

# Events

If space is restricted, early notices may be dropped from some issues, but will reappear as the date of the event draws closer.

## Australian Capital Territory

- **30 October. Canberra Online Users Group. Workshop: 'What do you do if someone spills coffee on your floppy disc?'** Speaker: Rod Peake, Nimrod Computers. CSIRO Forestry, Yarralumla. 4.30-6.30 pm. Contact: Alan Green (06) 253 2561. RSVP required.
- **19 November. Canberra Onlines Users Group. AGM with traditional strawberries and champagne.** Speaker: James Steele, on the computer-based citizen education program at Parliament House. CSIRO Forestry, Yarralumla. 5-7 pm. Contact: Liz Thompson (06) 273 2042.
- **5 December. Cataloguers Section. AACR in an electronic environment — The future of cataloguing.** Speaker: Michael Gorman. National Library Theatre. 10.30 for 11 am. Contact: Janet Smith (06) 262 1307.

## New South Wales

- **21 October. UCRLS. 'Library Research as Part of the Management Process'.** Speaker: Professor Mairéad Browne, Dean, Faculty of Social Science, University of Technology, Sydney. Seminar Rooms 2 and 3, State Library of NSW. 6 for 6.30 pm. Contact: Pat Howard (02) 697 2678 or Wendy Bartlett (02) 543 3742.
- **22 October. Health Libraries Sections. Meeting at Butterworths on 'Indexing'.** 6 for 6.30 pm. Details: TBA. Contact: R Schafer (02) 646 8239.
- **22-30 October. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Business (22 Oct), Biotechnology (30 Oct), Sydney. Contact: (02) 212 2867.
- **23 October. Special Libraries Section. Visit to Research Library, Museum of Applied Arts and Sciences (Powerhouse Museum), Ultimo.** Meet at Loading Dock, Macarthur Street, entrance to Museum. 1-2 pm. Please be punctual. For bookings contact: Robin Jenkins (02) 934 8570.
- **26 October. IBBY. Celebration Dinner — to honour Ena Noël and celebrate 25 years of IBBY in Australia.** Sydney University. Contact: Karyn Green (02) 349 5999 (w), (02) 948 2531 (h).
- **1-27 November. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Introductory System (1 Nov), Beyond the Basics (6 Nov), Patents (20 Nov), Introductory System (27 Nov), Sydney. Contact: (02) 212 2867.
- **5 November. Library Technicians Section. Meeting.** Australian Catholic University, 40 Edward Street, North Sydney, McKillop Campus. 5.30 pm start — come when you're able. Contact: Nina Suprun (02) 692 2257.
- **6 November. School Libraries Section. Committee Meeting.** Joint Council Meeting Rooms, Rozelle. 7-9 pm. Contact: Denise Hoeflake (02) 680 4844 (w).
- **8 November. Central Western Regional Group. 1. Conspectus. 2. Importance and management**

**of historical/archival materials.** Orange City Library. 1.30 for 2 pm. \$22 (including dinner). Contact: M Hawkett (063) 63 6749 or J Medd (063) 63 8820.

- **12 November. NSW Branch. Council Meeting.** Discussion of General Council Papers. Library Council Room, Michell Wing, State Library of NSW (up the marble staircase). 5.45 pm. Contact: Louise Head (02) 339 8704.
- **13 November. UCRLS. 'Library Technicians and their role in Academic and Research Libraries'.** Robbie Johnston, TAFE (Educator); Mark Hilderbradt, State Library of NSW (Supervisor); Jean Bailey, University of Sydney (Practitioner). State Library of NSW, Seminar Rooms 2 & 3, Level 11. 6 for 6.30 pm. (Refreshments at 6 pm.) Contact: Jan Smith (02) 230 1472 or Pat Howard (02) 697 2678.
- **13 November. ACLIS NSW Committee. AGM.** Metcalfe Auditorium, State Library of NSW. 5.30 pm. Contact: Bronwyn Coop (02) 230 1453. New members welcome.
- **18 November. Cataloguer's Section. End of Year Dinner.** Arizona's, Cnr Pitt & Market Streets. 7 pm. Contact: Sue Thomas for bookings (02) 230 1584.
- **21 November. Preservation of Library Materials SIG. AGM. Speakers: Jan Lyall, Carmel Maguire, William Hood. 'Over There': recent developments overseas in preservation.** State Library of NSW. 5.30 for 6 pm. Contact: Alan Howell (02) 230 1679.
- **27 November. Information Management & Consulting Association. Seminar/Dinner: Marketing.** 19 February. Seminar/Dinner: Copyright. Venue/Cost: TBA. Contact: Robert Kemp (02) 262 2099 or Ruth Ward (02) 997 7499.
- **2-3 December. Distance Education SIG. 1991 Conference — Challenges for the 90s: Technology, libraries and distance education.** University of New England — Armidale. 9 am Monday-4 pm Tuesday. ALIA members \$70, others \$90. For registration papers contact: Richard Ryan (067) 73 3421, fax (067) 71 1602; Robyn Warwick (067) 73 4261 or Pam Pitkeathly (02) 646 6486.
- **13 December. Health Libraries Section. Christmas Party/Dinner.** Details: TBA. Contact: V Staggs (02) 736 6936.
- **21 February 1992. Preservation of Library Materials SIG. 1/2 day seminar: 'Everything about Microfilming'.** State Library of NSW (Metcalfe Theatre). 2-5 pm. Members \$35, non-members \$45. Lunch provided. Seminars on other topics will follow at 3 months intervals. Contact: Alan Howell (02) 230 1679.

## Northern Territory

- **October. Special Libraries Section. Social event: Sundowner special.** Contact: (089) 89 7278.
- **14 November. Special Libraries Section. Meeting.** Professional development topics to be discussed. Performance indicators and statistics and tour of the Primary Industry and Fisheries Central Library. PIF Central Library. Contact: (089) 82 7916.
- **December. Special Libraries Section. Social event.** AGM and guest speaker to be held with the Christmas celebrations.

## Queensland

- **22 October. Health Libraries Section. Advanced Medline training — 1/2-day course conducted by Robert Boot (HML).** Herston Medical Library, Level E, Block 6, Royal Brisbane

Hospital. Cost: TBA (morning tea provided). Contact: Deborah Kerr (07) 234 1289.

- **22 October. Special Libraries Section. Committee Meeting.** Room 1-20, Floor 1, Primary Industries Bldg, 80 Ann Street, Brisbane. 5.30 pm. Contact: Ann Hanger (07) 239 3104. Observers welcome.
- **25 October. ACLIS Acquisitions Subcommittee. 'Supplier Performance Evaluation'.** State Library of Queensland. \$20 ACLIS members. Contact: Rae-Anne Locke (07) 875 7197.
- **29 October. Health Libraries Section. Advanced Medline training — follow-up session.** Herston Medical Library, Level E, Block 6, Royal Brisbane Hospital. 5.30 for 6 pm. Wine and cheese provided. Contact: Deborah Kerr (07) 234 1289.
- **31 October-1 November. Public Libraries Section. Libraries Are Ageless Conference — Library Services for the Aged.** State Library of Queensland. Contact: Jennie Keppel, Conference Organiser (07) 358 4588 or (008) 017 114.
- **5 November. Library Technicians' Section. Meeting.** State Library Theatre. 5.30 pm.
- **8 November. ACLIS Audiovisual Subcommittee. Seminar: Audiovisual Copyright: right to copy?** Speakers: Susan Bridge (AV Copyright Society), Derek Fielding (University of Qld Librarian). Bardon Professional Development Centre, 390 Simpsons Road, Bardon. 9 am-12.30 pm. \$520 for staff of ACLIS member institutions, \$25 for others, if paid by 1 November. \$5 surcharge if paid after 1 November. Contact: Sandra Jeffries (075) 95 1505 or Gulcin Cribb (07) 365 3479.
- **12 November. Qld Branch. Council Meeting.** Room 307, Resource Centre, Kelvin Grove Campus, QUT. 5.30 pm. Contact: Hazel Wood (07) 353 3762 (evenings).
- **26 November. Library Technicians Section. Annual Sausage Sizzle.** Queensland College of Art, Clearview Terrace, Morningside. 5.30-8.30 pm. Members \$5, non-members \$7. Contact: Aline Weller (07) 375 4057 ext 218 (w), (07) 379 9451 (h).

## South Australia

- **23 October. Information Science Section. CD-ROM seminar: current and future applications.** Barr Smith Library Exhibition Room, University of Adelaide. 1.30-5 pm (demonstrations 5-6.30 pm). ALIA members \$25, non-members \$30. Contact: Kevin Griffin or Marty Williams (08) 223 8724.
- **25 October. Acquisitions' and Cataloguers' Sections. Joint 1-day seminar: How will you be served? Technical services data for sale: the implications for acquisitions and cataloguing in libraries.** The Orphanage Teachers Centre, 181 Goodwood Road, Millwood. ALIA members \$60, non-members \$80. Contact: Jenni Jeremy (08) 354 6664, or Lee Brauer (08) 223 8787.
- **14 November. Special Libraries Section. Tour of the DSTO Library at Salisbury.** Contact: Wendy Bromell (08) 207 0102.
- **19-21 November. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Biotechnology (19 Nov, 2-5), Introductory System (20 Nov), Beyond the Basics (12 Nov), Adelaide. Contact: (02) 212 2867.
- **20 November. Cataloguers' Section. AGM.** College Arms, Currie Street, Adelaide. 5 for 5.30 pm. There will be a guest speaker, and a dinner afterwards. Further details: TBA. Contact: Lee Brauer (08) 223 8787.
- **24 November. Public Libraries Section. AGM/Picnic.** Lundie Gardens, South Terrace, Adelaide.

1 pm. Free. Contact: Jenni McLeod (08) 296 1207 or Jenni Burgess (08) 243 5692. RSVP by 30 October.

- **26 November. Reference & Information Services Librarians' Section. AGM.** Ira Raymond Exhibition Room, Barr Smith Library. 6 pm AGM. 6.10 pm guest speaker Anne Seery on 'The Reference Interview'. 7 pm dinner at Villa Borghese. Contact: Patrick Condon (08) 228 5374.

## Tasmania

- **22 October. Tasmanian Branch. Speaker: Robyn Collins, Director Library Services, DEA.** Department of Library and Information Studies, University of Tasmania. 7.30 pm. Contact: Margie Hewett (002) 47 7800 (bh).
- **30 October. Northern Areas Regional Group. Speaker: John Levett, National President.** Devonport City Library. 7.30 pm. Meal beforehand at Formby Hotel. 6 pm. Contact: Ted Field (004) 24 4255 or Lesley Cooper (003) 27 2109.
- **12 December. Tasmanian Branch/TTLA. Christmas Dinner.** Hobart Pacific, Knocklofty Terrace, West Hobart. 7 for 7.30 pm. Contact: Margie Hewett (002) 47 7800 or Andy Smithies (002) 35 4812.

## Victoria

- **23 October. Ballarat/Geelong/Bendigo Regional Groups. Library Week Joint Meeting: 'Libraries for the public'.** Speakers: Prof. Margaret Cameron, Deakin University; Peter Mansfield, CHRIS. CHRIS, Camp Street. 6 pm. Contact: Jean Goh (053) 33 9423, Lindon Marks (053) 33 9653.
- **29 October. Literacy Section. Meeting.** Coburg Library, Cnr Victoria and Louisa Streets, Coburg. Speaker: Margaret Curlewis, Program Coordinator. 7 pm. Contact: Eve Stocker (03) 481 9548.
- **30 October. MONINFO. Europe 1992—** What it will mean for Australian business. Conference on sources of business information. CAE Business Education Centre. 9 am-5.30 pm. ALIA members: full day \$150 (includes lunch), afternoon \$80. Non-members: full day \$195 (includes lunch), afternoon \$110. Contact: Leigh Oldmeadow (03) 565 2690.
- **7 November. FLIS Training Pty Ltd.** Building on basic Dewey classification skills. Meat Market Craft Centre. 9.30 am-5 pm. \$160. Contact: Meg Paul (03) 813 1925.
- **7 November. University of Melbourne Library and Information Management Alumni (LIMA).** Annual dinner. Speaker: Dinny O'Hearn. Topic: Promoting Australian literature through the media. University House, Professor's Walk, University of Melbourne. 7 for 7.30 pm. Members and graduating students \$27, non-members \$30. Contact: Rosemary Nairn (03) 344 8615.
- **11 November. Special Libraries Section. Committee Meeting.** Bureau of Meteorology Library, 12th Floor, 150 Lonsdale Street, Melbourne. 5.15 pm onwards. Observers welcome. Contact: Trevor Wakely (03) 669 4301.
- **12-14 November. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Science & Technology (12 Nov), Introductory System (13 Nov), Business (14 Nov), Melbourne. Contact: (02) 212 2867.
- **14 November. Acquisitions Section. 1-day seminar 'The Electronics of Acquisitions: standard answers'.** Venue/Speakers: TBA.

Contact: Philip Kent (03) 418 7382, fax (03) 418 7311.

- **14 November. A seminar on Merlin to TINMAN, the Development of Hypertext Systems for Libraries.** Hilton on the Park. 10 am-12 noon. Free. Contact: Systematics Information Systems Pty Ltd (02) 411 3255 or (06) 253 2561.
- **19 November. FLIS Training Pty Ltd.** Maximize your teams' output: a workshop for library staff. Meat Market Craft Centre. 9.30 am-5 pm. \$160. Contact: Meg Paul (03) 813 1925.
- **20 November. Special Libraries Section. CSIRO Ian Walk Library — tour and demonstration of automated systems.** Bayview Avenue, Clayton. Contact: Stephen Cayless (03) 542 2249.
- **21 November. Viclink presents 'Confronting the challenge: students, schools and public libraries'.** Facilitator: Fay Nicholson. Keynote speaker: Prof. Graeme Davison, Monash University. Council of Adult Education, City Conference Centre. 9 am-4.30 pm. \$60. Contact: Christine Mackenzie (03) 547 8311.
- **25 November. RAILS. Session for academic librarians: 'Legal research skills'.** Presented by Jane Pointing. Council of Adult Education Conference Centre, 256 Flinders Street, Melbourne. 9.15 am-4.30 pm. ALIA members \$65, non-members \$90, students or non-salaried members \$30. Contact: Julie Marshall (03) 479 1927.
- **28 November. Health Libraries Section. AGM/Christmas Party.** Delacy Restaurant, Melbourne. 6 pm AGM, 6.30 food, drinks. ALIA members \$18, non-members \$25. Contact: Jo Marshall (03) 345 2577, fax (03) 345 2580.
- **2 December. Special Libraries Section. AGM/Christmas Party.** Royal Melbourne Zoological Gardens. ALIA members \$18, non-members \$36. (50% discount to ALIA members with workplace addresses outside the 03 telephone area code). Fully catered with gourmet food, champagne, wine, beer and soft drink. Contact: Stephen Cayless (03) 542 2249.
- **6 December. Victorian Branch. Christmas Party and presentation of Metcalfe Medallion.** Campus Gardens & Cloisters, Abbotsford Campus of La Trobe University, St Helliers Street, Abbotsford. 6-9 pm. ALIA members \$18, non-members \$30. Contact: Helen Sweeny (03) 479 1934. RSVP 28 November. Watch for flyer in *Cite* No 18, 28 November.

## Western Australia

- **22 October. UCRLS. Meeting. Theme: Acquisitions: Issues and Responses.** Speakers: Toby Burrows, Chris Mulder, Patrick Moore. User Education Room, Reid Library, UWA. 5 for 5.30 pm. Contact: John Frylinck (09) 351 7629.
- **23 October. Health Libraries Section. The Reference Interview: Dealing with Sensitive Issues.** Family Planning Association, 70 Roe Street, Northbridge. 5.30-9 pm. Health Libraries Section members \$25, others \$30. Contact: Elizabeth Hides (09) 222 4316.
- **25 October. Special Libraries Section. Sundowner/Contact Group.** Piano Bar, Orchard Hotel. Contact: Suzie Schulze (09) 340 1499.
- **26 October. WA Branch. Professional Reality Day.** Department of Library and Information Studies, Curtin University. 2-4 pm. No cost. Contact: Lynn Davis (09) 398 1210.
- **1 November. Special Libraries Section. Special Librarian Award Dinner.** Paesano's, 16 South Tce, Fremantle. 8 pm. \$25 (includes drinks).

RSVP 25 October. Contact: Deanne Barrett (09) 222 7372.

- **2 November. Children's and Youth Services Section. Not quite adult: a seminar on young people, libraries and literature.** Subiaco Public Library. 9 am. Members \$25, non-members \$30. Contact: Eve Morrissey (09) 418 0493.
- **6-9 November. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Introductory System (6 Nov), Beyond the Basics (7 Nov), Biotechnology (8 Nov, 9-12), TIPS & TECHNIQUES, Free lunchtime session (8 Nov, 1-2), Perth. Contact: (02) 212 2867.
- **12 November. Library Promotion Council. Meeting.** G1 Seminar Room, LISWA, Alexander Library Bldg, Cultural Centre, Perth. 6 pm. Contact: Denise Sullivan (09) 427 3263.
- **27 November. Library Technicians Section. AGM.** Alexander Library. 6 pm. Contact: E House (09) 447 5890 (ah).
- **6 December. Special Libraries Section. AGM.** Details: TBA.
- **13 December. Library Promotion Council. Christmas Function.** Details: TBA. Contact: Denise Sullivan (09) 427 3263.

## National

- **21-27 October 1991. Australian Library Week. 'Thrills and skills at your library'.**
- **6-8 November 1991. 1st National Reference and Information Services Librarians Conference. 'Priorities for the Future'.** Country Comfort Motel, Canberra. Contact: Conference Department, ALIA National Office (06) 285 1877.
- **7 November 1991. Reference and Information Services Librarians' Section. Second AGM.** Country Comfort Inn, Canberra. 4.30 pm. Contact: Erica Maxwell (03) 313 3296.
- **7-8 November 1991. National Sport and Recreation Information Seminar.** South Australian Sports Institute, 27 Valetta Road, Kidman Park, SA 5045. Contact: Ruth Sladek (08) 352 8877, fax (08) 354 0595.
- **11-13 November 1991. 6th VALA Biennial Conference and Exhibition. OPAC and Beyond.** Hilton on the Park Hotel, East Melbourne. Contact: Bloomsbury Conference Services Pty Ltd, 232 Bridge Road, Richmond, Vic 3121, telephone (03) 429 4322, fax (03) 427 0715.
- **29-30 November 1991. Cataloguers' Section. 9th National Cataloguing Conference: 'Cataloguing for online access'.** Keynote speaker: Michael Gorman. Ormond College, University of Melbourne. Contact: Margaret Waller (03) 669 9049 or Stephen Gillespie (03) 660 3108, fax (03) 663 3047.
- **27 September-2 October 1992. ALIA Biennial Conference. The Heart of the Matter.** Albury/Wodonga. Contact: ALIA Conference Department (06) 285 1877.

## International

**7-10 June 1993. National Congress of IASL. Sport Information in the 90s.** Rome. Contact: Maurizio Bruni Scola dello Sport Via dei Campi Sportivi 48, 00197, Rome, Italy. Fax 39636859230.

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