

# Call for papers

## neXt 2005: ALIA National Library and Information Technicians Conference

The neXt program committee invites submissions for presentation at neXt 2005: ALIA National Library and Information Technicians conference, 6–9 September 2005, Darling Harbour, Sydney. The conference will explore the themes of *eXperiences*, *eXcellence*, *eXpectations* and we are actively seeking submissions that will:

- educate and inform delegates on current practice in the library and information sector
- showcase excellence in practice, procedure and individual performance
- challenge delegates to consider and debate changes in information management, resources and services
- identify technological innovations and their current and/or future benefits for the information sector
- encourage collaboration amongst organisations and individuals, thereby providing an opportunity to continue professional development beyond the conference.

### Types of presentation:

A *paper* describes and discusses work that the presenter is doing or has done in relation to theory and practice. Papers are generally delivered in a lecture style and will run for thirty minutes.

A *workshop* features one or more leaders working with a group. Delegates will actively participate in the learning process.

A *short talk or demonstration* is a fifteen-minute presentation on a particular topic. The content is descriptive and can be supported by audiovisual material.

## ALIAppointments

<http://alia.org.au/employment/vacancies/>



### MOORE THEOLOGICAL COLLEGE

#### Library Manager

Applications are invited for the position of Library Manager at Moore Theological College.

The College has a major role in the training of men and women for Christian ministry in both the Anglican Diocese of Sydney and the world. Its library has a very significant collection of theological works. As the College expands in the next five years the library will continue to be a critical and valuable resource for Faculty, local students, international students and visiting scholars.

The Library Manager is responsible to the Bursar for all operations of the Library. The successful applicant will initiate and manage policies and procedures to deliver a quality and dynamic service.

Applicants should hold formal library qualifications and be able to demonstrate management expertise and experience in an academic library. Good interpersonal and business management skills, a definite Christian commitment and a track record of initiative and adaptability are required.

The salary package will be negotiated in accordance with the successful applicant's qualifications and experience.

Applications will be treated in strictest confidence and should be made in writing and sent by **22 October 2004** to:

The Principal  
Moore Theological College  
1 King Street  
Newtown NSW 2042

Further information may be obtained by telephoning Martin Sumpter (Bursar) or John Woodhouse (Principal) on 9577 9999, or by emailing Martin Sumpter at [martin.sumpter@moore.edu.au](mailto:martin.sumpter@moore.edu.au).

### Guidelines for contributors

*Format:* Abstracts are to be submitted using the template available from the conference website [<http://conferences.alia.org.au/libtec2005/>] or from Kate Fisher (see address details below). In addition all submissions must be in the following style:

1. Font to be in 12-point Ariel with double-spacing throughout.
2. The complete title to be in capitals, with presenting author/s underlined. Co-authors to be listed if required.
3. All submissions to include: name, organisation, position, address, phone number and e-mail contacts and previous presentations. Please indicate if this would be your first presentation if selected.
4. The abstract is to be no more than 250 words and must clearly indicate the focus of the paper.
5. References should be used sparingly.

*Submissions:* All proposals are to be submitted in electronic format (e-mail or disk) and in Microsoft Word. Submissions can be made via e-mail to: [francis@conferenceaction.com.au](mailto:francis@conferenceaction.com.au), or mail the proposal on disk to Francis Child, project manager, Conference Action, Suite 104/308 Pacific Highway, Crows Nest NSW 2065.

Submissions due: 31 October 2004.

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Acceptance of papers/presentations will be at the discretion of the program committee. Abstracts and biographies for accepted papers and presentations will be published in the program guide and on the neXt website [<http://conferences.alia.org.au/libtec2005/>]. ■



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