

# Manitoba Library Associations •

## 1995 Joint Conference

**Date:**

May 10th through  
May 13th

**Location:**

Days Inn Marlborough  
331 Smith Street  
Winnipeg, Manitoba

**Accommodation:**

The Conference hotel is the  
Days Inn Marlborough and  
special conference rates  
are available

**"Changing Libraries, Changing Lives"  
Registration Package**

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(W01)  
Pre-Conference

Wednesday, May 10

Libraries, whether they are special, school, academic, or public, all produce a variety of promotional and educational materials. Become your own desktop publisher using only your familiar word processor! Incorporate your spreadsheets and graphics into your newsletters!

On Wednesday, May 10, the Manitoba Library Association is offering an all day workshop for those interested in creating polished and professional publications.

If you plan to attend this pre-conference, please fill in the the questionnaire in [Part II • Pre-Conference Questionnaire] of the registration forms insert. Your responses will help us to ensure that the workshops and the software used are tailored to meet your needs.

These questions are becoming more and more common, and now you have an opportunity to learn the answers first hand.

Hands-On Internet Workshops

Thursday, May 11 - Saturday May, 13

"How do I get on to the Information Highway?" What's out there? Is it really worth all the hype?"

One of the highlights of this year's conference is the Internet training workshops that are being offered. For the 1994 Conference, this type of workshop was available to limited numbers for the first time. Due to the overwhelming response we received, this portion of our program has been greatly expanded. Starting Thursday afternoon and continuing to the end of Saturday, half day sessions will be held at the University of Manitoba's and the University of Winnipeg's downtown Continuing Education labs. Together these labs are equipped with over 100 computers. Both introductory and advanced classes are available.

Come and see what the excitement is all about, and how it can affect you, your library, and your users.

**Basic Introduction to the Internet**

This workshop is designed to introduce the internet in a comfortable and easy-to-understand fashion to people with little or no experience. The main tools for navigating the Net that will be covered include electronic mail, gopher, veronica, hytelnet, newsgroups, listservs, ftp and World Wide

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Web. By the end of the session, you will be sending e-mail like a pro, and you will be prepared to blaze your own trail through the world of cyberspace.

**\*Introduction to the Internet II**

Very similar to the Basic Introduction to the Internet with the exception that greater emphasis will be placed on educational materials on the Net for the benefit of teacher-librarians, librarians and library staff employed in educational settings.

**Advanced Internet Workshops**

The advanced workshop is for those people who are familiar with the tools

for navigating the Internet and are now ready to explore. A brief review of the basics will be followed by visits to some of the Net's more exotic locales, using browsers like the World Wide Web. In addition, people will be given an opportunity to find out how they too can be "published" on the Net.

**CASLIS Sponsored Workshop**

This workshop, although sponsored by CASLIS, is open to all conference delegates. The session topic will be announced at a later date.

Hands-On Internet Workshops: Thursday, May 11 - Saturday, May 13

Lab Times	University of Winnipeg Continuing Education Lab		University of Manitoba Continuing Education Lab	
	Lab 1	Lab 2	Lab 1	Lab 2
May 11 Thursday 1:00-3:30	Basic Intro to the Internet L01	Basic Intro to the Internet L02	Basic Intro to the Internet L03	Basic Intro to the Internet L04
May 12 Friday 9:00-11:45	Intro to the Internet II* L05	Basic Intro to the Internet L06	CASLIS Sponsored Workshop L07	Basic Intro to the Internet L08
1:00-3:30	Basic Intro to the Internet L09	Basic Intro to the Internet L10	CASLIS Sponsored Workshop L07	Advanced Internet L12
May 13 Saturday 9:00-11:45	Basic Intro to the Internet L13	Basic Intro to the Internet L14	Basic Intro to the Internet L15	
1:00-3:30	Advanced Internet L16	Advanced Internet L17	Advanced Internet L18	

Wednesday, May 10

7:00pm - 9:00pm

(W02)

**Voices for Change: A Preview of Dynamic New Titles From the National Film Board of Canada**

**Location:** National Film Board of Canada Open House, 245 Main Street  
**Host:** Paul Marchand, Sales Manager, National Film Board of Canada, Winnipeg

**Description:** An overview of new video resources guaranteed to stimulate thought and provoke lively debate.

7:30pm - 8:30pm

(W03)

**Manitoba Library Consortium Annual General Meeting**

8:30pm - 10:00pm

(SE1)

**Manitoba Library Consortium Reception** (all conference delegates welcome)

Thursday, May 11

7:00am -

**Registration/Information Desk Open**

8:45 - 9:00

(T01)

**Opening Remarks**

**Speakers:** Her Worship Mayor Susan A. Thompson; Pat Cavill, President, Canadian Library Association; and John Tooth, President, Manitoba Library Association

9:00 - 10:15

(T02)

**Keynote Address - Libraries and the Future: Visions of Change**

**Speaker:** W. David Penniman, Past President and CEO, the Council on Library Resources

**Description:** Libraries are special-purpose organizations that fulfill a wide range of functions depending on the institution they serve. Often the library is thought of primarily as a facility that houses resources or collections (of material, people, and systems). In-place electronic access mechanisms are, however, changing the way that libraries fulfill their purpose and functions. In this time of change, therefore, it is necessary to re-evaluate our assumptions about the way libraries and their services are designed and operated.

10:15 - 10:45

**Refreshment Break**

10:45 - 12:00

(T03)

**New Developments from EBSCO Publishing**

**Presenter:** Doug Lynch, Sales Coordinator, CANEBSCO

**Description:** Highlights of new software developments in all EBSCO CDs, EBSCO's document delivery service, table of contents database, a review of database content as well as a first look at EBSCO HOST -access to all EBSCO databases through the Internet.

10:45 - 12:00

(T04)

**UnCover: The On-Demand Article Delivery Service**

**Presenter:** Georges Sarazin, Marketing and Technical Services, Readmore Canada

**Description:** Add 20,000 journals to your collection! Demand is up, funding is down. But now, there is a solution...one way to add just the journals you need, just when you need them. UnCover stretches your acquisitions dollar with the largest article delivery database available today. Close to 20,000 journals, over 4 million articles. With UnCover you will meet the needs of your most demanding patrons.

10:45 - 12:00

(T05)

**Librarians Weaving the Web**

**Presenter:** Peter Scott, Small Systems Manager, University of Saskatchewan Libraries

**Description:** A show of the work of Canadian librarians who have created NEW information on the World Wide Web. Peter will also touch on some of the Usenet web groups and mailing lists (like web4lib at Berkeley), and how people use them to communicate ideas about web development.

10:45 - 12:00

(T06)

**Technostress: A Modern Disease or Cry of the Luddite??**

**Presenter:** Sally Kalin, Coordinator, Computer Based Resources and Training Team, Pennsylvania State University

**Description:** "Basic concepts" of this buzzword that denotes the feeling of being overwhelmed and immobilized by the computerization that is transforming our world, organizations, lifestyles and even personal relationships.

10:45 - 12:00

(T07)

**Electronic Delivery of UMI Databases and Where We Are Going in the Future**

**Presenter:** University Microfilms

International Representative

**Description:** Electronic sales, online, CD-ROMs and automated vendors are only some of the services offered by UMI. Come find out about what UMI has to offer.

10:45 - 12:00

(T08)

**Books for Your Baby**

**Presenter:** Lorraine Douglas, Youth Services Coordinator, Winnipeg Public Library

**Description:** A program offered by the Winnipeg Public Library for children under the age of two and the important people in their lives. Ms Douglas will present information about this highly successful early years programme which can easily be adapted to meet the needs of specific audiences in local communities. The program is funded through the Frances M. Pishker Memorial Fund.

10:45 - 12:00

(T09)

**SIRS, Inc.**

**Presenter:** Tony Starcevic

**Description:** "SIRS Discoverer embraces their world" - a multi-faceted, kid-friendly CD-ROM for upper elementary and middle school students. "SIRS Researcher" - a CD-ROM data base of articles related to social issues, scientific developments and global events and issues of historic, economic or political note.

12:00 - 1:00

**Lunch**

12:30 - 1:00

(T10)

**The Always Prayer Shawl: The Story of the Story**

**Presenter:** Sheldon Oberman, Author and Educator, Joseph Wolinsky Collegiate

**Description:** How I came to write The Always Prayer Shawl.

1:00 - 2:15

(T11)

**Automating Your Library with Columbia Library System**

**Presenter:** Anne Heimitten, Sales Representative, McGraw-Hill School Systems

**Description:** If you would like an opportunity to discuss your automation plans and the process of library automation, please join this discussion and demonstration of Columbia Library System. McGraw-Hill School Systems is here to be a resource for you.

1:00 - 2:15

(T12)

**Creating Shared Visions/Missions**

**Presenter:** W. David Penniman, Past President and CEO, the Council on Library Resources

**Description:** Technology and its impact/application on/for libraries.

1:00 - 2:15

(T13)

**Library Staffing for the Twenty-First Century**

**Presenter:** Kathleen Weibel, Staff Training and Development, Chicago Public Library

**Description:** New roles, shifting roles and blurry roles. Technology and economics are typically cited as the causes for the shifting librarian/paraprofessional roles but the situation is much more complicated. What do these changes mean for librarianship and for those who work in libraries? And how can libraries plan for and develop, staffing appropriate to the information age?

1:00 - 2:15

(T14)

**Making a Present of the Past: The Gift of Personal Storytelling**

**Presenter:** Sheldon Oberman, Author and Educator, Joseph Wolinsky Collegiate

**Description:** Sheldon discusses the nature of storytelling and offers skills in personal and family storytelling. Bring a story to work on if you would like to develop it.

1:00 - 2:15

(T15)

**Manglobe**

**Presenter:** Tracey Deleeuw, The

Fundamentals Group

**Description:** A discussion on Manglobe, an electronic information and product exchange on the Internet, and the opportunities it brings to the province of Manitoba.

1:00 - 2:15

(T16)

**Data Trek's Professional Series™: Meeting the Changing Needs of Librarians**

**Presenter:** Laura Chakravarty, Sales Representative, Data Trek Inc.

**Description:** A demo/discussion about Data Trek's Professional Series which is completely integrated, full MARC library automation system.

1:00 - 2:15

(T17)

**CD-ROMs and Collection Management**

**Presenter:** Karen Hunt, Librarian, Red River Community College

**Description:** Now that CD-ROMs are being published at a dizzying rate how does a library decide what to purchase? How do you even identify what's available? Do you lend them? Do you support the DOS or Windows versions? This session will include a demonstration of "CD-ROMs in Print" and a chance to share some answers (and probably more questions!).

1:00 - 2:15

(T18)

**The Follett Software Company:  
Automation With the Focus on  
Library Users and Staff**

**Presenter:** Frank Caster

**Description:** View Circulation Plus. Follett can provide solutions for automation in DOS, Windows and Macintosh with cross hardware functionality.

1:00 - 2:15

(T19)

**Technostress**

**Presenter:** TBA

**Sponsored by:** MHLA

1:00 - 2:15

(T20)

**World Book Educational Products  
of Canada**

**Presenter:** Dave LeDrew

**Description:** Mr. LeDrew will discuss new World Book products.

1:00 - 2:15

(T21)

**New Changes From An Old  
Company**

**Presenter:** Hugh Thurlow

**Description:** What better way to focus on the conference theme of changes in traditional libraries than to show some of the changes that H.W. Wilson, in the library business since

1898, is undergoing. Using new full text CD-ROM products as a discussion platform, topics such as: electronic searching strategies and methods, Internet/WWW access, patron training ideas, online techniques and future directions will be shown.

1:00 - 2:15

(T22)

**Outsourcing: Technical Service  
Issue of Today**

**Moderator:** Joan Scanlon, Head, Technical Services, University of Winnipeg

**Panelists:** Deb MacLean, Head, Bibliographic Services, University of Calgary; Pat Nicholls, Associate Director, Systems, University of Manitoba Libraries; Lauraine Armstrong, Western Representative, Coutts; and Debra Wallace, Manager, Marketing and Business Development, ISM LIS

**Description:** Outsourcing (aka value-added service, shelf-ready books) has become a hot topic among Technical Service Divisions throughout North America. This panel will look at the "bottom line" in terms of finances, quality, timeliness, customer service, professionalism and local policy.

1:00 - 2:15

(T23)

**Planning for Technology, Part I**

**Moderator:** Jim Blanchard

**Panelists:** John Petersmeyer, Architect (Medical Library and

2:15 - 2:45

**Refreshment Break**

2:45 - 4:00

(T24)

**Carr McLean Limited**

**Presenter:** David Hatherley

**Description:** Come find out the latest in library audiovisual equipment, archival supplies, shelving and storage.

2:45 - 4:00

(T25)

**Planning for Technology, Part II**

**Moderator:** Jim Blanchard

**Panelists:** John Petersmeyer, Linda Pleskach, Heather Kowalchuk and Richard Bazillion

**Description:** A continuation of the earlier session.

2:45 - 4:00

(T26)

**Baker and Taylor**

**Presenter:** Ed Devine, Electronic Ordering, Baker and Taylor

**Description:** An explanation of the electronic ordering systems and interfaces currently available from Baker and Taylor.

Agricultural Complex, University of Manitoba); Linda Pleskach, Beausejour Library (addition); Heather Kowalchuk, Stonewall Library (new); and Richard Bazillion, Brandon University

**Description:** A presentation, slide show, question period including design considerations for computers in libraries, financing and especially what works and what DOES NOT.

1:00 - 3:30

(L01)

**Hands-On Internet: Basic  
Introduction to the Internet**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

1:00 - 3:30

(L02)

**Hands-On Internet: Basic  
Introduction to the Internet**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

1:00 - 3:30

(L03)

**Hands-On Internet: Basic  
Introduction to the Internet**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

1:00 - 3:30

(L04)

**Hands-On Internet: Basic  
Introduction to the Internet**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

2:45 - 4:00

(T27)

**Native Visions: New Resources on Video**

**Presenter:** Paul Marchand, Sales Manager, National Film Board of Canada, Winnipeg

**Description:** A powerful selection of the latest NFB videos offering fresh perspectives on contemporary native issues.

2:45 - 4:00

(T28)

**The Internet Information Fleamarket: The Challenge of Resource Discovery in a Networked Environment**

**Presenter:** Terry Kuny, Partner, Global Village Communications

**Description:** The Internet is not, and will not be for some time, the "virtual library". This session will look at the many issues and challenges that currently exist in the Internet environment in the effective retrieval of electronic information and why these are significant for any future development of a "virtual library".

2:45 - 4:00

(T29)

**Library Ergonomics**

**Presenter:** Bonnie Mazoule, Occupational Health Nurse, MTS

**Description:** A discussion of general

library health - air quality, lighting, dust, radiation, paint and glue, weight of books, etc.

2:45 - 4:00

(T30)

**Library Education Update**

**Presenters:** Jo Ann Brewster, Instructor, Library and Information Technology Program, Red River Community College; and Gail Mireau, Program Officer, Library Training program, Red River Community College, Distance Education

**Description:** A brief overview of and recent developments in the Library and Information Technology Program and the Library Training Program, both offered at the Red River Community College.

4:15 - 5:30

(T31)

**Outsourcing: A Tour and Discussion**

**Presenter:** Mary Jane Gordon, Manager, Library Services, Information Systems Management Corporation

**Description:** A tour of ISM's new Library Services building and a discussion of outsourcing.

[Please meet in the Marlborough Hotel lobby. Bus transportation provided by ISM]

5:30 - 6:30

**Cash Bar**

Friday, May 12

7:00am -

**Registration/Information Desk Open**

8:00 - 9:00

(SE4)

**Breakfast with the Exhibitors**

9:00 - 10:15

(F01)

**Cataloguing CD-ROMs**

**Presenter:** Atarrha Wallace, Cataloguing Specialist, Instructional Resources, Manitoba Education and Training

**Description:** Discussion of how to provide descriptive cataloguing, information in IBSD and MARC formats for CD-ROMs. Various supporting tools will also be examined.

9:00 - 10:15

(F02)

**Rethinking Library Work: The Rules of the Game Have Changed**

**Presenter:** Frank D'Andraia, Director of Libraries, University of North Dakota

**Description:** The Rules of the Game Have Changed. Team workers. Knowledge workers. Virtual employees. All these terms, foreign to the library lexicon a decade ago, have been proffered as answers for nettling

6:00 - 7:00

(SE2)

**All Associations Dinner**

7:00 - 8:30

**Concurrent AGMs**

(T32)

Manitoba Health Libraries Association Annual General Meeting

(T33)

Manitoba Association of Library Technicians Annual General Meeting

(T34)

Manitoba School Library Association Annual General Meeting

8:30 -

(SE3)

**Reception for all Associations**

questions: What is the new definition of library employees in our changed world? Does the new world of library work mean empowerment and mobility for some or trepidation and frustration for others? What does the future hold for those who work in the library profession?

9:00 - 10:15

(F03)

**Networking Rural Public Libraries**

**Presenters:** Sylvia Nicholson, Director, Public Library Services; Louise Shah, Library Consultant, Public Library Services; and Will Enns, Head, Technical Services, Public Library Services

**Description:** Public Library Services is developing an electronic network linking Manitoba's rural public libraries. PLS staff will discuss the current situation of Manitoba's rural public libraries and demonstrate the exciting new technology bringing them closer together.

9:00 - 10:15

(F04)

**ALARM: Human Resources**

**Presenter:** Pat Cavill, Chairperson, A.L.A.R.M. Committee and President, Canadian Library Association

**Description:** HRDC (Human Resources Development Canada) will be providing funding through "sectoral councils" to train the workforce for the challenge and change of the

years to come. Libraries, through the Alliance for Libraries, Archives and Records Management - ALARM, will participate in the Cultural Human Resources Council. ALARM is currently working on a national human resources strategy, to be "rolled up" into the larger Cultural Sectoral Strategy. This session will bring you up-to-date on the ALARM strategy and will also solicit your input for the next steps in the process.

9:00 - 10:15

(F05)

**SchoolNet/MINET Update**

**Presenter:** Sam Steindel, Technical Coordinator, Program Development Branch, School Programs Division, Manitoba Education and Training

**Description:** A discussion of what has happened to the federal SchoolNet project and the provincial MINET system.

9:00 - 10:15

(F06)

**Putting TV to Work: Visual Research Techniques**

**Presenter:** Shari Baldwin, Executive Director, Canadian Cable in the Classroom

**Description:** The research techniques explored in this workshop will assist students in accessing and processing information from television. The approach used works effectively in the classroom and the emphasis on

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**Part i**

**REGISTRATION FORM**

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Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

**Name**  
(as it will appear on badge):  
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**Membership Category**  
Please check the appropriate box(es)

- MLA       MHLA
- MALT     MLTA
- MSLA     CASLIS
- Student/Unemployed

If you checked any of the boxes above, then you are considered a member for registration fee purposes.

**Library/Institution:**  
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**Address:**  
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**Part ii**

**Pre-conference questionnaire.**

1)Have you used a microcomputer before?

- Yes       No

If Yes:

What kind ?

- DOS
- Macintosh
- Windows
- Other

How long ?

- 6 months or less
- more than 6 months

If No, do you expect to be using a micro-computer within the **next 4-6 months?**

- Yes       No

2)Would you like a basic introduction to Windows if you have this type of microcomputer?

- Yes       No

3)Do you currently use a micro-computer in the production of newsletters, brochures, pamphlets or other hand-outs?

- Yes       No

If Yes, what software do you use for:

Wordprocessing:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Spreadsheet:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Charting numbers:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Drawing graphics:  
\_\_\_\_\_

4)You would most like to learn how to:

- use Microsoft WORD better
- use WordPerfect better
- create a newsletter using my word-processor
- improve the content and look of my newsletter

**Pre-Conference**

**Wednesday, May 10**

**9:00am - 4:00pm**

- (W01)  
**Pre-Conference Workshop**

### Part iii

#### Sessions

Please indicate which sessions you will be attending. Due to limited space, if you choose a Hands-On Internet session, please indicate two alternate sessions as well.

#### Wednesday, May 10

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- (W02)  
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- (W03)  
**Manitoba Library Consortium AGM**

#### Thursday, May 11

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**MSLA AGM**

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**Independent Learning Skills Continuum**

- (F08)  
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- (L05)  
**Hands-On Internet: Introduction to the Internet II**  
 (L06)  
**Hands-On Internet: Basic Introduction to the Internet**  
 (L07)  
**Hands-On Internet: CASLIS Sponsored Workshop**  
 (L08)  
**Hands-On Internet: Basic Introduction to the Internet**

10:45 - 12:00

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**Reference Services**  
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**Make Your MARC**  
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**What the Internet Doesn't Know**  
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**Information Technology and the De-Skilling of Librarians**  
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**Update on Community-Based Lifelong Learning**  
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**Cable in the Classroom: Creating an Access Ramp**

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**Exhibits**

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- (F16)  
**Barriers to Information: How Formal Help Systems Fail Battered Women**  
 (F17)  
**Information at the Public Library: Getting the Message Out**  
 (F18)  
**Provincial Backbone Network**  
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**Managing Successful Volunteer/Work Experience Programmes in Your Library**  
 (F20)  
**The Holocaust: Fifty Years Later**  
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**Disaster Planning: Paving the Road to Recovery**  
 (F22)  
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**New Directions in Curriculum and Learning Resources**  
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**FYI: A Little Reality Check**  
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**Robber Barons, Data Merchants, and Other Villains: Issues and Politics in the Development of the Virtual Library**  
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***I Work in a Library But I'm Not  
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7:30 - 8:00

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***After Dinner Speaker***

8:00 - 9:00

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***MLA AGM***

**SATURDAY, MAY 13**

9:00 - 10:15

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***The Blue Sky FreeNet of  
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- (S03)  
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**Social Events**

Please indicate which social events you will be attending.

**WEDNESDAY, MAY 10**

8:30 - 10:00

- (SE1)  
**MLC Reception (All conference delegates welcome)**

**THURSDAY, MAY 11**

6:00 - 7:00

- (SE2)  
**All Associations Dinner**

8:30 -

- (SE3)  
**Reception for All Associations**

**FRIDAY, MAY 12**

8:00am - 9:00am

- (SE4)  
**Breakfast with the Exhibitors**

6:00pm - 7:00pm

- (SE5)  
**MLA Dinner (All conference delegates welcome)**

**SATURDAY, MAY 13**

2:30 - 4:30

- (SE6)  
**Wind-Up Reception**

Do you require a vegetarian meal?

- Yes  No

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**Fees**

**Part v**

**REGISTRATION FEES (select appropriate categories):**

This conference is GST EXEMPT; therefore, no adjustments need to be made to the fees listed below by those persons who normally do not pay GST.

**EARLY BIRD (registration forms postmarked by April 17, 1995) or LATE registration**

Pre-Conference		(Wednesday, May 10)		FEE
	(Early)	(Late)		
<input type="checkbox"/> All Participants	\$52.00	\$60.00		

Full Conference		(May 11-13)		FEE
<input type="checkbox"/> Member	\$70.00	\$85.00		
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member	\$105.00	\$120.00		
<input type="checkbox"/> Full-time Student Unemployed	\$39.00	\$45.00		

Single Day Registration		(cost per day)		FEE
<input type="checkbox"/> Member	\$40.00	\$55.00		
<input type="checkbox"/> Non-Member	\$50.00	\$65.00		
<input type="checkbox"/> Full-time Student Unemployed	\$25.00	\$35.00		

Please indicate which day(s) you will be attending

- Thursday  Friday  Saturday

Social Events				FEE
<input type="checkbox"/> All Associations Dinner	\$25.00	\$25.00		
<input type="checkbox"/> MLA Dinner	\$25.00	\$25.00		

Lunches are provided free of charge. All AGMs are free of charge.

**Total Enclosed:**

Please make your cheque payable to the MANITOBA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION.  
Mail cheque and registration forms to MLA, 208 - 100 Arthur Street, Winnipeg, MB R3B 1H3.

**Accommodations****The Days Inn Marlborough**

Special room rates are available at the conference hotel, the Days Inn Marlborough. The cost is \$55.00 per day for single or double occupancy. This is a room rate, not a per person rate. This rate also includes parking at the parkade directly across the street from the hotel. Please contact:

**The Days Inn Marlborough,**  
Attn: Sharon Angus,  
331 Smith St.,  
Winnipeg, MB, R3B 2G9

**Arrangements can also be made by phone.**

The numbers are 204-942-6411  
or 1-800-667-7666.

visual and auditory access provides an opportunity for the more active participation of students with special learning needs.

9:00 - 10:15

(F07)

**Independent Learning Skills Continuum**

**Presenter:** Barb Poustie, School Library Curriculum Specialist, Manitoba Education and Training

**Description:** A focus on the independent learning skills continuum developed in 1995 by Manitoba Education and Training for K to Senior 4 students. A discussion of curricula changes and the impact that outcomes-based education has on school library programs.

9:00 - 10:15

(F08)

**Exhibits**

9:00 - 11:45

(L05)

**Hands-On Internet: Introduction to the Internet II**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

9:00 - 11:45

(L06)

**Hands-On Internet: Basic Introduction to the Internet**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

9:00 - 11:45

(L07)

**Hands-On Internet: CASLIS Sponsored Workshop**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

9:00 - 11:45

(L08)

**Hands-On Internet: Basic Introduction to the Internet**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

10:15 - 10:45

**Refreshment Break with the Exhibitors**

10:45 - 12:00

(F09)

**Reference Services**

**Presenters:** Mary Dennett, Director, St. James-Assiniboia Branch, Winnipeg Public Library; Lorraine Douglas, Youth Services Coordinator, Reference Services, Winnipeg Public

Library; and Allan Pritchard, Systems Officer, Winnipeg Public Library  
**Description:** This workshop will focus on the reference interview as the key to successful customer service. There will be a discussion of the special needs of young people and a demonstration of Children's Reference Plus on CD-ROM.

10:45 - 12:00

(F10)

**Make Your MARC**

**Presenter:** Paula Noyes, Instructor, Red River Community College  
**Description:** This workshop will look at the MARC cataloguing standard. Functions and meanings of different fields, subfields and indicators will be discussed and participants will have a chance to practice (on paper) using what they've learned. (NOT FOR EXPERIENCED MARC CATALOGUE USERS)

10:45 - 12:00

(F11)

**What the Internet Doesn't Know**

**Presenter:** Karen Coyle, University of California, Library Automation  
**Description:** The Internet is a marvelous telecommunications system, but an inadequate information system. Over a century of librarianship has yielded a body of knowledge about information management of which most Internet site administrators are unaware. Karen will outline areas such as selection and preserva-

tion that need to become part of the thinking of everyone who takes on information dissemination responsibilities, and will particularly discuss where these might fit in to the concept of the "virtual library."

10:45 - 12:00

(F12)

**Information Technology and the De-Skilling of Librarians**

**Presenter:** Roma Harris, Professor, Graduate School of Library and Information Science, University of Western Ontario  
**Description:** A discussion of the implications of technological change for librarians and librarianship.

10:45 - 12:00

(F13)

**Update on Community-Based Lifelong Learning**

**Presenter:** Beth Cruikshank, Implementation Coordinator, Information Highway, Manitoba Education and Training  
**Description:** This session will provide you with an update on the Province's distance education initiatives to provide for lifelong learning opportunities. The focus will be on the new Special Operating Agency entitled MERLIN, the Manitoba Educational Research and Learning Network, as well as progress on the development of rural networks and their educational application.

10:45 - 12:00

(F14)

**Cable in the Classroom: Creating an Access Ramp**

**Presenter:** Shari Baldwin, Executive Director, Canadian Cable in the Classroom  
**Description:** Provides an overview of this exciting programme to bring cable and programming free to schools (repeated on Saturday, session S15).

10:45 - 12:00

(F15)

**Exhibits**

12:00 - 1:00

**Lunch with the Exhibitors**

1:00 - 2:15

(F16)

**Barriers to Information: How Formal Help Systems Fail Battered Women**

**Presenter:** Roma Harris, Professor, Graduate School of Library and Information Science, University of Western Ontario  
**Description:** A casual discussion on the information needs of battered women.

1:00 - 2:15

(F17)

**Information at the Public Library: Getting the Message Out**

**Chair:** Louise Shah  
**Presenter:** Joey Rodger, Executive Director, Urban Libraries Council, Evanston, Illinois  
**Description:** It's free, it's helpful. Surefire strategies to help your library get the "information here" message out. The second half of the session will be used to brainstorm a strategy for a public awareness campaign to be conducted by MLA.

1:00 - 2:15

(F18)

**Provincial Backbone Network**

**Presenter:** Fred Cross, Director, Telecommunications, Manitoba Government Services  
**Description:** An overview of Manitoba's developing Provincial Backbone Network and its meaning for libraries.

1:00 - 2:15

(F19)

**Managing Successful Volunteer/Work Experience Programmes in Your Library**

**Presenter:** Betty Seidel, Information Specialist, Instructional Resources, Manitoba Education and Training; and Brenda Hoover, Volunteer

Program Consultant, Volunteers in Public Service

**Description:** A focus on techniques for managing volunteers and work experience programmes in order to make the placements successful and beneficial for the individuals as well as the organization. This session will also deal with concrete suggestions on the types of work individuals with different skills and abilities can participate within a library setting.

1:00 - 2:15

(F20)

**The Holocaust: Fifty Years Later**

**Presenter:** Diane Dwarka, Multicultural Information Specialist, Instructional Resources, Manitoba Education and Training

**Description:** Using a slide presentation Diane will relate her recent visit to concentration camps in Germany and Poland. She will talk about the "Hope" in Israel and describe how these apply to us today in our work as library staff in the schools or community.

1:00 - 2:15

(F21)

**Disaster Planning: Paving the Road to Recovery**

**Presenter:** Georgina Lewis, Coordinator, Preservation, University of Manitoba Libraries

**Description:** A practical look at typi-

cal library contingencies and ways in which your organization and staff can respond. Discussion will include human safety, protection and salvage of collections and service issues.

1:00 - 2:15

(F22)

**I Work in a Library But I'm Not a Librarian, Part I**

**Presenter:** Kathleen Weibel, Staff Training and Development, Chicago Public Library

**Description:** A workshop in which paraprofessionals and other library support staff can explore their evolving roles in libraries and in librarianship.

1:00 - 2:15

(F23)

**The All-Media Approach to Librarianship, Part I**

**Presenter:** Wayne Warren, Informatics Coordinator, St. James-Assiniboia School Division

**Description:** A comprehensive methodology for effective use of all media in the library of the future.

1:00 - 2:15

(F24)

**Exhibits**

1:00 - 3:30

(L09)

**Hands-On Internet: Basic Introduction to the Internet**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

1:00 - 3:30

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**Hands-On Internet: Basic Introduction to the Internet**

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1:00 - 3:30

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**Hands-On Internet: CASLIS Sponsored Session**

**Instructor:** TBA  
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1:00 - 3:30

(L12)

**Hands-On Internet: Advanced Internet Workshops**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

2:15 - 2:45

**Refreshment Break with the Exhibitors**

2:45 - 4:00

(F25)

**The All-Media Approach to Librarianship, Part II**

**Presenter:** Wayne Warren  
**Description:** A continuation of the earlier session.

2:45 - 4:00

(F26)

**New Directions in Curriculum and Learning Resources**

**Presenter:** Pat MacDonald, Director, Program Development Branch, School Programs Division, Manitoba Education and Training  
**Description:** The province's director of Program Development outlines new directions in the area of curriculum design and learning resources for K to Senior 4.

2:45 - 4:00

(F27)

**FYI: A Little Reality Check**

**Presenter:** Karen Coyle, University of California, Library Automation  
**Description:** An examination of the active role that librarians can take in regard to content on the Internet as well as the "content" presently available on the Internet.

2:45 - 4:00

(F28)

**Robber Barons, Data Merchants,  
and Other Villains: Issues and  
Politics in the Development of  
the Virtual Library**

**Presenter:** Terry Kuny, Partner,  
Global Village Communications

**Description:** Access to infrastruc-  
ture, access to information, and intel-  
ligent use of information are impor-  
tant social goals of the Information  
Society. This session will explore the  
issues and politics that will shape the  
Virtual Library.

2:45 - 4:00

(F29)

**ASK.LIVE.CAT**

**Moderator:** Lynn Partington

**Panelists:** Paula Noyes, Instructor,  
Red River Community College; Sue  
Blankenberg, Librarian, IISD and  
CCME; Mary Green, Head, Technical  
Services, Winnipeg School Division  
Number 1; Lynne Partington, Head,  
Original Cataloguing Section,  
University of Manitoba Libraries

**Sponsored by:** MLA Technical  
Services Interest Group

**Description:** Are you stumped by a  
cataloguing problem? Here is an  
opportunity to ask and to discuss vari-  
ous cataloguing problems related to  
description, call number, or subject  
headings. It would be preferable if  
copies of questions/problems were  
mailed in before May 1st to Lynne

Partington, Original Cataloguing  
Section, Dafoe Library, University of  
Manitoba, Winnipeg, R3T 2N2 (Internet:  
parting@bldgdafoe.lan1.umanitoba.ca).

2:45 - 4:00

(F30)

**Canadian Videos for Children and  
Young People**

**Presenter:** Lorrie Andersen, Team  
Leader, Collection Development,  
Instructional Resources, Manitoba  
Education and Training

**Description:** Treat yourself to a  
sneak preview of the latest and the  
best in videos for children and young  
people. The productions are  
Canadian covering a wide spectrum  
of topics and treatment of subject  
matter. Settle in, enjoy a sneak pre-  
view and obtain the bibliographic  
data so that you can buy the ones you  
need for your Library.

2:45 - 4:00

(F34)

**I Work in a Library But I'm Not a  
Librarian, Part II**

**Presenter:** Kathleen Weibel

**Description:** A continuation of an  
earlier session.

2:45 - 4:00

(F31)

**Exhibits**

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7:00am -

**Registration/Information Desk  
Open**

9:00 - 10:15

(S01)

**Library Technician Interface**

**Moderator:** TBA

**Panelists:** Linda Dubasov, Mary  
Wolke, and Joan Ransom.

**Sponsored by:** MALT

**Description:** A panel discussion of  
library technicians working in differ-  
ent types of libraries, talking about  
their jobs, essentially the impact of  
automation.

9:00 - 10:15

(S02)

**The Blue Sky FreeNet of  
Manitoba**

**Presenter:** Terry Lewycky, President,  
Blue Sky Freenet of Manitoba

**Description:** An overview of the  
Freenet movement in North America  
generally and of the Blue Sky FreeNet  
specifically.

5:30 - 6:30

**Cash Bar**

6:00 - 7:30

(SE5)

**Manitoba Library Association  
Dinner** (all conference delegates  
welcome)

7:30 - 8:00

(F32)

**After Dinner Speaker:**

Roma Harris, Professor, Graduate  
School of Library and Information  
Science, University of Western  
Ontario

8:00 - 9:00

(F33)

**Manitoba Library Association  
Annual General Meeting**

9:00 - 10:15

(S03)

**Changing CD-ROMs: Which Ones Will be Effective for People Who Use My Library?**

**Presenter:** Judith Dueck, Teacher-Librarian, Gordon Bell School, Winnipeg School Division #1

**Description:** A workshop including demos, focusing on understanding guidelines for selection of appropriate CD-ROMs for specific settings.

9:00 - 10:15

(S04)

**Bookmates Family Literacy Program**

**Presenter:** Lynn Silver, Winnipeg Public Library

**Description:** A preschool emergent literacy program with a multicultural emphasis operating in the inner-city.

9:00 - 10:15

(S05)

**Copyright and Copyright Collectives Update**

**Presenter:** John Tooth, Chair, CLA Copyright Committee; and Andrew Martin, Executive Director, CANCOPY

**Description:** An update on what is happening in Canada with copyright with a focus on the new federal bill to amend the Copyright Act (hopefully there will be one to discuss!!). Question and answer session to fol-

low. Martin will describe CANCOPY's activities over the past year and its future direction.

9:00 - 10:15

(S06)

**TV: A Novel Approach**

**Presenter:** Shari Baldwin, Executive Director, Canadian Cable in the Classroom

**Description:** The techniques explored in this workshop will assist students in developing critical viewing and listening skills while developing the skills they need to tackle print novels.

9:00 - 10:15

(S07)

**How to Conduct Productive Meetings, Part I**

**Facilitator:** Dallas Bagby, Past President, MHLA

**Sponsored by:** MHLA

**Description:** Highly successful workshop produced by Toastmasters International. A variety of interactive exercises will be used in this workshop.

9:00 - 10:15

(S08)

**Idea Mapping**

**Presenter:** Ganga Dakshinamurti, Coordinator, Bibliographic Database Management, University of Manitoba

Libraries

**Description:** How to organize any idea!

9:00 - 10:15

(S09)

**Exhibits**

9:00 - 11:45

(L13)

**Hands-On Internet: Basic Introduction to the Internet**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

9:00 - 11:45

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**Hands-On Internet: Basic Introduction to the Internet**

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9:00 - 11:45

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**Hands-On Internet: Basic Introduction to the Internet**

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10:15 - 10:45

**Refreshment Break with the Exhibitors**

10:45 - 12:00

(S10)

**From Film Projectors to the Internet, Can We Make the Leap?**

**Presenter:** Christine Jacobs, National Film Board of Canada

**Description:** From the 16 mm to video to multimedia CD-ROM, the vehicles are changing, but can we keep up? Do we have the tools to insure that the information can be accessed?

10:45 - 12:00

(S11)

**How to Conduct Productive Meetings, Part II**

**Facilitator:** Dallas Bagby

**Sponsored by:** MHLA

**Description:** A continuation of the earlier session.

10:45 - 12:00

(S12)

**How to Become an Information Provider on the Blue Sky FreeNet**

**Presenter:** Paul Nielson, Chair, Information Content Committee, Blue Sky FreeNet of Manitoba; and Mel Oricklin, Member, Information Content Committee, Blue Sky FreeNet

**Description:** Planning and designing a home page menu with links to related information on the Internet, training on HTML (hypertext markup language) and on the system (upload,

edit), going interactive from email to discussion groups for customer feedback.

10:45 - 12:00

(S13)

**Horror in the Classroom**

**Presenter:** Dave Jenkinson, Professor, Faculty of Education, University of Manitoba

**Description:** Horror genres and their attraction to teenagers.

10:45 - 12:00

(S14)

**School-Based Resources on the "Net"**

**Presenter:** Margaret Stimson, Coordinator, Media Services and Gifted Education, Assiniboine South School Division #3

**Description:** Connecting library curriculum (K-12) to resources on the Internet, including an examination of available search tools.

10:45 - 12:00

(S15)

**Cable in the Classroom: Creating An Access Ramp**

**Presenter:** Shari Baldwin, Executive Director, Canadian Cable in the Classroom

**Description:** Provides an overview of this exciting programme to bring cable and programming free to

schools (repeated on Friday, session F14).

10:45 - 12:00

(S16)

**"On or Gone": Academic Journals; From Atoms to Bits**

**Presenter:** David Beattie, Director, Virtual Products, Industry Canada  
**Description:** Industry Canada has taken several actions to encourage the conversion of refereed academic journals from on-paper to on-line publication. This session will report on actions taken to date and will review the technical and management issues involved in conversion.

10:45 - 12:00

(S17)

**Exhibits**

12:00 - 1:00

**Lunch with the Exhibitors**

1:00 - 2:15

(S18)

**Organizing A FreeNet in Your Community**

**Presenter:** Michael Gillespie, Vice-President, Blue Sky FreeNet of Manitoba, and Secretary, Telecommunities Canada

**Description:** The steps and personnel necessary to establish an on-ramp

to the information highway for the residents within your own community.

1:00 - 2:15

(S19)

**Library Works**

**Presenter:** CASPR

**Description:** A session for anyone using, or interested in, Library Works by CASPR.

1:00 - 2:15

(S20)

**Privacy on the Information Highway**

**Presenter:** Peter Sim, Lawyer

**Description:** A discussion of the impact of the new technologies on personal privacy and the various laws affecting privacy of personal information.

1:00 - 2:15

(S21)

**Everyone Needs Friends**

**Presenter:** Jan Dalmyn

**Description:** Ms Dalmyn describes Friends of Libraries both as fundraising sources and/or as advocacy groups. She outlines the development of the Friends of the Winnipeg Public Library and how you could establish a Friends of your own.

1:00 - 2:15

(S22)

**Collections de Romans (pour les 8-15 ans)**

**Presenter:** Ephrem Dupont, Teacher-Librarian, Ecole Lavallée

**Description:** New titles in French Canadian literature for children and young adults with a focus on novels.

1:00 - 2:15

(S23)

**Linking Libraries: An Update**

**Presenters:** Pat Cavill, Consultant, NGL Nordicity; and Tom Schniffnit, Director, Telecommunications, NGL Nordicity

**Description:** NGL Nordicity, the consulting firm hired under contract with Manitoba Education and Training to produce a report on the issues related to the electronic linking of libraries in Manitoba, reports on the various meetings held with stakeholders throughout the province.

1:00 - 2:15

(S24)

**Information Content on the FreeNet**

**Presenters:** Paul Nielson, Chair, Information Content Committee, Blue Sky FreeNet of Manitoba; and Mel Oricklin, Member, Information Content Committee, Blue Sky FreeNet of Manitoba

**Description:** A discussion of the importance of local information sources on the FreeNet, a guide to these local information sources, what's not there and why not, and how libraries can help.

1:00 - 3:30

(L16)  
**Hands-On Internet: Advanced  
Internet Workshops**

**Instructor:** TBA  
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1:00 - 3:30

(L17)  
**Hands-On Internet: Advanced  
Internet Workshops**

**Instructor:** TBA  
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1:00 - 3:30

(L18)  
**Hands-On Internet: Advanced  
Internet Workshops**

**Instructor:** TBA  
(Space is limited)

2:30 - 4:30

(SE6)  
**Wind-Up Reception**  
**Guest Speaker:** Pierre Berton