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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

People

Do you have any exciting

Hot Off the Press

1. Canadian Library Month 2012

Canadian Library Month is over for another year and CLA is looking for short articles and feedback.

(i) Submit a Short Article for *Feliciter*

Tell CLA how your library celebrated the month by emailing a short article (200 words) with picture(s) (must be at least resolution of 300 dpi) to jgreen@cla.ca. If chosen, the article will be published in the December issue of *Feliciter*. Entries must be sent to Judy Green no later than 7 November for consideration.

(ii) Your feedback is important to CLA and the CLM 2012 Committee.

Please fill out the evaluation below in either English or French by 30 November at:

English - <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/S3ZMYVY>

French - <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/S33R2WC>

(iii) The LEGO/CLA Learn through Play contest continues until 18 November!

There is still time to have your library nominated for the prize! The most nominated library in each Canadian province/territory will receive \$500 worth of building sets, including the newly launched LEGO DUPLO Read and Build collection, a series of kits that blend early reading with construction play. In addition, participants will also have a chance to win great prizes just for voting.

[For more information >>](#)

[See which library is leading in each province/territory \(you may be surprised\)...](#)

2. CLA Seeks Copy Editor (Volunteer Position)

The Canadian Library Association (CLA) is seeking a **Copy Editor** for our bimonthly magazine *Feliciter*. *Feliciter* has been published since 1956 and is the only national magazine dedicated to serving the Canadian library and information services community. Each issue contains an average of 14 articles of 1000-1500 words each to be edited. *Feliciter* is an online magazine, distributed by email to over 4,000 members and available on the website at:

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info@cla.ca.

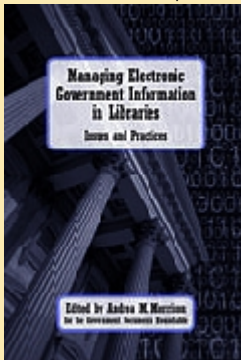
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This week's ALA featured
publication:

Managing Electronic Government Information in Libraries

Edited by Andrea M.
Morrison, for the
Government Documents
Round Table (GODART)

May 2008 232 pages
6" x 9" -Softcover
ISBN13:
978-0-8389-0954-6
Member Price: \$ 82.50



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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:

Library Consultant

Pahkisimon Nuye-ah
Library System,
Air Ronge, SK

<http://www.cla.ca/feliciter>.

This volunteer position is a two year term (2013-14). [View the full position description >>](#)

Please express your interest by **30 November 2012** by emailing your resume and cover letter to:

Judy Green
CLA Marketing & Communications Manager
jgreen@cla.ca

3. IFLA issues calls for nominations

IFLA has issued a [call for nominations for President-Elect 2013-2015 and for Governing Board members 2013-2015](#), as well as a [call for nominations for Section Standing Committees](#). The full list of IFLA Sections is [available here](#).

The deadline for nominations for all positions is 6 February 2013.

CLA can nominate individuals to Section Standing Committees. CLA can also nominate and coordinate national support for individuals seeking to run for President-Elect or Governing Board member. Please contact me if you are interested in nomination for any of these positions.

Any Canadian IFLA members who have questions about the nominations process can contact me for further information.

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4. IFLA International Marketing Award 2013

The IFLA Section on Management and Marketing in collaboration with Emerald has the pleasure to announce the **IFLA International Marketing Award** for 2013.

The IFLA International Marketing Award will honor organizations that have implemented creative, results-oriented marketing projects or campaigns. Three finalists will be recognized for their outstanding achievements. From these three finalists, the winner will be chosen and receive airfare, lodging and registration for the World Library and Information Congress: 79th IFLA General Conference and Council in Singapore during 17-23 August 2013, as well as a cash award of USD 1,000 which must be used to further the marketing efforts of the recognized organization.

Three finalists will be announced in March 2013 and the top ten applicants will be mentioned. The first place winner will be chosen and two distinctions will be awarded. The winner will be announced officially during the press conference of the Congress in **Singapore**.

For details, please visit: <http://www.ifla.org/node/6922>

Last date for submission of applications: **15 January 2013**

The award has attracted 276 applications from 55 countries during last 10

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Brampton, ON

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Did You Know...

Daylight Saving Time Ends



It's that "time" already -- time to "fall back" an hour this weekend!

On Sunday, 4 November at 2:00:00 AM clocks are turned backward 1 hour to 1:00 AM local standard time.

It is also a good time to change the batteries in smoke and carbon monoxide alarms when setting clocks back to standard time.



years and has been covered in many publications.

5. CARL Applauds CREPUQ's Support for Open Access

Ottawa, October 30, 2012 – The Canadian Association of Research Libraries (CARL) applauds the support of the Conférence des recteurs et des principaux des universités du Québec (CREPUQ) for the Open Access movement, which aims to achieve free, immediate online access to the results of publicly-funded scholarly, scientific and technical information. See the attached press release for more information.

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Diego Argáez
Program Officer

OTTAWA, le 30 octobre 2012 – L'Association des bibliothèques de recherche du Canada (ABRC) applaudit l'appui manifesté par la Conférence des recteurs et des principaux des universités du Québec (CREPUQ) au mouvement pour le libre accès, qui vise l'obtention d'un accès libre et immédiat en ligne aux résultats de la recherche scientifique et technique financée par les deniers publics. Voir le communiqué de presse pour savoir d'avantage.

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Diego Argáez
Agent de programme

6. The Governor General's Literary Awards 2012

Of this year's 68 finalists, only 14 will be lucky enough to put the golden GG seal to their book covers. Who will they be?

The Governor General's Literary Awards 2012 winners will be announced on Tuesday, November 13 at 10 am, during a news conference at the [Conservatoire de musique et d'art dramatique du Québec](#) in Montreal.

Canada's national literary awards celebrate literature for all tastes and ages by honouring the best English-language and the best French-language books in each of 7 categories: fiction, non-fiction, poetry, drama, children's literature (text), children's literature (illustration), and translation.

The winners will speak at the news conference and will be available for in person and telephone interviews immediately following the announcement.

The list of winners, downloadable photographs, and biographical information will be posted on the [GG section](#) of the Canada Council website as of 11 a.m. on November 13.

7. The Canadian Conference of the Arts to Close Doors after 67 Years

The Canadian Conference of the Arts (CCA), the largest national alliance of the arts, culture and heritage sector across Canada, announces that it will begin winding down its operations immediately. Founded in 1945 by a group of eminent artists, including painters Lawren S. Harris, of the Group of Seven, and André Biéler, the CCA has the unique mandate in the Canadian cultural sector of promoting the interests of Canadian artists and of the cultural sector at large at the federal level, and of providing a national forum where issues of common interest can be discussed and pursued. The name of the CCA has been associated with all major cultural policy developments at the federal level, from the creation of the Canada Council for the Arts in 1957 to the UNESCO Convention on the Protection and Promotion of the Diversity of Cultural Expressions in 2005.

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8. Explore a post-literate future with Beyond Literacy

CHICAGO; TORONTO – The Association of College and Research Libraries

(ACRL) and the Ontario Library Association (OLA) announce the online publication of "Beyond Literacy" by Michael Ridley of the University of Guelph. "Beyond Literacy" is an interactive serialized online thought experiment exploring the demise of literacy and the rise of other capabilities, capacities or tools that will effectively and advantageously displace reading and writing. The work is freely available for reading, comment and discussion at www.BeyondLiteracy.com.
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2013 CLA Conference & Trade Show
Winnipeg, Manitoba, May 29 - June 1, 2013
<http://www.cla.ca/conference/2013/>

The call for proposals for the 2013 CLA National Conference in Winnipeg is now closed.

Thanks to all who have submitted session proposals.

Accepted presenters will be notified by the end of December 2012.

To view the proposals submitted to date, please [click here](#).

CLA Awards

New deadline for the CLA Advancement of Intellectual Freedom in Canada Award - 3 December 2012

To coincide with Freedom to Read Week, the CLA Advancement of Intellectual Freedom in Canada Award will be presented at a special event in February as part of the the Freedom to Read Week celebrations in Toronto. The event is organized by the Book and Periodical Council, with the participation of CLA and The Writers Union of Canada.

The CLA Intellectual Freedom Advisory Committee is now seeking nominations for this Award. The deadline for submissions is **3 December, 2012**.

CLA Advancement of Intellectual Freedom in Canada Award

This award recognizes and honours outstanding contributions to intellectual freedom in Canada by individuals or groups. Preference is given to librarians, other library workers, and library institutions. However like-minded individuals such as teachers or authors and groups such as schools or publishers are also eligible.

Criteria:

The general criteria for judging candidates for the award are as follows:

- individuals and institutions having demonstrated leadership and

courage in defending and promoting the principles of intellectual freedom in Canada; or,

- individuals and institutions having demonstrated leadership and courage in resisting censorship and in opposing violations of intellectual freedom pressures in Canada; or,
- individuals and institutions having produced innovative and creative projects, programs, or materials that promote the principles of intellectual freedom in Canada.

[For more information >>](#)

or contact the CLA office:
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info@cla.ca

News from CLA Units

“Good Enough” Information: Threat or Opportunity?

TSLIS Network Program
November 13
Toronto Public Library

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CLA Webinars

Becoming Indispensable: The Value Proposition

Information professionals' intercollegial story telling often involves variations of "SharePoint is perceived to be the solution to every information related challenge" or "everyone is expected to be a highly skilled researcher as a result of having any graduate degree". It is increasingly challenging to demonstrate to employers and clients that we truly are worth our pay ... but some techniques are worth considering. Ulla speaks to strategies info pros can use to create awareness - where it counts - about the value they add to the organizations where they work.

Date: Monday, November 19, 2012

Time: 2pm (ET)

Speaker: Ulla de Stricker

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