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***** Off-site

Thursday 7:30-9:20 A.M.

Breakfast With Unique Management

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***** Off-site

Thursday 8:30-10:20 A.M.

Club SLC: Librarians Go Electric

Presenters: Carla Buss, Caroline Cason, Nadine Cohen, Sheila Devaney, Florence King, Deborah Stanley, Anna Van Scoyoc

Location: UGA Student Learning Center

The librarians from the UGA's Student Learning Center will discuss their first year in this unique building, and what they learned about providing library services in a non-traditional environment.

Thursday Single Sessions

7:30 – 8:20 A.M.

Government Documents Interest Group Business Meeting

Presenters: Martha Ebener, Chair and Lisa Ennis, Vice Chair

Location: Room A

Discuss issues pertaining to Federal Government Documents and elect officers for 2005.

Distance Education Interest Group Business Meeting

Presenter: Michael Wilson

Location: Room B

Business meeting of the Distance Education Interest Group.

Children's Services Section of the Public Library Division of GLA

Presenter: Patricia Dollisch

Location: Room D

Business meeting to vote on leadership and constitution and bylaws.

The R-SIG Business Meeting

Presenter: J.D. Wilson

Location: Room G
Business meeting.

ALA Update

Presenter: Ann Hamilton

Location: Room H

If you want to hear more about hot topics within ALA or have questions/concerns about ALA and its activities, come to the ALA Update!

Special Needs / IS Division

Presenter: Ravonne Green

Location: Room J

Come join other librarians from special libraries to discuss common needs and problems and challenges.

Sagebrush User Group Meeting

Presenter: Denise Veal

Location: Room Willow

User group meeting.

Paraprofessional Division Business Meeting

Presenter: Andrea Heisel

Location: Empire 1

Business meeting of the division.

Ask Technical Services

Presenters: Debra Skinner, Chair for the GLA Technical Services Interest Group

Location: Room C

Bring your questions or share your experiences in Technical Service, and stay for the Technical Services Interest Group business meeting.

Thursday Double Sessions

8:30 – 10:20 A.M.

¡Vamanos a la Biblioteca!

Presenters: Sister Margarita Martin, Gail Firestone, Kathryn Ames, Susan Stewart

Location: Room A

The rapid growth of Georgia's Latino population has brought about new library services; this panel will discuss challenges in serving new community members, issues facing libraries and provide example of service.

Digital Library of Georgia Update

Presenters: P. Toby Graham and Ed Johnson

Location: Room B

Learn about new developments in the Digital Library of Georgia, and find out what's coming next.

Georgia Academic and Research Library Building Project Round-Up

Presenters: Charles Forrest , Ann Hamilton and Shawn Tonner
Location: Room D

Come hear about the facilities your colleagues in academic and research libraries have finished in the last few years, and see what exciting new developments are just down the road.

Online Statistical Resources from Selected Federal Agencies Other Than the Census Bureau

Presenter: Stephen Sexton
Location: Room G

If you think the Census Bureau has all of the statistics, you should see these other Federal Agency sites.

Thursday Single Sessions
8:30 – 9:20 A.M.

What are Faculty Thinking? A Survey of Humanities and Social Sciences Departments at the University of Georgia

Presenters: Kristin Nielson and Nan McMurry
Location: Room H

Hear the results from a faculty survey about library collections research methods: Do faculty Google or GALILEO? Love or hate books? Rely on databases or still browse the stacks?

Shopping for Resources and Serving the Feast... Writing Fiction That Informs Young Readers

Presenter: Gail Karwoski
Location: Room I

To introduce a children's book author and take an inside look at her writing process and the world of book publishing.

3rd Time is the Charm for the Georgia Helen Ruffin reading Bowl!

Presenters: Barbara Hallstrom, Donna Milner, Janice Sly, Mary Thomas, Anne Wallace, Stephen Williams, and the GA. Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl Steering Committee
Location: Room J

Join the Georgia Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl; a fun filled, interactive learning experience using the Georgia Book Awards nominees and the Georgia Peach Teen Reader's Choice Award nominees.

OLC Connexion: Client or Browser?

Presenter: Laura Crook
Location: Room Willow

Connexion Client and Connexion Browser: What are the differences and when to use each?

Programming for Seniors

Presenter: Carole Elmore

Location: Room Empire 1

If your library is planning out-reach programming for seniors or if you currently do out-reach programs and would like some new ideas, this program should be helpful.

Implementing SFX: Impact on Acquisitions and Cataloging

Presenters: William Walsh and Judith Shelton

Location: Room Empire 2

SFX: Learn what catalog and acquisitions librarians need to know!

What is the Peach Teen Readers' Choice Award

Presenters: Kathleen G. Woods, Mary Nevil, Sharon Deeds, and Bobbie Morgan

Location: Room Oconee 1

A committee of GLA and GLMA members have selected a list of 20 current books for teenage readers that will be promoted in public and private libraries across the state of Georgia for the coming year. Teenagers who read at least one of the books can go to the GA Peach Teen Reader's Choice web site and vote for their favorite book. The winning author will be presented with an award at the following COMO meeting.

Come "Bear" With Me!

Presenter: Patsy McCutcheon

Location: Room Oconee 2

Come and see a cave full of "hands-on" activities to extend your favorite literature featuring bears and other mammals.

How the Grants Were Used

Presenter: Betsy Razza

Location: Room Upper 1

Three recipients of the 2003-2004 GLMA mini-grants will share how they implemented their programs made possible through the GLMA mini-grants.

Updates On Legal Issues Affecting Libraries

Presenter: Cathy Helms

Location: Room Upper 2

Learn more about legal issues affecting libraries, including changes to the Fair Labor Standards Act, workers compensation, grievance procedures, sexual harassment issues, and legal liability for financial transactions.

"Make Your Library a Center for Healthy Learning"

Presenters: Cathy B. Rieger and Holly R. Heitman

Location: Room Middle 1

Discover ways to establish a consumer health information center in

your public library and the benefits it will have for the community you serve.

Get Big Results From a Low Budget School and Public Library Collaboration

Presenters: Dr. Juanita W. Buddy and Sharon Deeds

Location: Room Middle 2

Learn the low-budget strategies used by a school system and public library system collaboration to promote reading and student achievement.

Subject Access to Spanish Language Materials

Presenter: Dr. Elaine Yontz

Location: Room LL 1

Rationale, options, and tools for providing culturally-appropriate subject access to Spanish-language library materials.

Computers, Computers, Everywhere! How Does the Reference Librarian Find Relief?

Presenter: Sonya S. Shepherd

Location: Room LL 2

This program sponsored by the Reference Services Interest Group is designed to help those who once worked at the reference desk using only the card catalog, periodicals, and books and you are having a hard time adjusting to the daily use of computers and coping with your computer stress while at the reference desk.

Thursday Single Sessions

9:30 – 10:20 A.M.

Acts, Institutions, People: Collaborating for Access Through a Distributed Information System

Presenter: Monica Pereira

Location: Room H

Collaborative efforts in sharing electronic agricultural resources meet with growing success in providing access to academic research.

Dissecting Picture Books with Author/Illustrator Nina Laden

Presenter: Nina Laden

Location: Room I

Experience and explore picture books with author/illustrator Nina Laden.

Creating eBooks: Curriculum Connections in the Media Center

Presenters: Dawn Putney and Elizabeth Bennett

Location: Room J

The media center can be an appropriate place to use basic multimedia tools to create interactive eBooks to support any topic or

concept in the curriculum.

More Than Ask-A-Librarian: Everything You Wanted to Know About Starting a Chat Reference Service

Presenters: Liz Bagley, Elaine Hughes and Rachel Sindelar

Location: Room Willow

The session will provide an overview of the software available for chat reference, issues to consider when starting a chat reference service, and what to expect when the service is implemented.

Library Solution™ - The Advanced Automation Solution

Presenter: Gerry Davies

Location: Room Empire 1

Learn why Library Solution™ is easy to use and recommended by thousands of libraries like yours.

Information Literacy: Presenting Shortcuts for Success in Research and Writing

Presenters: J.D. Wilson and Liza Davis

Location: Room Empire 2

Librarian and faculty design an interdisciplinary honors course to help students find sources, evaluate evidence, and improve academic writing skills.

Come See Britannica's New Online Resources for Your School!

Presenter: Phil Cox

Location: Room Oconee 1

Check out Britannica's new reference materials and classroom activities for both elementary and secondary students!

Breaking It Down: Introducing Topics in an Illustrated Story Form

Presenter: Mr. Lynn Strickland

Location: Room Oconee 2

Using picture books to introduce as a prelude to topics in core classes.

Grantwriting Tips for Media Specialists and Others

Presenter: Karen R. Lowe

Location: Room Upper 1

Is your media budget woefully inadequate for replacing resources, let alone building a collection? Don't get mad – get started – be proactive about funding your media collection and projects.

Presenting One-Person Puppet Shows

Presenter: Teresa Harris

Location: Room Upper 2

This program is for puppeteers of all skill levels to learn more about the art form and for them to share, if possible, books and scripts that worked well as one-person puppet shows.

Reaching Teen Mothers at Risk

Presenters: Veronica Winley, Tamika Maddox and Jeanne McMahan

Location: Room Middle 1

Here's a low-cost approach to literacy that will pay huge benefits for years to come.

GALILEO Q & A Session

Presenter: Deborah Shackelford

Location: Room Middle 2

A panel of GALILEO staff members answers your questions.

The *Almost* Virtual Training for Supervisors: A Model for Staff Development When Time, Place, and Budget are Limited

Presenters: Judy J. Atwood, Debbie Thrasher and Suzie DeGrasse

Location: Room LL 1

The *almost* virtual training for supervisors combines online and traditional resources to make staff development possible even when time, place, and budget are limited.

Care and Feeding of Starving Artists: How the Library Engages Students With an Annual Art Contest

Presenter: Felicia Buzbee

Location: Room LL 2

Learn how to create and implement a student art contest successfully from the experience of the Macon State College Library.

10:30- 11:30 A.M. EXHIBITS ONLY

LUNCHEONS AND SPEAKERS

GLA Academic Division Luncheon

Location: Room E

Speaker: Frances Maloy

GLA Public Library & Trustees/Friends Division Luncheon

Location: Firehall

Speaker: Judith Ortiz Cofer

<http://www.chelseaforum.com/speakers/Cofer.htm>

GLA School Media Division/GLMA Luncheon

Location: Room F

Speaker: Dr. Lynn Futch

Thursday Single Sessions

1:00 – 1:50 P.M.

Measuring What Counts for Promotion and Tenure

Presenters: Fred Smith, Jocelyn Poole, and Bob Fernekes

Location: Room D

This session will give academic librarians a chance to compare their views with that of their colleagues concerning how much value they place on various service and scholarship activities for promotion and tenure.

E-Reserves at the UGA Science Library: A Case Study

Presenter: Cynthia L. Prosser

Location: Room H

One library's approach to implementing e-reserves and where we are going from here,

Tales of Tenacity: The Long Road to Being Published

Presenter: Steve Berry

Location: Room I

Steve Berry, author of the top selling book, *The Amber Room*, will discuss the trials and tribulations of being published by a major publishing house.

E-Explorer – Using the Internet to Reach to Young Readers

Presenter: Ben Mathes

Location: Room J

To inspire support of the most innovative and free library based show on the Internet! www.e-explorer.tv

Fast Track to Virtual Reference Desk (VRD) Software Selection

Presenter: LiLi Li

Location: Room Willow

This presentation covers general principals and methodologies of evaluating Virtual Reference Desk (VRD) software, including evaluation criteria, process, and recommendations for librarians and library executives who are interested in Virtual Reference Desk (VRD) software.

The ARC: Preparing to Board

Presenters: Charles Skewis, Iris Durden and Debra Skinner

Location: Room Empire 2

Learn how Georgia Southern is preparing collections for an automated retrieval system as part of an expansion / renovation project.

Stars and Mars are Not So Far.... You Too Can Get There With GALILEO for Kids

Presenter: Tina Graham and Kay Defore

Location: Room Oconee 1

Learn which resources are available in GALILEO for elementary school students. SIRS Discoverer and Seachasaurus will be covered thoroughly.

Information Literate? The Latest Research About Online Searching Behavior

Presenter: Sharon Mitchell

Location: Room Oconee 2

Possible solutions for online searching challenges. Learn how your patrons' mistakes can give you clues to improving their online research skills.

EXPRESS: Tending an Open-Mike Poetry Month Program

Presenter: Tim Wojcik

Location: Room Upper 1

How a media specialist/librarian pulled off a month long open-mike celebration of National Poetry Month.

Virtual History: The Past Goes Modern

Presenters: JoEllen Ostendorf and Kaye Minchew

Location: Room Upper 2

Two Troup County's agencies, the library and archives, share their experiences in collaborating to share fragile archival records online and making them accessible to the community and the world.

The HBCU Library Alliance and SOLINET: Partners in Inclusion

Presenter: Dr. Janice R. Franklin

Location: Room Middle 1

This dynamic presentation will explore the Historically Black College and University Library Alliance's conception, progress to date and future plans.

A Success Formula for Promoting GALILEO in K-12 Schools

Presenter: Dr. Juanita W. Buddy

Location: Room Middle 2

Ever wondered what strategies other library media specialists are using to promote the use of GALILEO in the local school? The results of the statewide research study can provide some answers.

Treasure Chest Keys for Healthy Students and Improved Achievement

Presenter: Blondie Walker

Location: Room LL 1

Believe it or not! The library media specialist has special keys to help elementary school students unlock the treasure chest to improved physical fitness and nutrition.

What is a Reference Book?

Presenter: Rebecca Ziegler

Location: Room LL 2

This program will help participants develop guidelines for deciding which books should be added to the reference collection, and which should be sent to the circulating collection or elsewhere in the library.

Thursday Double Sessions

1:00 – 2:50 P.M.

GALILEO for Genealogy

Presenter: Laura W. Carter

Location: Room A

This session, primarily for public librarians, will be an overview of GALILEO Resources (especially Ancestry Plus) useful in genealogical and historical research.

The Shortest Distance Between Two People is a Story: Storytelling as a Multicultural Bridge

Presenters: Donna Washington and Sue Ayvar

Location: Room B

Come and explore multicultural folktales that celebrate our diversity as well as our similarities, enhance respect and understanding between people of different traditions and cultures and have some great fun in the process!

GLA Academic Library Division/GA ACRL

Presenters: Just Getting a Degree, Susan Curtis; Segmenting the Library Market: Reaching Out to the User Community by Reaching across the Organization, Charles Forrest; One Library's Response to and Recovery from Being Cut from the First Year Experience, Jennifer R. Inglis; Paradoxical Views of Librarian in the Rhetoric of Library Science Literature: A Fantasy Theme Analysis, Rick Stoddart and Adrienne Lee; Institutional Repository Planning and Development at the Georgia Institute of Technology, Tyler O. Walters.

Location: Room C

Paper presentations.

Closing Your Computer Lab on Time & DTAE Library Consortia Business Meeting

Presenter: Gail Roberts

Location: Room G

Demonstration of Sleepy, a software program to shut computers down with a discussion of other ideas to make running a computer lab easier, followed by the business meeting for Technical College Libraries.

Imagining a New Model: Consortia Opportunities Among the Member Libraries of the Georgia Foundation for Independent Colleges

Presenters: Dr. Tony Krug, Dr. Hector, Elizabeth Hammond, Kim Herndon, Shawn Tonner

Location: Room Empire 1

Opportunities ahead for members of the Georgia Foundation of Independent Colleges.

Thursday Single Sessions

2:00 – 2:50 P.M.

Top Ten Tips on Teaching and Learning from the Georgia Governor's Teaching Fellows Program

Presenter: Catherine A. Lee

Location: Room D

Catherine Lee, the first librarian to participate in the Georgia Governor's Teaching Fellows Program, will share some insights on teaching and learning that she gleaned from the year-long program.

How to Create Display Cases That Not Only Advertise Your Government Documents Collection to Your School and the General Public but Also Let Them Know What Fascinating Material You Have in Your Collection...

Presenter: Martha Ebener

Location: Room H

Marketing your Government Documents Collection with displays of Depository items.

Laugh it Up with Author Robb White

Presenter: Robb White

Location: Room I

Laugh until your sides split with humorist and author of *How to Build a Tin Canoe*.

Teaching *Hole*istically: Using *Holes* for a School-Wide Reading Program With Students With Special Needs

Presenters: Cindy Hadden and Dan Spangler

Location: Room J

Teaching *Hole*istically-using the Newbery Medal book *Holes*, by Louis Sachar, as a school wide reading program for students with special behavioral and emotional needs.

First Search ILL Integration

Presenters: Laura Crook or Stacey Shoup

Location: Room Willow

SOLINET will be discussing the integration of First Search ILL and demonstrating and answering questions about the transition from Passport.

Scientific Knowledge: Free Life Sciences Resources From the National Library of Medicine

Presenter: Toni C. Yancey

Location: Room Empire 2

Use NLM's databases to promote lifelong learning of the sciences.

Go the Distance: Professional Learning Online

Presenter: Kathi Vanderbilt and Kathleen Lyons

Location: Room Oconee 1

Learn about the collaborative efforts of a media specialist and teacher to design, develop and implement an e-learning course on information literacy skills in a K-12 learning community.

Science Fair Fun: Using GALILEO and Internet Resources to Research and Create Successful Science Fair Projects.

Presenter: Katie Gohn

Location: Room Oconee 2

Learn how to utilize GALILEO databases and key Internet resources related to science fair projects.

Being Flexible in a Fixed Schedule World

Presenter: Karen R. Lowe

Location: Room Upper 1

This session presents options for working flexibly within a fixed schedule and strategies for selling the idea to teachers and principals.

Creating the Perfect Collaborative Classroom Environment

Presenter: Angie Watson

Location: Room Upper 2

Creating the perfect collaborative classroom environment.

Marketing Your Building Program: Peachtree City Library's Successful Bond Referendum

Presenter: Jill Prouty

Location: Room Middle 1

Hear how Peachtree City Library convinced local elected officials and the public that major renovation and expansion were needed.

Promoting GALILEO at Your Library

Presenters: Philip McArdle and Merryll S. Penson

Location: Room Middle 2

Learn how to get the most out of GALILEO in your library or media center with some fresh promotional ideas from the GALILEO staff.

The Open Access Movement in Scholarly Publishing: The Impact Beyond Academic Libraries

Presenter: Natalia Taylor

Location: Room LL 1

Join colleagues from across the library field to discuss the Open Access Movement in publishing and its impact on libraries and research outside the traditional College/University setting. Followed by the Collection Development Special Interest Group business meeting.

Minimizing Overdues Rates With Positive Reinforcement

Presenters: Bede Mitchell and Fred Smith

Location: Room LL 2

Using positive reinforcement as an alternative or supplement to

library fines.

3:00 – 4:00 P.M. EXHIBITS ONLY

Thursday Single Sessions

4:00 – 4:50 P.M.

GLMA District 1 Meeting and Showcase

Presenters: Donna Milner and Nancy Bowyer

Location: Room A

Come enjoy a library luau where we will feast on the latest books and technologies while leaning about unique opportunities in GLMA District 1.

Georgia Student Media Festival Update

Presenters: Michelle Lenderman, Ann Grantham, and Dr. Gordon Baker

Location: Room B

Participants will learn about hosting a school media festival and what's new with the Georgia Student Media Festival.

New Multi-Type Academic Library Standards

Presenters: Dr. Bill Nelson and Bob Fernekes

Location: Room C

The program will explain the 2004 ACRL *Standards for Libraries in Higher Education*, recommend methods of compliance with the outcomes assessment requirements, discuss the implication for GA academic libraries, and discuss their relationship to SACS and other standards.

Building and Launching Today's ARC Takes More than Forty Days and Forty Nights

Presenter: Ann Hamilton

Location: Room D

If you are planning or expect to plan a new building, come and hear about planning for Georgia Southern's library expansion/renovation project including the on-site density storage system.

CD-R or DVD-R: Which is the Right Format for Your Project?

Presenter: Kenneth F. Clark

Location: Room G

A comparison of the optical disk formats CD-R and DVD-R. The session will include a discussion what is the best medium for different types of projects.

The Devil is in the Details – One Library's Moving Experience

Presenters: Lisa Ennis, Nicole Mitchell and Christine Zuger

Location: Room H

Come discuss the strange and unusual things, some good... some

not so good, that happened moving into a 20 million dollar new addition.

Moments of Grace Along the Road to Ellenton: The Theology Within *When the Finch Rises*

Presenter: Jack Riggs

Location: Room I

Jack Riggs, author of the highly acclaimed novel *When the Finch Rises*, will discuss the premise that within most southern fiction (and his own debut novel) there lies a theological connection to the idea of grace and redemption.

It Works for Us at Pickens County Middle School

Presenter: Janice R. Sly

Location: Room J

Do you need ideas to encourage reading, motivate teachers to cooperate, promote greater use of your media center, build community support, and win the support of your principal? Here are some concrete suggestions that worked for us!

Living in the Land of Many: Consortia Libraries in Georgia

Presenters: Gene Ruffin, Debbie Holmes, and Barbara Petersohn

Location: Room Willow

This will be a panel discussion concerning multi-institutional libraries. It will cover issues such as populations served, problems encountered, benefits, and the future of such relationships.

The Advent of the Information/Learning Commons: A Report on Georgia Tech Library's Two-year Experience

Presenter: Crit Stuart

Location: Room Empire 1

Stuart will give a behind-the-scenes assessment of Georgia Tech Library's on-going experiment, in partnership with other campus units, to evolve and sustain an information / learning commons.

Strategies for Lowering Your OCLC Bill

Presenter: Stacey Shoup

Location: Room Empire 2

Tips and techniques to lower your OCLC bill.

Browser-based Centralized Library Automation: Cut Costs and Impact Resources Across Your District

Presenter: Steve Horton

Location: Room Oconee 1

Learn how our next-generation, browser-based K-12 library system can help you organize and manage information resources anytime, anywhere across your district.

Curriculum: A Collaborative Model

Presenters: Dawn Putney and Melanie Cardell

Location: Room Oconee 2

The school library media specialist can be an instructional leader

who initiates collaborative curriculum development.

**Academic Service Learning Grants and the Title 1 School.
What it Can Do for Your School Moral.**

Presenters: Mary Jo Williams-Thompson and Lovie Gaines-Huston

Location: Room Upper 1

Academic Service Learning can turn your Title 1 school around. Students learn to connect their school and community through services they perform.

Recreational Writing & Beyond: Programming for the Creative Spirit @ Your Library

Presenter: Rebecca Watts

Location: Room Upper 2

Find out how the Peachtree City Library encourages local writers by providing a spirited monthly forum called *Writers Circle* as well as publishing an annual scrapbook with a public poetry reading in April.

Managing for Results

Presenters: Kathryn S. Ames and Susan Stewart

Location: Room Middle 1

With tight budgets, libraries can no longer “be all things to all people.” This program will help libraries set priorities and find the funds to achieve them.

Beginnings & Endings – Simple Story Time Solutions

Presenters: Betty Bean and Sarah McGhee

Location: Room Middle 2

Tired of the same old song? Come to this workshop to learn fun and creative ideas to open and close your story time programs!

Your Retirement With TRS

Presenter: Mike Zarem

Location: Room LL 1

Learn about the Teacher’s Retirement System of Georgia to help you plan for the best retirement.

Research Integration for Brenau Students

Presenters: Ravonne Green, Joe Dawsey, Crystal Chang, Kathryn Eskew, Gail Morton, Maureen Farry, Erin McKinney, Julie Dean

Location: Room LL 2

We will present a poster board presentation that includes three areas, quick research guide, information literacy, and assessment of research integration instruction for Brenau students.

Thursday

5:00-6:30 P.M.

Second General Session

Location: Athena Ballroom

Keynote Speaker: Nina Laden

Thursday**6:30-7:45 P.M.****Authors' Wine and Cheese Reception***Location: Courtyard***Thursday****8:00 P.M.****GLA Awards Ceremony and Banquet***Location: Oconee 1 and Oconee 2*

Program to honor Charles Beard

Friday**7:00 – 8:20 A.M.****GAIT Breakfast***Location: Room A***Friday Single Sessions****7:30 – 8:20 A.M.****The Big Squeeze: Storage Alternatives for Growing Physical Collections***Presenter: Charles Forrest**Location: Room G*

High density storage systems offer a variety of ways to accommodate growing physical collections when new construction is not an option.

Libraries in Higher Education: A Compliance Strategy for the News SACS Standards*Presenter: Dr. Bill Nelson**Location: Room H*

An experienced SACS evaluator reviews the elements of the 2004 SACS standards for colleges and universities, discusses the implications for libraries in higher education, and suggests a strategy for compliance.

An Author by Accident – Being in the Right Place at the Right Time*Presenter: Donna Washington**Location: Room I*

Some people strive to get published, but authorship attacked Donna Washington, threw her to the ground and dragged her kicking and screaming back to its cave. This business of being a published author is full of pitfalls and unexpected turns. Come and share in this zany adventure with an author who is both astonished and intrigued by this unexpected career.

Reading Clubs on an Itsy-Bitsy Budget

Presenter: Lisa Tarr

Location: Room J

Find success with zero budget programs for elementary age children.

Seven Steps to Better Patent Searching: Navigating the USPTO website.

Presenter: Joanne Tobin

Location: Room Willow

Learn the tips and techniques of patent and trademark searching on the USPTO website.

Forsyth County Public Schools and Forsyth County Public Library – Virtually Partners

Presenters: Liz Forster, Vanessa Cowie, Eva Wardrup, and Becky Hitch

Location: Room Empire 1

Presentors will discuss the simple but effective steps taken to create an ongoing school/library partnership that connects the school age population with the electronic resources available at the public library and at home.

No Passport Required: How GALILEO Can Help You Travel the Globe to Find International Business Information

Presenters: Roger Magnus and Casey Long

Location: Room Empire 2

Learn how to find information on international companies, industries, and more using GALILEO.

Georgia Library Media Association Fall Board Meeting

Presenter: Millicent D. Norman

Location: Room Oconee 1

At the Georgia Library Media Association Fall Board meeting the issues will be identified and discussed in preparation for 2005.

Brain-Based Information Literacy Instruction

Presenters: Melanie Cardell and Peggy Milam

Location: Room Oconee 2

Learn how latest research on the brain can enhance information literacy instruction.

Sunshine Laws and the Public Librarian

Presenter: Hollie Manheimer

Location: Room Upper2

Access in the context of public libraries.

Loose Nukes – Information Resources About This Extremely Dangerous Threat to Homeland Security

Presenter: Louise S. White

Location: Room Middle 1

Get prepared to meet your patrons' curiosity about this threat to our cities, the great danger of unsecured nuclear material that may fall into terrorists' hands.

GALILEO for K-12

Presenters: Karen Minton and Katie Gohn

Location: Room Middle 2

A review of the features and content GALILEO offers the K-12 community with a special focus on Georgia history resources and new databases.

Crisis Response in the Library: Working With Victims

Presenter: Wendy S. Wilmoth

Location: Room LL 1

Learn how to be an effective first responder to victims of violent crime in the library.

Intershelving Electronic and Paper GovDocs. or Where to Put those Pesky CD-ROM's

Presenter: Barbara Jones

Location: Room LL 2

Come hear about Dalton State's successful implementation of shelving CD's and diskettes among their government documents paper collection.

Interest Group Council Business Meeting

Presenter: Michael Aldrich

Location: Upper 1

All GLA Interest Group Chairs & Chair-elects should attend this meeting to discuss the needs of Interest Groups in GLA. Conduct the business of the Interest Group Council, including election for next year's officers.

Friday Double Sessions

7:30 – 9:20 A.M.

Books, Lives & Videotape

Presenter: Duncan Smith

Location: Room B

Learn specific strategies for answering the question many library staff dread the most—responding to the “What’s a good book to read?”

Issues at the Circulation Desk

Presenter: Fred Smith

Location: Room C

Attendees will hear how other circulation staff handle a number of difficult circulation-related problems, and will have a chance to

contribute their views to the discussion.

The UGA Fire and the Recovery Process

Presenters: Nan McMurry, Susan Field, and Ryan Perry

Location: Room D

Come learn about one library's recovery from a devastating fire.

Pulling the Plug on Plagiarism

Presenters: Michelle Lewin and Tim Lovelace

Location: Room E

You will be introduced to concepts related to plagiarism and offered some guidelines to help identify and prevent such practices.

P is For Peach, A Georgia Alphabet

Presenter: Mark Braught

Location: Room F

Mark Braught is the illustrator for Carol Crane's P is for Peach, A Georgia Alphabet. He will give an overview of alphabet books using P is for Peach as a model for creative writing, reading, and research.

Friday Single Sessions

8:30 – 9:20 A.M.

Collection Development: Going the Distance

Presenters: Carol Goodson, Julie Chapman, Michael Wilson, Kathryn Eskew

Location: Room G

Learn how to develop and manage your collection for distance learners ethically, legally, and economically.

Automated Ordering Processes

Presenters: Dianne Gilmer and Jack Fisher

Location: Room H

Discussion of tools and processes for using technology in academic library acquisitions.

Confirming Family and Community through Literature

Presenter: Bettye Stroud

Location: Room I

Intergenerational friendships, childhood fears, and family support are some of the topics children's author Bettye Stroud addresses in her sensitive stories reflecting African-American Culture and History.

Good Books + Good Management = A Successful Georgia Children's Book Award Program

Presenter: Nancy Bowyer

Location: Room J

Session includes discussion of this year's nominated books and specific ideas for managing your school's program.

Valdosta State University Campus Portal = Greater Library Access + Communication

Presenters: Sherrida Crawford and Ken Smith

Location: Room Willow

Campus portal = Academic Library Access

Short-cut to Collection Development for New Academic Programs

Presenter: Sue Stephenson

Location: Room Empire 1

Suggestions for ways to develop a collection for a new program.

Integrating Impatica Into the Curriculum to Enhance Student Learning and Public Relations

Presenters: Dr. Barbara K. McKenzie and Dr. Thomas J. Davidson

Location: Room Empire 2

Participants will be introduced to *Impatica for PowerPoint* and *Impatica OnCue*, two new innovative online delivery communication systems that compress information streamed over the Internet, and shown how they can be used by students and school personnel to enhance student learning and school public relations activities.

Making History Live!: Using School History to Teach Oral History

Presenter: Dr. Marsha T. Hunter

Location: Room Oconee 1

Whatever the age of your school, oral history offers a way to document its history – and students can do it!

“A-Rockin’ and A-Reading” – Read-Alouds That Rock!

Presenter: Diane Z. Shore

Location: Room Oconee 2

Diane Z. Shore, a former elementary teacher turned author, whose first picture book, *Bus-A-Saurus Bop*, was awarded a 2004 Children’s Choice Award, will have you a-laughin’ and a-learnin’ as she shares tried and true, as well as new, rhyming, read-alouds.

Software and Computer Hardware Needed to Edit Video and to Create a Multimedia Project

Presenter: John S. Brooks

Location: Room Upper 1

A video editing program can be started at your school with a little time and effort.

Centralizing Your Library Collection

Presenters: Denise Veal and James Moreno Llanas

Location: Room Upper 2

Centralized library automation minimizes system maintenance, simplifies library tasks and streamlines searching so library staff can

spend more time educating students.

Science and Technology Innovations Without a Science and Technology Library: the Georgia Southern Experience

Presenter: JoEllen Broome

Location: Room Middle 1

Hear how one Southeast Georgia campus began to offer good Science and Technology Library support to faculty and students without a S & T library and share your experiences.

The Possible Dream: Collaborating to Develop Information Literacy Skills

Presenters: Judi Repman, Tracey Perryman-Sikes, Lisa Smith, and Marie Franklin

Location: Room Middle 2

See what a difference collaboration makes by hearing the story of Portal High School's effort to improve student information literacy using the Big6.

Creating Policies for Results

Presenter: Kathryn Ames

Location: Room LL1

Using PLA's manual, *Creating Policies for Results*, participants will be introduced to a template for successful policy development.

Consumer Health Resources in GALILEO

Presenter: Peter Shipman

Location: Room LL 2

When patrons need help answering their health questions, let GALILEO health resources lead them to better wellness.

9:30 – 10:30 A.M. EXHIBITS ONLY

Friday Single Sessions

10:30 – 11:20 A.M.

The History and Importance of Finger Plays and Nursery Rhymes in Early Childhood Development

Presenter: Lori Reeves—AKA "Miss Lori"

Location: Room B

Finger plays with nursery rhymes are valuable activities that help children acquire skills that are essential to their development and learning. They help improve and advance memory and language skills, while also aiding in the development of eye-hand coordination and enhancing their gross and fine motor skills. Hands on participation, fun games, resource handouts and a booklet of words and movements to fifteen finger play/nursery rhymes.

Library Paraprofessional Education: Looking Back at the Past

and Ahead to the Future

Presenter: Stephen M. Koplan

Location: Room C

This will be an interactive session designed to review past educational experiences for non-degreed library staff and promote suggestions that may be reflective of libraries of the future and those that will staff them.

Hook, Line, and Sinker: Engaging the Academic Community in Library Research

Presenters: Ian Thomas, Monica Pereira, Jacquie Houston, and Diana Hartle

Location: Room D

Learn how one Reference Department reached out to the academic community to promote bibliographic information sessions and how they tailored these sessions to undergraduate needs.

GLC for Media Specialists & More!

Presenters: Susan Sams and Judy Serritella

Location: Room E

What can GLC offer for Media Specialists? What new state-wide initiatives are planned? Find out here!

World Culture Through Folktales: Technology Enhanced Research for High School

Presenters: Rebecca Amerson and Esther Brenneman

Location: Room F

Learn how to integrate technology effectively into a once routine 10th grade English research paper assignment.

The Odyssey of ILLIAD

Presenters: Rhonda Boozer (panel discussion)

Location: Room G

Join us for a journey into the world of the ILL Management System ILLIAD. The panel will discuss all issues related to ILLIAD including an overview of its capabilities, its benefits, and workflow issues. A short business meeting for the GLA Interlibrary Cooperation Interest Group will precede the panel discussion.

Recovering From Marcive: A Discussion of Problems & Solutions

Presenters: Michael Aldrich, Lori Lester, and Lisa Ennis

Location: Room H

Struggling with a Marcive Retro Load or On-going Services? Find solutions with us!

The Spaces In Between: The Art of Interactive Transitioning in Story Time

Presenter: Donna Washington

Location: Room I

The useful art of interactive transitioning makes the spaces between

the activities of story time as fun as the books themselves.

Sharing the Wealth: A Round Table Discussion of Academic Library Allocation Formulas

Presenters: Donna Bennett, Mary Kitchens, and Bill Richards

Location: Room J

A brief review of research and case studies dealing with academic library allocation formulas, followed by a round table discussion of what libraries are doing with allocations.

Building Effective Information Literacy Programs in the Era of Edutainment

Presenters: Jocelyn Poole and Edward C. Lomax

Location: Room Willow

This session will examine some of the current issues and controversies regarding the effective implementation of innovative information literacy programs and Bibliographic Instruction (BI) services in the library and media center setting.

Computers, Ports and Cables - Making the Connection

Presenter: Andy Brovey

Location: Room Empire 1

This presentation will help you to make sense of computer ports, cables and connectors.

Getting Free MARC Records from the Internet using Z39.50

Presenter: Kate Finch Rumsey

Location: Room Empire 2

Find out the advantages of using Z39.50 software instead of other methods such as using the LOC website or subscriptions. Surpass Copycat used for demo.

@ Your School Library

Presenters: Millicent Norman and Melissa Johnston

Location: Room Oconee 1

This session will give attendees an opportunity to learn about the @ Your Library Toolkit for School Library Media Programs and share ideas that they can incorporate in their own marketing plans for their school. Participants will learn how to "tell their story," to create the positive images that reflect the importance and significance of school library media programs and of school library media specialists.

Hubbard Scholarship Raffle

Presenter: Susan Kendall

Location: Room Oconee 2

Buy a chance, be a winner, help support library education.

The Teaching Circle: Collaboration at Work or An Approach to Promoting a Community of Learning

Presenters: Dr. Doyin Coker-Kolo, Queen Brown, and Thedis W.

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Location: Room Upper 1

Teaching circles provide an avenue for faculty and staff to engage in productive conversations about the intellectual processes of the university and provide for ways to strength them.

Titlewise – Experience the Power of Online Collection Analysis

Presenter: Randy Ceryan

Location: Room Upper 2

Titlewise is the quickest, easiest, and most comprehensive online collection analysis service available!

Library Design Process 101

Presenter: David R. Moore, II, AIA

Location: Room Middle 1

Everything you need to know from idea to completion.

Introduction to Mackin Online and C.A.P.S.

Presenter: Ryan Thomas

Location: Room Middle 2

Come learn about Mackin Online and Collection Analysis Plus Solutions.

GCIS: It's your future, plan it!

Presenter: Markita J. Grant

Location: Room LL 1

In this workshop learn how the Georgia Career Information Center, through its Georgia Career Information System (GCIS), provides current and accurate occupational and educational information to schools and agencies throughout Georgia to help individuals make informed career choices.

Empowering Patrons With Special Needs

Presenter: Ravonne Green

Location: Room LL 2

Learn practical, no-cost and low-cost methods for enabling patrons with disabilities.

Friday**11:30 A.M.-12:30 P.M.****Third General Session**

Location: Theater

Keynote Speaker: Ludlow Porch

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