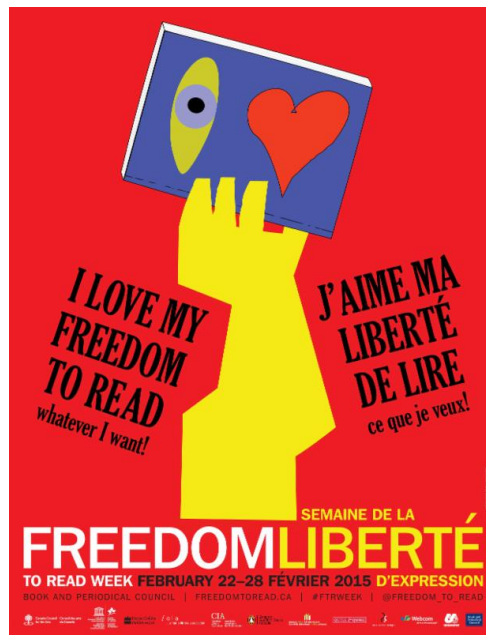
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News From CLA

The CLA Code of Conduct Task Group has begun meeting and we are seeking your input. The basic mandate of the Group is to:

1. develop a code of conduct for the CLA conference and other CLA events;
2. make recommendations to Executive Council regarding application of the code of conduct.

The members of the Group are: Nancy E. Black, Gillian Byrne, Gerry Burger-Martindale, Donna Presz, and Mike Ridley.

At our initial meeting we discussed core professional and ethical principles and agreed that a code developed as a result of this process should be: concise, clear, actionable, respectful of differences, positive, and proactive, and should complement and align with existing organization policies and position statements (in particular the CLA Statement on Intellectual Freedom).

We reviewed a number of existing codes (e.g. ALA, OLA, AdaCamp) as well as procedure documents such as that created by OLA. We believe two documents are necessary: a document that describes expectations for respectful, professional conduct and a document that outlines procedures for resolution. Should a problem arise, the code should provide an informal means of resolution avoiding the need to move towards a more formal process.

Other issues discussed, although no decisions taken, include the possible need for exceptions to the policy (the AdaCamp policy described this), the importance of due process in formal complaints, respecting confidentiality, and clear definitions. We are aware that many organizations in recent years have developed codes and we will seek out their experiences.

The Group would like to see the Code become a visible feature of CLA sanctioned events and component of communications with speakers and participants as soon as possible. As a result we are working towards an approved Code for the June CLA conference in Ottawa. Our timeline is short:

Late February: initial consultation with members

April: draft to CLA Executive Council and members for comments

May: recommended code and procedures for approval by CLA Executive Council

We seek your experiences/input with codes of conduct and or issues regarding behaviour

at conferences. The Task Group is interested in receiving your comments regarding the Code of Conduct. We are especially interested in principles, specific language or procedures that in your experience are important or effective.

Please send this to Mike Ridley, Chair, Code of Conduct Task Group (mridley@uoguelph.ca).

Canadian Library Association: List Serv

The following notice is to advise those registered as members on the CLA list serv and Students list serv that the current forum provider has phased out this service and it is no longer available. CLA is considering alternative options in order to continue to provide our members with a forum to discuss library community matters.

Once the new forum is in place, we will advise the membership of its availability and code of conduct. In the meantime, should you be members of the LinkedIn group or Facebook group we encourage you to interact there.

[LinkedIn](#)

[Facebook](#)

Questions can be directed to:

Geraldine Hyland

CLA Member Services Manager

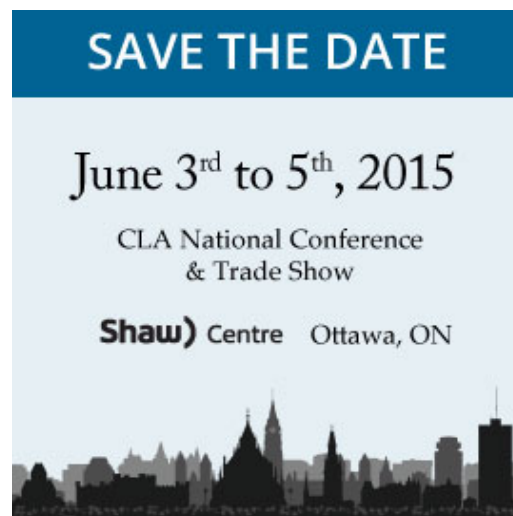
ghyland@cla.ca or 613-232-9625 ext. 301

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2015 CLA National Conference News

Seeking Partners for the 2015 CLA National Conference & Trade Show

The CLA is fortunate to have long standing support from the community and we value your contributions as partners. As so, we have designed five new partnership opportunities to ensure a high level of recognition for your company's support of the National Conference



& Trade Show as well as throughout the year.

We invite you to take a look at the offerings and welcome the opportunity to work with you.

- More networking time in the trade show
- Sponsorship now includes a booth or table top in the trade show hall
- Revised trade show hours

Wednesday June 3rd

Opening Reception at the Trade Show:

6:00 pm - 7:30 pm

Friday June 5th

Trade Show Open: 10:30 am - 3:00 pm

AM Networking Break: 10:30 am - 11:00

am

Thursday June 4th

Trade Show Open: 10:30 am - 3:00 pm

Poster Presentations: 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

AM Networking Break: 10:30 am - 11:00 pm

Lunch Buffet: 12:00 pm - 1:30 pm

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PM Networking Break: 2:30 pm - 3:00 pm

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For further information and details please follow the link below.

[Sponsorship & Trade Show](#)

[Conference Information](#) (more details will be added as information becomes available)

CLA - Call for Posters

The 2015 Conference Planning Committee invites you to submit poster proposals for the 70th CLA National Conference and Trade Show. We welcome poster proposals from individuals and organizations interested in libraries and the information community, including public libraries, school libraries, college and university libraries of all sizes, special libraries, cultural institutions, government and the vendor community.

What is a Poster Session?

This is a forum for individual or groups from the Library Community to highlight their libraries, organizations or associations and to share their successful ideas with colleagues by presenting a research study, a practical problem-solving effort or an innovative library program. Poster sessions are displayed on poster boards (4' x 8'). Pictures, graphs, data and text are used to illustrate the presentation. Poster presentations provide other conference participants an opportunity to quickly and easily become acquainted with your topic. An effective poster presentation highlights, with visual display, the main points or components of your topic. Poster Sessions can cover any project or program. It is also a great opportunity to present yourself and your research in a favorable light, to make contacts, and get useful feedback. It is important to communicate your message quickly and succinctly as there will be considerable competition for the audience's time.

Young Canada Works

Young Canada Works (YCW) summer student and graduate internship programs for 2015-2016

The Canadian Library Association, in partnership with the Department of Canadian Heritage, is pleased to announce the closure of applications for the 2015-2016 fiscal year. This year, we received applications from 130 Library and heritage organizations for 140 different positions as well as 11 requests for internships.

In an effort to preserve and promote the heritage sector in Canada, the Canadian Library Association in partnership with the Department of Canadian Heritage assisted in the creation of 109 summer positions and 4 internship positions (in 2014) such as, Reading Club Coordinators, Library Assistants, Digitalization Assistants, Program Coordinators and Special Collection Internships, among many others from all ends of the country.

Because of your continued interested and unwavering support, again this year, young Canadians, from coast to coast to coast will be able to benefit from the opportunity to engage in world-class employment, and develop and retain a wide range of skills and resources to further them when they enter the job market, while at the same time allowing them to earn money to further finance their post-secondary education.

Applications for both YCW in Heritage Organizations (summer jobs) and YCW Building Careers in Heritage (internships) have now closed. For general information:

www.youngcanadaworks.gc.ca

Should you have any further questions regarding next-steps, or require further information on this wonderful, wonderful program initiative, please contact:

Jon MacDougall | YCW Program Co-ordinator
Canadian Library Association
613 232-9625 Ex. 321
ycw@cla.ca

Awards

Brian Campbell Recipient of the 2015 Award for the Advancement of Intellectual Freedom in Canada

The Canadian Library Association is delighted to announce that Brian Campbell has been chosen as winner of the 2015 Award for the Advancement of Intellectual Freedom in Canada for his tireless championship of librarianship's core values of intellectual freedom and information access.

Throughout his long and distinguished library career of more than 30 years in British Columbia, for many of those years Director of Systems and Special Projects for the Vancouver Public Library, Mr. Campbell treated intellectual freedom work as an integral part of his professional responsibilities as a librarian.

He has demonstrated principled leadership in promoting the links between intellectual freedom and information policy issues that arise from fast - paced technology. He has been an outstanding advocate and activist for the core values of librarianship in both the Canadian Library Association and the American Library Association, as well as provincially and locally.



This award will be recognized on February 25, 2015 at a public event in Toronto entitled Read. Write. Speak. To learn more or attend [click here](#)

2015 Call for Award Nominations

The Canadian Library Association is pleased to announce the 2015 Call for Award Nominations. The CLA Awards promote the recognition of excellence, outstanding service, innovation and dedication to the Canadian library community and the values of the Canadian Library Association amongst CLA members. **Please nominate a colleague(s) by February 28, 2015 unless otherwise noted.**

Nominations will be sought for the following awards to be presented at the CLA National Conference and Trade Show, Ottawa, June 3-5, 2015:

Support of Core Principles:

- [CLA Outstanding Service to Librarianship Award](#)
- [CLA/OCLC Award for Innovative Technology](#)
- [CLA/Ken Haycock Award for Promoting Librarianship](#)

Recognition of Members:

- [CLA/Alan MacDonald Mentorship Award](#)
- [CLA Emerging Leader Award](#)
- [W. Kaye Lamb Award for Service to Seniors](#)

Recognition of Research:

- [CLA Robert H. Blackburn Distinguished Paper Award](#)
- [CLA Student Article Award](#)
- [Angela Thacker Memorial Award](#)

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Library Careers

Check out the latest career ads and find out more details by visiting [CLA Library Careers Listing](#):

- 1. One Full Time Continuing Track Business and Economics Liaison Librarian**
- 2. One Full Time Limited Term (2 years) Business and Economics Liaison Librarian (reposting)**

Wilfrid Laurier University (Waterloo, Ontario, Canada)

Closing Date: March 6, 2015

Librarian (Systems)

College of the North Atlantic-Qatar (CNA-Q), State of Qatar

Closing Date: March 22, 2015

Reference Librarian

Education Library, UBC Library, Vancouver, BC

Closing Date: March 14, 2014

Advisor Content Management / Conseillier(ète), Gestion du contenu

EDC, Ottawa, ON

Closing Date: February 27, 2015, 11:59 EST/le 27 février 2015, à 23 h 59 HE

Executive Assistant/Office Administrator

Canadian Library Association, Ottawa ON

Closing Date: February 27, 5:00 PM EST

Copyright Officer, Term (one year with possibility of extension)

Dr. John Archer Library, University of Regina

Closing Date: March 2, 2015

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 \$175 - \$300 per month (depending on level of membership)!

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CLA Network & Committee News

Did your library deal with a book or policy challenge in 2014?

CLA Challenges Survey for 2014 Calendar Year

This is the 9th annual survey of challenges to library materials and policies that is being conducted by the CLA Intellectual Freedom Advisory Committee.

Your responses will help inform the Committee's policy and advocacy work on behalf of the CLA membership. Results are shared widely, for example, with the International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions, the Book and Periodical Council [of Canada], and the Office of Intellectual Freedom of the American Library Association. An anonymized version of the database is available without charge to anyone requesting it.

The purpose of the survey is to gather data about the nature and outcomes of challenges to library materials and policies (e.g., collection management, access to Internet and facilities) initiated in publicly funded, Canadian libraries (e.g., public, school, academic, and government) between JANUARY 1 and DECEMBER 31, 2014.

One form should be submitted for each challenge to an item or a policy.

[Survey in English](#)

[Survey in French](#)

The survey will remain open until March 31, 2015.

If you have questions about the survey, feel free to contact me at alvin.schrader@ualberta.ca or 780-719-4907. Thank you for participating in this important work!

Alvin M Schrader

Convenor, 2015

CLA Intellectual Freedom Advisory Committee

CLA Networks

There is no cost to join these networks. You can find a list of CLA networks [here](#). To subscribe, simply e-mail membership@cla.ca indicating your preferred networks.

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Workshops / Webinars / Events

Discover Government Publications and Legislative Libraries via the GALLOP Portal

This session will describe how to locate government publications in electronic formats available from the legislative libraries of Canada via the APLIC (Association of Parliamentary Libraries in Canada) GALLOP Portal. Topics will include background about APLIC; how the GALLOP Portal was created; how the Portal works; and news about its future. A live demonstration will be included.

This session will be essential for anyone working with government publications, and will also be relevant for school, public, academic, and special librarians who find themselves searching for government publications. It will be of interest to anyone concerned about collaborative efforts to preserve and make available electronic government publications in Canada. Reference librarians will learn how to use this reliable source of Canadian content. Library school students may find value in this session regarding ways libraries are cooperating to navigate the ongoing shift from paper to electronic resources and manage print collections economically.

Key outcomes:

- Learn about APLIC and how GALLOP was created
- Discover how the portal works via a live demonstration
- Hear news about its future in the context of collaborative government documents preservation efforts

Presenter:

Greg Salmers is Director of Support Services, Saskatchewan Legislative Library, Regina. His career of 32 years involves experience in public, regional, aboriginal, and legislative libraries. In his current role he helps contribute content to GALLOP and he created the material used by APLIC to promote the GALLOP Portal.

Date: Begins February 26, 2015

Time: 2:00 PM EST

Duration: 1 hour webinar

Price: Free

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AODA Compliance Workshops

The objective of these workshops 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.

Membership Updates

CLA Member Profile - Learn About One of our Fabulous Members

Who are you?

Kelly Sirett

What do you do?

I work as a Children's Librarian at the Sunnyside Branch of the Ottawa Public Library. I completed my Master of Information Studies last year at the University of Ottawa's School of Information Studies and began working in public libraries in August. I plan and deliver a variety of children's programs in English and French, build relationships with schools and other community organizations, assist customers in the branch, and help manage our collections. I am also a board member for Twice Upon a Time, a non-profit organization that gives free books to kids, and I'm on the Local Planning Committee for this year's CLA Conference in Ottawa.



What would be your ideal job?

My job! I am passionate about developing dynamic learning environments, supporting life-long learning, and promoting access to information - which is what inspired me to leave a career in communications and go back to school to become a librarian - and I get to pursue these passions through the work that I do. I feel very lucky to start my career working with a team of knowledgeable and supportive colleagues in a community that values and appreciates their library. Working with children is also an incredible privilege; their enthusiasm, kindness and love of learning inspires me every day.

Where do you see yourself career wise in 10 years?

I feel like there are so many possibilities for what I could be doing! Since I am just at the beginning of my career, I'm not even sure of what all of these possibilities are... What I do know, is that I would like to be in a position where I can influence library programming and

advocate for the library and its services on a large scale, while continuing to build and maintain relationships with the community.

Describe what you are passionate about.

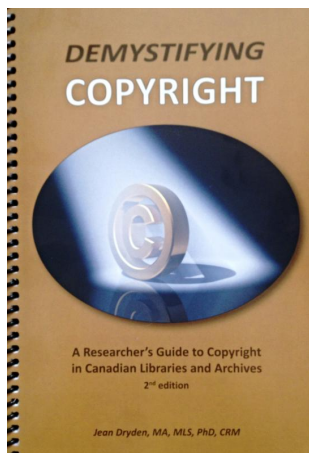
What I love most about my job is building relationships - whether this is with regular library visitors or in the larger community. That I get to develop these relationships through a conversation about learning is really wonderful.

Other than libraries, books and learning, I enjoy doing yoga, starting (and sometimes finishing) DIY projects, and cuddling my dog.

Should you have any questions on your membership or you are interested in our member profile please contact our [Member Services Manager](#)

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Authors: Jean Dryden, MA, MLS, PhD, CRM
Title: Demystifying Copyright, A Researcher's Guide to Copyright in Canadian Libraries and Archives, 2nd Edition
ISBN: 978-0-88802-340-7
Year Published: 2014
Publisher: Canadian Library Association

Much has changed since the first edition of Demystifying Copyright was published in 2001. In the years that followed, the federal government embarked on a process of copyright reform to fulfill Canada's obligations under international copyright treaties and to address how copyright operates in the digital environment. Some minor amendments to the Copyright Act we made in 2004, and the Act was significantly amended in 2012, when Copyright Modernization Act was passed. The amendments discussed in this edition came into force 7 November 2012.

This second edition reflects the key changes to Canada's copyright law since 2004 that are of particular relevance to people who conduct research in the nation's libraries and archives, and to the librarians and archivists who serve them.

Member Price: \$27.00

Non-Member Price: \$30.00

Item Number: 14-DEMYST

To order please contact: orders@cla.ca

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Freedom to Read Week February 22 - 28

The Book and Periodical Council and its Freedom of Expression Committee are pleased to announce the 31st annual Freedom to Read Week in Canada. A national celebration of freedom of expression that takes place in libraries, schools and arts venues across Canada, this year's program runs from February 22 to 28, 2015.

Visit the website for more information:

[Freedom to Read Week](#)

[2015 Event Listings](#)

A Freedom to Read Week event hosted by the Book and Periodical Council

What:

Read. Write. Speak.

Free expression champions on self-censorship, libel law and access to information

When:

Wednesday, February 25 at 7:30 p.m.
(door at 7:00)

Where:

Supermarket, 268 Augusta Avenue,
Toronto

Who:

Join media lawyer Brian MacLeod Rogers in conversation with investigative reporter and author Paula Todd, plus the Canadian Library Association awards the

annual Award for the Advancement of Intellectual Freedom in Canada to Brian Campbell and The Writers' Union of Canada presents the annual Freedom of Expression Award to Ron Brown.

Why:

Come celebrate freedom of expression with the people who speak out to defend it!

This will be a free event hosted by the Book and Periodical Council at Supermarket (268 Augusta Ave.) in Toronto. We hope to see you there!

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PLUS THE CANADIAN LIBRARY
ASSOCIATION AND THE WRITERS'
UNION OF CANADA AWARD
PRESENTATIONS

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25
SUPERMARKET
268 AUGUSTA AVENUE
7:30 p.m. **FREE**
Doors open 7:00 p.m.

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A Freedom to Read Week event presented by the Book and Periodical Council

Book and Periodical Council

Community Highlights

Register Now: Diversity of Cultural Expressions - February 25, 2015

In the framework of the cross-Canada conference series on the 2005 UNESCO Convention, the Simon Fraser University in cooperation with the Coalition for cultural diversity organizes a seminar in Vancouver on « Diversity of Cultural Expressions: Impacts and Implications of the UNESCO Convention Ten Years After and Ten Years Ahead: Views from BC ». [Read More](#)

Algonquin College's annual Meet and Greet

You are invited to attend Algonquin College's annual Meet and Greet event for the Library and Information Technician Program. This is an annual event to provide an opportunity for our students to meet employers in the library and information field and for a chance for employers to meet the graduating class and first year students looking for summer employment.

Date: Wednesday March 4, 2015 from 3-5 PM

Location: Algonquin College, 1385 Woodroffe Ave, Salon A, Building D [parking available](#)

RSVP with Helena Merriam, Coordinator by [Email](#)

2015 Standards for Accreditation of Master's Programs in Library and Information Studies

The ALA Committee on Accreditation is pleased to announce ALA Council approval of the 2015 Standards for Accreditation of Master's Programs in Library and Information Studies.

Brought forward into the new Standards with greater clarity is the emphasis on planning, assessment, and evaluation to sustain quality. The requirement to demonstrate how the results of evaluation are applied is now a culminating aspect of each of the standards.

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Author Ron Brown Wins Freedom to Read Award

Free speech advocate who founded the award becomes its 16th recipient. The Writers' Union of Canada (TWUC) is extremely pleased to announce that Ron Brown, Past Chair of TWUC, journalist, and author of 25 books, is the 2015 recipient of TWUC's Freedom to Read Award. The award is presented annually in recognition of advocacy on behalf of free expression in Canada. [Read More](#)

Concordia University Libraries' 13th Annual Research Forum

Registration is now open for Concordia University Libraries' 13th Annual Research Forum, in the beautiful city of Montreal. This year's Research Forum will be held on Friday, April

10th, 2015, at the Loyola Jesuit Hall and Conference Centre.

Registration is free and includes a light breakfast and lunch. Registration is open until April 2nd, 2015. [Read More](#)

50th Anniversary Bertha Bassam Lecture: "Radical Librarians"

The iSchool and Faculty of Information Alumni Association (FIAA) invite you to a special 50th Anniversary of the Bertha Bassam Lecture, delivered by a passionate advocate for libraries, Syracuse University's R. David Lankes, who will discuss Radical Librarianship. Prof. Lankes is author of an upcoming book, *The Radical's Guide to New Librarianship*, with Senior Fellow and Lecturer, Wendy Newman, and alumna, Kim Silk (MLS 1998).
Event date: March 11, 2015, Toronto [Read More](#)

Calgary Public Library: New Look. New Library. Free Membership.

In a bold move, Bill Ptacek, Chief Executive Officer, Calgary Public Library, unveiled the Library's new visual identity and announced that, with the extensive service and system changes in progress, the Calgary Public Library is well on its way to becoming the world's best public library. [Read More](#)

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In Memoriam

The CLA would like to express our condolences to the families of the library community members that have passed.

Alison Gordon was the Chair of the Book and Periodical Council from 2002 to 2003. She also sat on the Book Summit Committee and was one of the chief organizers of Book Summit 2003: *The Write Stuff (Thirty Years of Canadian Publishing: What's Past Is Prologue)*. She was a great supporter and friend of the BPC and a number of our association members, including The Writers' Union of Canada and PEN Canada. [Read More](#)

Brooke Storey was a valued member of the CLA community as volunteer and briefly as an employee. Brooke was incredibly proud of all she accomplished in her education and progressive professional roles, including at Library and Archives Canada in Ottawa and the West Vancouver Memorial Library where she connected with valued colleagues and offered "story time" to pint-sized new readers. [Read More](#)

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The deadline for submissions for APLA 2015 is this Friday, February 20th!

The winds of change are blowing! The APLA 2015 Conference Program Committee invites you to submit a proposal for presentation at the annual conference which will be held at Memorial University in St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador from June 10-13, 2015. This

year's conference theme is Powered by Change. [Read More](#)

Call for Papers: Agricultural Libraries Special Interest Group

Theme: Synergizing Agricultural Extension and Library and Information Services (LIS) for Agricultural Productivity and Food Security: An International Perspective. Deadline February 28, 2015

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Call for Papers: National Trust Conference 2015: Heritage Energized

In association with Canadian Association of Heritage Professionals (CAHP/ACECP) and in collaboration with Alberta Historical Resources Foundation. Deadline March 23, 2015 [Read](#)

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9th International Indigenous Librarians' Forum Call for Presenters

Calling Indigenous Knowledge Keepers & Allies to Share and Celebrate Indigenous Knowledge, Memory & Culture and Indigenizing Practice. The International Indigenous Librarians' Forum is held every two years for the purpose of providing a "focused exploration of the significant issues facing libraries and institutions that care for Indigenous and cultural information" (International Indigenous Librarians' Forum Proceedings, Te Ropu Whakahau, 2001). It allows a meeting place for Indigenous librarians and information management workers to discuss, debate and describe their experience of working within the industry and their visions, hopes and expectations for the future. Deadline for Submission: April 15, 2015

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