EVENTS

NATIONAL

17-18 May. National Library of Australia. National seminar: The right to read: publishing for people with disabilities. Venue: Rialto Theatrette, Melbourne. Contact: Disability Services Section, National Library of Australia, Canberra (06) 262 1251.

29-31 May. 7th Conference for Librarians in the Criminal Justice System. Venue: Burgmann College, ANU, ACT. Contact: John Myrtle, Librarian, Australian Institute of Criminology, PO Box 28, Woden ACT 2606, (06) 274 0264.

• **9-12 July.** Library Technicians National Conference.Topic: 'Bringing the pieces together: communication, considerations and change'.Venue: Manly Pacific, Sydney.

19-20 July. National Library Staff Development seminar. Venue: SACAE, Underdale Campus. Contact: The Convener, Jane Hiscock, c/ The SACAE Library, Holbrooks Road, Underdale, SA 5032, telephone (08) 354 6357, fax (08) 354 6699.

• **30 September-5 October.** ALIA 1st Biennial Conference 1990. Venue Perth Concert Hall, Perth. Contact: Conference Organiser, Promaco Conventions, 9/890 Canning Hwy, Applecross, WA 6153, (09) 364 8311.

• **1-5 September 1991.** 4th, National Special and Law Librarians' Conference, National Convention Centre, Canberra. Planning now underway. Contact: Rosemary Bell, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade Library (06) 261 2965. Pat Stone, Defence Information Services (06) 266 2258.

NEW SOUTH WALES

14-31 May. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Introductory System (17 May), Introductory System (31 May), in Sydney. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

16 May. CSIRO AUSTRALIS. Subject Specific Training Course — Environment 1/2 day course. Venue: State Library of NSW. Cost: $100. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

17-18 May. CSIRO AUSTRALIS. New User Training Course. Venue: State Library of NSW. Cost: $350. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

• **18 May.** South Coast Regional Group. Computer Assisted Learning Seminar. Venue: Kemira Room, Union Bld., University of Wollongong. Time: 8.45-4.30 pm. Contact: Petra Carpenter or Fiona McGregor (042) 27 0542.

21 May. CSIRO AUSTRALIS. Advanced User Training Course. Venue: State Library of NSW. Cost: $175. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

• **25 May.** State Library of NSW 'Conservation Access' diagnostic clinic. Time: 10 am-12 noon. Cost: $40. Contact: Helen Price (02) 230 1445.

• **25 May.** Special Libraries Section. Library Budgeting Using Your Computer. 1- day seminar. Venue: The Masonic Centre, cnr Castlereagh and Goulburn Streets, Sydney. Cost $50. Contact: Geraldine Rodwell (02) 285 7945.

31 May. Seminar in Librarianship and Information Science. Speaker: Dr Barbara Poston-Anderson.Topic: Blockbusters: providing information for children. Venue: UTS, Kuringai Campus, Lindfield — small lecture theatre. Time: 1 - 2.30pm. Contact: Helen Gilkes (02) 413 8336.

• **5 June.** Library Technicians Section. Committee Meeting. Venue: Fisher Library, University of Sydney, Common Room, Level 5. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Jan Harris (02) 699 1855.

5-27 June. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Medline (5 June), Introductory System (27 June), in Sydney. Contact (02) 218 9790.

• **14 June.** NSW Branch. Council Meeting. Venue: Library Council Room, Mitchell Wing, State Library of NSW (up the marble staircase). Time: 6 pm start. Contact: Julie Young (02) 230 1448.

18 June. Working Party on Library Provision in Higher Education Institutions. **Public Meeting.** Venue: Council Room, Level 4. Tower Building, Broadway Campus, University of Technology, Sydney. Time: 9.30am. Contact: Margret Henty (02) 249 2994.

2 July. Workshop: 'Advertisement to selection, applying for and getting that job'. Venue: Cumberland College of Health Sciences, East Street, Lidcome. Cost: $95. Contact: Centre for Continuing Education, Cumberland College of Health Sciences, University of Sydney (02) 646 6343.

18 July. Seminar. Australian Society of Archivists NSW Branch. Venue: State Library of NSW, John Metcalfe Auditorium. Time: 9am-4pm.Cost: $40, Students $25.Contact: Helen Ahern (02) 660 7979 or Angela McGing (02) 313 6799.

• **20 July.** NSW Cataloguers' Section in association with School of Library and Information Studies, University of Technology.Topic: Introduction to Dewey 20. Time: 9.15am-12.45pm. Cost: $20. Contact: Cherin Sauterel (02) 697 2618 by 13 July.

22-24 July. Libraries and Expert Systems: A workshop and conference. Venue: Charles Sturt University, Wagga. Contact: Craig McDonald, School of Information Studies, Charles Sturt University — Riverina, PO Box 588. Wagga Wagga, NSW 2650, telephone (069) 22 2594. fax (069) 22 2733.

VICTORIA

• **16 May.** School Libraries Section. Meeting. Venue: Statewide School Library Support Centre, 67 High Street, Prahran. Time: 5.30-7 pm. Contact: Beverly Pianta (03) 521 1721 (w), (03) 386 2808 (h).

21 May. ABN Inquiry course — an NLA approved activity. Venue: Library and Information Studies Department, Box Hill College of TAFE, 465 Elgar Road, Box Hill. Time: 6 pm-9 pm. Cost: $85. Contact: Pam Naylor (03) 895 1412.

• **23 May.** Special Libraries Section. Seminar: Disaster management in special libraries. Venue: City Conference Centre, Council of Adult Education, Melbourne. Seminar leader: Max Borchardt. Time: 2-5 pm. Cost: $25 ALIA members, $35 non-members. Contact: Trevor Wakely (03) 669 4471.

21-23 May. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Quick Reference (21 May), Introductory System (22 May), Beyond the Basics (23 May), in Melbourne. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

29 May. InMagic Users Group meeting. Venue: TBA. Time: 4.30 pm. Contact: Kerrie Scholes (03) 341 9416 or Fiona Finlayson (03) 654 1411.

30 May. Working Party on Library provision in Higher Education Institutions. **Public meeting.** Venue: Seminar Room, Baillieu Library, University of Melbourne. Time: 9.30am. Contact: Max Borchardt (03) 813 3844.

7 June. CSIRO AUSTRALIS. Advanced User Training Course. Venue: CSIRO, 314 Albert Street, East Melbourne. Cost: $175. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

• **12 June.** Health Libraries Section. General Meeting: Developing an AV Collection. Venue: Abbotsford Campus Library, La Trobe University, St Helier's Street, Abbotsford. Speaker: Mr Gaetano Raiti, AV Librarian, Abbotsford Campus Library, La Trobe University. Time: 6 for 6.30 pm.

• **21 June. Victorian Branch Winter Christmas Cocktail Party.** 6pm-9pm, Clichy, 9 Peel Street, Collingwood. Cost: $25 (food and drinks). Special guest: Warren Horton. Awards will be presented! Flyer to follow. Contact: Max Borchardt (03) 813 3844, Jan Wright (03) 628 2460.

28-29 June. CSIRO AUSTRALIS. New User Training Course. Venue: CSIRO. 314 Albert Street, East Melbourne. Cost: $350. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

• **29 June.** Victorian Branch. Marketing Libraries and Information Services — a seminar. Guest Speaker: Phillip Morgan, RMIT Marketing Group. Venue: Australian Institute of Management, St Leonards Avenue, St Kilda. Contact: Sue Noble (03) 811 0389.

• **Mid July.** (Date TBA) Special Libraries Section. Inside DA: Books, Journals and CD Innovations. Here is your opportunity to visit DA's new premises and view demonstrations of new data bases on CD-ROM. Venue: DA, 648

Maroondah Highway, Mitcham. Time: 5.30 for 6 pm. Contact: Caroline Beatty (DA) (03) 873 4411.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

• **16 May.** Information Science Section. Land and Geographic Information Systems. Speaker: Merv Sedunary, Department of Lands. Venue: Seminar Room B, Barr Smith Library. Time: 5.30 for 6 pm. Contact: Toula Kritas (08) 232 0377.

• **22 and 29 May.** SA Branch. Public speaking for librarians — a 2-day workshop. Venue: University of Adelaide. Speaker: Bob Cannon. Time: 9 am-4 pm. Cost: Members $200, non-members $260. Enrolment is limited. Contact: Laura Cram (08) 236 2267 or Sue Moore (08) 228 5729.

30-31 May. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Quick Reference (30 May), Introductory System (31 May), in Adelaide. Contact (02) 218 9790.

• **20 June.** Information Science Section. Technology at the information desk: OPAC, ABN, CD-ROM...? Panel discussion. Venue: Seminar Room B, Barr Smith Library. Time: 4-5.30 pm. Contact: Kevin Griffin (08) 223 8732.

• **21 June.** Cataloguers' Section. 'Sait Serials Module'. Time: 2-5 pm. Contact: Jay Douglas (08) 343 3317.

• **18 July.** Information Science Section. Show and tell: what's new in info. tech. Venue: SACAE (Magill) Library User Education Room. Time: 3-5 pm. Contact: Barbara Blacoe (08) 333 9457.

19-20 July. National Library Staff Development seminar. Venue: SACAE, Underdale Campus. Contact: The Convener, Jane Hiscock, c/ The SACAE Library, Holbrooks Road, Underdale, SA 5032, telephone (08) 354 6357, fax (08) 354 6699.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

•**14-16 May.** WA Branch. Speaker: Tom McKeon, Industrial Information Officer. Venue: Curtin University of Technology. Contact: Vicki Williamson (09) 351 7152 fax (09) 351 2424.

•**14 May.** Branch Council Dinner. Speaker: Tom McKeon. Time: 7 for 7.30pm. Venue: Dining Room, Technology Park. Cost: $34. RSVP 10 May. Contact: Christine Martin (09) 451 0831.

• **15 May.** Special Libraries Section. Structural Efficiency Principle. Speaker Tom McKeon. Venue: Health Department, Seminar Room 4. Time: 12-2 pm. Cost: $2. BYO lunch. Contact: Deanne Barrett (09) 222 7372.

• **25 May.** Special Libraries Section. Sundowner. Venue: Lobby Bar, Orchard Hotel. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Marie Luffman (09) 220 0444.

18-29 June. Archives Administration 10-day course. Venue: Alexander Library Building, Perth Cultural Centre. Cost: $500. Contact: Kandy-Jane Henderson, State Archives of WA, Alexander Library Building, Perth Cultural Centre (09) 427 3371.

• **20 June.** WA Branch. Induction know how — what to do as the employer, what not to do as the employee, and the part for the 'new' member. Venue: Technology Park. Time: 6.30 pm-8.30 pm, sandwiches/coffee 5.30 pm. Registration forms available from WA local office or contact: Christine Martin (09) 451 0831. Professional development enquiries contact: Viv Edmeades (09) 344 5474.

QUEENSLAND

• **5 June.** Library Technicians meeting. Venue: Library, BCAE, Kelvin Grove Campus. Time: 6 pm.

• **12 June.** Qld Branch. Council Meeting. Venue: Room R306, Resource Centre, Kelvin Grove Campus — Brisbane CAE. Time: 5.30 pm. Contact: Brenda Simpson (07) 354 1400.

•**27 or 28 June.** Special Libraries Group. Wanted: expressions of interest for attending a workshop on Evaluation and Performance indicators in libraries, by Brenda McConchie. Venue: Training rooms, 4th floor, 232 Adelaide Street, Brisbane. Time: TBA. Contact: Diana Rylatt (07) 233 6544.

•**25 July.** UCLS. Seminar (full day): Sex, Fibs and Videotapes: towards the electronic library. Contact: Moira Newman, Griffith University (07) 875 7283

ACT

29 May. Canberra Online users group. Demonstration of RINSE and ANGAM 2 datafiles. Venue: Australian Archives, Mitchell. Contact: Geraldine Triffitt (06) 246 1177.

18-19 June. CSIRO AUSTRALIS. New User Training Course. Venue: University of Canberra. Cost: $350. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

26 June. CSIRO AUSTRALIS. Advanced User Training Course. Venue: University of Canberra. Cost: $175. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

TASMANIA

• **28 May.** Tasmanian Branch. Margaret Marshall, organiser of UNESCO/IFLA project 'Books for all', speaking on 'We can read, too: books, libraries and people with intellectual disability'. Venue: Department of Library and Information Studies. Time: 7.30 pm. Contact: Ann Hughes (002) 34 2995.

NORTHERN TERRITORY

• **16 May.** Special Libraries Section Meeting. (Date to be confirmed). Venue: Central Library. Department of Primary Industry and Fisheries, Berrimah Agricultural Research Centre. Time: 4.30 pm. Contact: Mary-Anne Meginess (089) 22 1291.

• **May.** Special Libraries Section — DIYCE (Do It Yourself Continuing Education) Program — Inmagic — Getting started and going places. Contact: Rosemary Harbridge (089) 89 7278.

• **29 May.** Special Libraries Section — DIYCE — Tour of new ABC facilities. Contact: Yvonne Forrest (089) 81 7011.

July. CSIRO AUSTRALIS. New User Training Course. Cost: $350. Dates and venue in Darwin TBA. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

July. CSIRO AUSTRALIS. Advanced User Training Course. Cost: $175. Date and venue in Darwin TBA. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

INTERNATIONAL

9-14 June 1990. SLA's 81st Annual Conference 'The information professional: an unparalleled resource'. Location Pittsburgh, PA, USA. Contact: Special Libraries Association, 202/234-4700.

11-14 June 1990. 8th Congress of Southeast Asian Librarians. 'New challenges in library services in the developing world'. Contact: Ms Mastini Hardjoprakoso, Chairperson, Executive Board 8th CONSAL, c/ National Library of Indonesia, Fax: (62-21) 310 3554.

25-29 June 1990. 3rd Asia-Pacific World Publishing and Direct Marketing Congress and Exhibition 'Pubprint '90'. Venue: Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre. Contact: Jim Clarke, Asia-Pacific World Publishing Congress Secretariat, PO Box 139, Caulfield South, Victoria 3162, telephone (055) 62 1144, fax (055) 62 0389.

8-12 July 1990. 19th Annual International Association of School Librarianship Conference. Theme: 'Bridging the Difference'. To be held in Umeå, Sweden. Registration fee: $235. Contact: Gunilla Janlert, Umeå Skobibliotekscentral, Box 1007, S-901 20 Umeå, Sweden. Registration forms available from Lalita Brond, 5/16 Tennyson Street, St Kilda, Victoria 3182.

15-16 August 1990. IFLA Division of Bibliographic Control. Seminar on Bibliographic Records. Venue: Stockholm. Contact: ALIA.

18-24 August 1990. IFLA — 56th General Conference, in Stockholm. Contact: ALIA.

2-7 September 1990. 22nd IBBY Biennial Conference 1990. 'Literacy through Literature: Children's Books make a difference'. Williamsburg, Virginia USA. Contact: Ena Noël (02) 32 5075.

17-20 September 1990. 3rd International Conference. ' Information 90'. Contact: Information 90. c/ Concorde Services Limited, 10 Wendell Road, London W12 9RT, UK. Telephone (01)743 3106. Fax (01) 743 1010.

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