Wednesday, October 17
Pre-Conference Workshops and Meetings

Pre-Conference Session
Wednesday, 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Basic Collections Care
Kara McClurken
This one-day workshop will teach staff how to minimize damage to collections by learning proper use, handling, and storage of collections. Also covered are simple, economical repairs on materials in general circulating and reference collections. Registration fee handled through SOLINET (www.solinet.net).
*Coastal Georgia Community College*

Pre-Conference Session
Wednesday, 9:30 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Every Child Ready to Read @ Your Library
Saroj Ghoting
Learn about early literacy research and gain the skills to present this ALA workshop to parents and caregivers. Sponsored by Georgia Public Library Service. Registration fee.
*Convention Center, Room 10*

Meeting
Wednesday, 11 a.m. – 1 p.m.

GLA Executive Board Meeting and Lunch
*Convention Center, Room 1*

Pre-Conference Session
Wednesday, 1 p.m. – 1:50 p.m.

The VSU MLIS Program in the Aftermath of the ALA COA Decision
Wallace Koehler
VSU MLIS after ALA’s accreditation decision.
*Convention Center, Room 13*

Pre-Conference Sessions
Wednesday, 1 p.m. – 3 p.m.

Your TRS Retirement: In the “Red” Zone
Mike Zarem, Teachers’ Retirement System
TRS members within five years of retirement are considered in the “red” zone. Mr. Zarem will discuss members’ retirement options and answer questions concerning specific situations.
*Convention Center, Room 3*

The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly: Taking Good Digital Pictures and Video (with Some Photo Editing Thrown In)
Leslie Fisher
Join Leslie Fisher as she creatively presents ideas on getting the most out of technology and software programs.
*Convention Center, Room 9*
Beaches, Blogs, and Books
Georgia Council of Media Organizations 2007 Conference, Jekyll Island

Department of Technical and Adult Education Library Council Meeting
Jerry Stovall, Chair
All DTAE library staff are invited to attend!
Come join the DTAE Library Council Group.
Convention Center, Room 4

VSU MLIS Second Annual Gathering at COMO
Come celebrate with your current or former classmates at the 2nd Annual VSU MLIS Gathering at COMO!
Convention Center, Room 13

Taming the Monster: Cataloging Serials Using the New CONSER Standard
Beth Thornton and Sophie Dong
Introduction to new serials cataloging practices to simplify the decisions we make and create streamlined, user-friendly records.
Serials cataloging unplugged!
Convention Center, Room 2

Newcomers’ Reception
Wednesday, 4 p.m. – 5 p.m.
Welcome to all of our new members!
You’re invited to meet the “oldies”!
Convention Center, Room 8

Government Documents Interest Group Meeting
Convention Center, Room 11

GAIT/GLMA Joint Steering Committee for the Library Media Specialist of the Year Award
Convention Center, Room 7

Wednesday, October 17
First General Session
Deborah Wiles
5:30 p.m. – 7 p.m.
Convention Center, Atlantic Hall
Featuring Deborah Wiles, author of Love, Ruby Lavender, Freedom Summer, and Each Little Bird That Sings. Ms. Wiles has won an impressive list of awards including a Coretta Scott King/Steptoe Award, the Ezra Jack Keats Award, the Simon Wiesenthal Award, and is a 2005 National Book Award Finalist.

Low Country Boil
Wednesday, 7 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Come join fellow conference attendees for a night on the beach with seafood and great company featuring music by Wharfratz!
Outside Atlantic Hall. Ticketed event.
Thursday, October 18
Concurrent Sessions and Business Meetings 8 a.m. – 8:50

Using Technology to Further Your School’s Teaching Mission
Steve Horton and Denise Veal
An overview of Destiny Library Manager, a solution that gives anytime, anywhere access to library resources, contributing to improved test scores and closer partnerships.
Convention Center, Atlantic Hall 1

No Staff, No Money, Countless Public Computers (What to Do?)
Jarvis Sims
How to maintain your current and future public Internet computers with little to no technical staff.
Convention Center, Atlantic Hall 2

Member Meeting of Interest Group for Serving Patrons with Disabilities
Open to individuals interested in improving services to persons with special needs.
Convention Center, Room 2

Usability on My Mind: Usability Testing Experiences in Georgia
Bede Mitchell, Heather King, Deborah Stanley, Karen Minton
Learn about usability testing as part of user-centered design projects at several institutions and libraries in Georgia. Panelists will discuss their usability assessment and testing experiences and answer questions from the audience.
Convention Center, Room 3

GLA School Division – Membership and Collaboration
Tim Wojcik, Dr. Judi Repman, Brian W. Jones
Teaching – Instructing – Advising Library Values – The GLA School Division offers paths for librarians and media specialists to collaborate across our entire education bandwidth. Recent K-16 collaborative initiatives will be discussed. This is also the annual meeting of the GLA School Division.
Convention Center, Room 4

Academic Freedom and Web Filtering Demands: Cooperation or Capitulation
David P. Bunnell and the Intellectual Freedom Interest Group
A panel discussion to explore the opportunities for research and dangers to academic freedom inherent in the emergence of Web 2.0 and social networking on the Internet.
Convention Center, Room 5

Ask Technical Services
Patty Phipps
Join the GLA Technical Services Interest Group for a discussion of current topics. Included is the election of officers.
Convention Center, Room 6

Circulation Sharing Session
Fred Smith and Carol Goodson
Circulation work so often involves dealing with sticky situations – come hear how others deal with theirs and share how you deal with yours!
Convention Center, Room 7
Selection/Acquisition of Music Materials for the Musically-Challenged Librarian
Michael Bonnard, Mary Kitchens, Edward Whatley
Does your stomach churn whenever the music department calls on you to order materials for them because you are clueless about music materials and those blasted music people? This presentation will arm you with the tools to silence the squawking and be elevated to the role of super-hero by your music department.
Convention Center, Room 8

GPB Education Technology in Education (TIE) Network
Katherine Aiken
The GPB Education TIE Network is a FREE network that enables Georgia educators to collaborate with each other while integrating technology into the classroom.
Convention Center, Room 9

Technology Boot Camp for Teachers
Mary Hope Roseneau, Victoria Smith, Dr. Linda Waskow
Every school district still has teachers who don’t know a mouse from a flash drive. How can teachers be highly qualified instructors in the digital age without this competency? Here’s how we did it: We agreed there would be “no teacher left behind” in technology. The response has been tremendous.
Convention Center, Room 10

From the 2-year, 4-year+, and Research Library Perspective—ACRL Assumptions
Ray Calvert, Rachel Schipper, Bob Fox
A discussion of the ACRL Top 10 Assumptions for the future of academic and research libraries from the 2-year, 4-year+, and research library perspectives.
Convention Center, Room 11

A Conversation with System Media Coordinators
Judy Serritella
This session is limited to the school system’s Media Coordinator or System Media Contact Person. Round table discussion, conversation, and a question and answer period as well as planning for the future of the library media program are some of the topics for this particular meeting.
Convention Center, Room 12

Lexiles, Librarians, and Leadership
Dianne Dees and Dr. Elaine Willis
Lead the way with Lexiles: how to make your library collection relevant, integrated, and on the move.
Convention Center, Room 13

Thursday, October 18
Exhibits ONLY
9 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.

Thursday, October 18
Concurrent Sessions
10 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.

GHRAB ("grab") Bag of Project Ideas Using Primary Sources!
Rebecca Amerson
Grab a seat in this session and get ideas of ways to enhance the teaching and learning of American History using digital documents and photographs that will also make you eligible to apply for a GHRAB award!
Convention Center, Atlantic Hall 1
Creating “Family Space” in the Library: An Aid to Student Retention and Success
Camilla B. Reid, Michelle M. DeLoach, Camilla B. Baker, Mary E. Kerins, Darlene M. Scarff
Find out how one academic library provides “family space” for students with small children. This presentation will cover the Reese Library at Augusta State University’s implementation of this new customer service.
Convention Center, Atlantic Hall 2

To Collect or Not to Collect
Dick Neal
What are the pros and cons of using a collection agency for public libraries?
Convention Center, Room 1

Readin’, “Ritin”, and Reference Management: New Finds for Old Formats
Joel Glogowski
This presentation will compare desktop and web-based reference management software, demonstrate how to use the products, and offer tips on how to incorporate them into traditional research and information gathering methods.
Convention Center, Room 3

Comparing Cataloging Practices: An Analysis of MARC Use by Georgia Catalogers
Amy Eklund
A study of Georgia libraries’ original MARC records contributed to OCLC WorldCat based on the MARC Content Designation Utilization Project provides critical information for Georgia libraries, including characterization of contributed records, statistics on the extent of MARC, and comparison of MARC use patterns.
Convention Center, Room 5

E-Rate – Part 2: “Beyond the 471”
Richard Brock
Help! My E-rate application is being audited.
Convention Center, Room 6

Gone to the Dogs: Books, Bones, and the Reluctant Reader
Constance Coleman
How to use reading therapy dogs to encourage reluctant readers.
Convention Center, Room 7

Friends Groups in Academic Libraries
Bede Mitchell and Rita Spisak
Learn how to establish, maintain, or revive a Friends group for your academic library.
Convention Center, Room 8

Free and Inexpensive Assistive Technologies
Ravonne Green and Stella Cone
Learn about free assistive technologies that are available through Microsoft and services available through GLASS for individuals with disabilities.
Convention Center, Room 9
Lip-Smacking Good: Web 2.0 Technologies and Your Library Blog
Robin Fay and Amy Watts
Want a blog? Learn how to set one up.
Got a blog? Learn how to better use Web 2.0 technologies, including tagging, flickr, del.icio.us, meebo, and RSS.
Convention Center, Room 10

Federal Government Statistics on the Web
Joseph Schneider
Come and learn what kinds of statistical information are available on federal government websites, especially from federal agencies. The focus will be on statistics provided by government agencies, rather than the U.S. Census.
Convention Center, Room 11

Coaching a Successful HRRB Team
Donna Milner and other HRRB coaches
Join the Helen Ruffin Reading Bowl grassroots initiative by finding out how to prepare a successful team and how to conduct a local bowl all from the coaches of successful teams.
Convention Center, Room 12

Motivational Programs Inspiring Students to Read!
Chad Crews
Chad’s unique reading programs encourage students to read and use their local libraries.
Convention Center, Room 13

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Concurrent Sessions
11 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.

The OrganWise Guys: Teaching Kids How to Be Smart from the Inside Out!
Karen McNamara
The OrganWise Guys curriculum-linked materials teach physiology and healthy behaviors while addressing core academic objectives... See how fun wellness education can be with Hardy Heart, Sir Rebrum, and the rest of their organ pals!
Convention Center, Room 1

Creating Policies for Results
David Singleton and Julie Walker
Learn to evaluate, revise, and develop sound, legally defensible policies customized to your library and establish a process to implement new policies.
Convention Center, Room 3

Thursday, October 18
Double Sessions
10 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.

More Than Petticoats: Remarkable Georgia Women
Sara Hines Martin
Author Martin examines the determination of thirteen resourceful women, all of whom rebelled against the strict social codes of the turn-of-the-twentieth-century American South. Setting their own standards and following their passions, they continue to inspire new generations with their achievements.
Convention Center, Room 4

Understanding Your LibQUAL+ Results and Using Assessment to Improve Your Library
Kathy Tomajko and Brian Mathews
This presentation will be helpful to University System of Georgia libraries that have participated in the LibQUAL+ Survey and encourage them to analyze their results and may be of interest to libraries who wish to conduct customer perceptions assessment using the LibQUAL+ Survey or other instruments.
Convention Center, Room 2

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Just in Case...Using Digital Media to Inventory Your “Stuff”
Jane Zahner
Learn why and how to effectively document the contents of your home, classroom, or media center using digital photography, video, and free web-based tools.
Convention Center, Room 5

Made You Look! – What Grabs a Patron’s Eye
Tim Wojcik
How visual display is used to promote the library/media center collection and programming offerings.
Convention Center, Room 6

2007-2008 Georgia Peach Book Awards for Teen Readers
Julie Hatcher, Amy Golemme, Verley Sue Dotson, Heather Newman, Sarah McGhee, Kathy Pillatzki, Connie Hanes, Susan Hawk, Jesse DeMaria, Marian Brinkley
Georgia teens pick the best peaches! Come learn all about the 4th year of the Georgia Peach Book Awards for teen readers.
Convention Center, Room 7

Comics Go to College: Graphic Novels and their Place in the Academic World
Jeremy Worsham
Comics have long been derided by the academic community as being unworthy of serious study but recent high-profile publications are forcing us to reconsider this position. Join us as we discuss the role of the graphic novel in higher education, its place in our libraries, and the challenges that face its acceptance.
Convention Center, Room 8

It’s a Web 2.0 World!
Kate Nevins
What is Web 2.0? Social networking using Second Life, YouTube, Del.icio.us, Flickr, and more is a challenge and a new opportunity for library services.
Convention Center, Room 9

Digital Rights in the Age of Google
Grace Agnew
Learn concepts and strategies to manage rights to digital resources in the “Age of Google.”
Convention Center, Room 10

Get Organized for Live Homework Help
Alan Kaye
Make students an offer they can’t refuse! Tell teachers and administrators that you will ask them for a favor in the near future. Bring the heads of all the families together for a meeting. While you’ve still got plenty of muscle, hit them before they come after you. Move your operation out to where the action is. Find out what’s going on across town. Keep your friends close and your enemies closer! Get "organized" to help take online homework help to the streets!
Convention Center, Room 11

To Blog or Not to Blog: Is That the Question?
Kathi Vanderbilt
Find out what a blog is, blogging in the library world, why you might want to blog, and how to get started.
Convention Center, Room 12
Thursday, October 18
Luncheons – Ticketed Events
Noon – 1:30 p.m.

**Academic Library Luncheon**
Featuring June Hall McCash, author of *The Jekyll Island Cottage Colony* and *The Jekyll Island Club: Southern Haven for America’s Millionaires*, who will speak on the topic of The Jekyll Island Club, quest for the simple life.

**Public Library Luncheon**
Featuring Harry O'Donoghue, host of the Green Isle program on NPR

**GLA School Division/GLMA Luncheon**
Featuring Kim Siegelson, author of *Trembling Earth*, *In the Time of the Drums*, and *Escape South*

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**Thursday, October 18**
Concurrent Sessions
1:40 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

**The New Library Service Model on a Budget**
Jack Hedge
Learn inexpensive ways that libraries around the country are incorporating the new service model to better serve their customers. Libraries will be introduced to “green” building practices that are cost effective.

**Life and Times of Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings: A One Woman Characterization**
Karen De Vos
Join Karen De Vos as she presents a one woman characterization of the famous Florida writer, Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings, Pulitzer Prize winning author of *The Yearling*.

**Connect! A New Way to Use Blogs in Your Library**
Jane Roberts and Heather Dunbar
Learn how these high school media specialists help teachers, staff, and students connect efficiently and effectively to library resources through blogging.

**Sweetheart Deal**
Claire Matturro
Hot off the press – almost! Join author Claire Matturro as she debuts her newest book and discusses Chick-lit Mysteries or Pink Mysteries... those somewhere between Nancy Drew and Miss Marple whose heroine is sassy, smart, fashionable, and sexy.

**Georgia History Alive!: Primary Sources for K-12**
Mary Ann Fitzgerald and Beth Friese
Be an eyewitness to Georgia history as we explore the many primary sources about our state’s past, reaching across all grade levels to engage students in inquiry beyond the textbook.
Cool (Free) Tools
Jennifer Link Jones
We all know about Blogger, flickr, and YouTube; come find out about flixn, ajaxSketch, Neevia, RSS Calendar, and at least a half-dozen more interesting, high-quality, free Web-based tools that will make you say, “I wish I’d known about this last week!”
Convention Center, Room 6

Implementing the Standards for Libraries in Higher Education
Bob Fernekes and Bill Nelson
Explore ways to use the ACRL Standards to determine what to assess or measure and learn what measures other libraries have used to meet SACS accreditation requirements.
Convention Center, Room 7

A Luau of Information: The Wonders of the ILL Wiki
Joan Osborne, Michelle Jones, Katharine Calhoun, Susan Morris
Don’t get swept away by a tidal wave of information on interlibrary loan! Come see what the GLA Interlibrary Cooperation Group is doing to offer a lifeline to newcomers to interlibrary loan.
Convention Center, Room 8

The Art of Evergreen Acquisitions
Art Rhyno
Join Art Rhyno of the University of Windsor as he discusses the development process and progress on the Evergreen Acquisition module.
Convention Center, Room 10

Posters, Presentations, Publications, and Participation: Getting Started with Professional Outreach
Crystal Renfro
We are expected to contribute to the advancement of the profession, but getting started with professional outreach activities at the local and national level can be daunting to the new librarian. Come share new ideas on publishing, committee work, and conference presentation opportunities at this discussion session.
Convention Center, Room 13

Thursday, October 18
Double Sessions
1:40 p.m. – 3:30 p.m.

GLA Academic Library Division Paper Presentations
Callie McGinnis, Moderator
GLA Academic Library Division paper presentations.
Convention Center, Room 9

Legal Update on Library Issues, Parts I&II
Gail Gunnells
Program Legal Advisor for the Board of Regents, Gail Gunnells, will bring participants up to date on the changing legal landscape for libraries. Join us for this year’s session on hot legal topics.
Convention Center, Room 11

Third Triennial Georgia Academic and Research Library Building Project Round-Up
Charles Forest
Come hear about projects your colleagues have completed in the last three years and get a glimpse of exciting developments just around the corner.
Convention Center, Room 12
Libros Esenciales: Spicing Up Your Bilingual Picture Book Collection  
Nancy J. Brown  
Diversify your media center collection and support language learning by stocking up on some great English/Spanish titles.  
Convention Center, Atlantic Hall 1

Incorporating the Multiple Intelligences in Storytime  
Teresa Moore and Tracy Walker  
Everyone learns differently. By applying the theory of multiple intelligences to your program, you can make storytime a valuable experience for everyone in your group.  
Convention Center, Atlantic Hall 2

Outsourcing Cataloging and Processing  
Kathy Pillatzki and Carolyn Fuller  
With shrinking dollars for hiring staff, libraries have begun to outsource cataloging and processing of materials. In this session, we will discuss the cost of and the process of initialization with various vendors.  
Convention Center, Room 1

PeachNet: Gateway to the Internet for Many Georgia Libraries  
Ed Maioriello and Katherine Gregory  
How many of Georgia’s public and higher education libraries travel across PeachNet to interconnect and connect to the Internet and Internet2.  
Convention Center, Room 2

Legislative History? Probate? Divorce?: Answering Legal Reference Questions  
Wendy Moore and Maureen Cahill  
Learn Internet resources and search tips to help you answer legal related reference questions in a non-law library setting with skill and confidence.  
Convention Center, Room 3

Jekyll Island from Pre-Colonial Days Through the Civil War  
June Hall McCash  
Dr. June Hall McCash will continue her discussion from the Academic Library Luncheon of the rich history of Jekyll Island and the important role it has played in the development of Georgia.  
Convention Center, Room 4

United Streaming Meets the iPod Generation  
Craig Coleman  
Learn how United Streaming videos can be shown effortlessly in the classroom using iPods as a video library in the palm of your hand.  
Convention Center, Room 5

Creating ABC Books: A Tool for Collaboration  
Cheryl Brown  
It’s as easy as ABC to implement collaborative lessons that achieve the goals of classroom teachers and media specialists with the creative possibilities of PowerPoint and KidPix.  
Convention Center, Room 6

GPB Education: More Than You Can Imagine!  
Katherine Aiken  
GPB Education offers a wide variety of free resources to Georgia education. In this session we will explore all that is available to support media specialists.  
Convention Center, Room 7
Georgia Virtual School: What’s In It for You?
Paula Galland and Maria Savoldi
Attendees will learn about the current status of GAVS, tips for insuring student success, and ways GAVS can work for you.
Convention Center, Room 8

You Can Do It! Practical Techniques for Supporting Public Computing
Barbara Gersh
Learn techniques and tips for maintaining public computers and get a free “cookbook” with recipes for success that focus on the needs of rural and small libraries.
Convention Center, Room 10

Telling the Staffing Story in Words and Numbers
Faye C. Roberts
Overcome challenges of staff efficiency and effectiveness through concepts of workload analysis and storytelling as presented in the Public Library Association publication “Staffing for Results: A Guide to Working Smarter.”
Convention Center, Room 13

The GLA Scholarship Raffle Booth will be available for browsing and raffle ticket purchases throughout most of the conference. Plan to stop by between sessions. To save yourself from printing your name 10 times on raffle tickets, remember to bring adhesive labels or a rubber stamp with your home address! Proceeds from this annual raffle support two GLA scholarships for library graduate programs.
Friday, October 19
GAIT Breakfast – Ticketed Event
7 a.m. – 8 a.m.
Jekyll Island Oceanfront Clarion

Friday, October 19
Concurrent Sessions
8 a.m. – 8:50 a.m.

UGA’s New Ed.S. for Certified Media Specialists
Mary Ann Fitzgerald
If you’re ready for your Ed.S., come hear about UGA’s new blended delivery program to begin in 2008-2009!
Convention Center, Atlantic Hall 1

The ABCs of Podcasts
Kenneth Clark, Judi Repman, Elizabeth Downs
Put the power of podcasting to work in your school or library with these easy and inexpensive strategies for the design and production of quality podcasts and vodcasts.
Convention Center, Atlantic Hall 2

GLMA Grants for Your Media Program
Joan Abraham
GLMA Mini-Grants recipients will present their award winning projects. Rebecca Tate “Plants a Rainbow” by creating a butterfly garden in her elementary school. Kristine Woods uses “The Art of Reading” to motivate middle school readers. Kathleen Disney’s “Manga Mania” utilizes graphic novels in a high school setting.
Convention Center, Room 1

Databases, Encyclopedias, Journals Oh My!
What’s New in GALILEO
GALILEO Staff
Haven’t heard about the many new resources available to your institution through GALILEO? This session, hosted by GALILEO staff members, will provide you with information and demonstrations of many of the new resources available through the GALILEO interface. Question and answer session will follow demonstrations.
Convention Center, Room 2

And the 2008 Nominees Are…
James Campbell
It’s time to get going with the 2007-2008 Georgia Children’s Book Award program! In this session you will explore the picture books that are nominated for this year’s award. You’ll also get lots of ideas for sharing these exciting books with your own students in the classroom or library media center.
Convention Center, Room 3

What Can Certificates Do for You?
Comparing the LIS Certificate and Degree
Don Latham
Participants will be introduced to the potential benefits of the LIS certificate program and the MLS degree program for professional and personal development.
Convention Center, Room 4

GaDOE Update
Judy Serritella
This session will focus on the K-12 Library Media Specialist. An update from the Georgia Department of Education concerning new programs, policies, and initiatives will be included.
Convention Center, Room 5
Moving Circulation into the 21st Century: Exceeding Expectations  
Stella Richardson and Karen Glover  
Revolutionize your circulation services by moving from a traditional service point to a contemporary service provider.  
*Convention Center, Room 6*

**ALA Update**  
Ann Hamilton  
Talk with your ALA Councilor about your ALA.  
*Convention Center, Room 7*

Library as a Place on a Budget  
Alan Bernstein and Maradith Sheffield  
Successful strategies for developing the physical atmosphere of the academic library with limited funds.  
*Convention Center, Room 8*

Mapping Your Collection to the GPS’s  
Randy Ceryan, Marc McMullen, David Starnes, and Josh Young  
Align your collection to the GPS’s and effectively collaborate with teachers. Through the use of Titlewave and TitleMapping, media specialists can not only weed and build their collections, they can collaborate with lead teachers to show the strength of the media center’s aligned materials.  
*Convention Center, Room 9*

All the Cool Kids are Doing it: Website Cataloging in Connexion  
Tessa Minchew  
If you are interested in adding records for websites to your catalog but are unsure where to begin, this presentation will provide you with the tools you need to get started.  
*Convention Center, Room 10*

Georgia Student Media Festival – International Festival Nominees Showcase  
Dr. Gordon Baker, Michelle Lenderman, Ann Grantham  
Sit back, relax, and enjoy a showcase of the 2007 Georgia Student Media Festival winners eligible for the International Student Media Festival.  
*Convention Center, Room 11*

We Have Maps?!? A Map Use and Resource Primer for Librarians  
Hallie Pritchett  
Provides an overview of the various types of federally and locally produced maps and mapping resources available (both in paper and online), how to use and interpret maps, and how to store and preserve them.  
*Convention Center, Room 12*

A New (Ad)venture: Integrating Information Literacy through the First-Year Seminar  
Lisa Smith  
Hear about the work of Georgia Southern University’s First-Year Experience Task Force to revamp the first-year experience and to increase the academic tone through the First-Year Seminar and information literacy.  
*Convention Center, Room 13*

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**Friday, October 19**  
**Exhibits ONLY**  
9 a.m. – 9:50 a.m.
**Academic Libraries and Student Workers:**

*Retention Isn’t Just a Classroom Goal*
Deborah S. Davis, Alan Bernstein, Student Assistants
Tips and tricks to retain excellent student workers in a time of shrinking budgets!
*Convention Center, Atlantic Hall 1*

**Creating Local Holdings Records in GOLD and Voyager**
Deborah Skinner and Guy Frost
Learn more about coding holdings information in both OCLC and Voyager including how to make them look the same in both places.
*Convention Center, Atlantic Hall 2*

**Your Library Online**
Jarvis Sims
Not having a web savvy person on staff does not mean all is lost with your website. Interactivity and maximizing content on your site can be accomplished for free.
*Convention Center, Room 1*

**Implementing a Career Ladder for Library Staff**
Laurie Jones and Callie McGinnis
Devising a plan for creating advancement opportunities for library staff members at regular intervals throughout their careers.
*Convention Center, Room 2*

**Cultivating Friends and Volunteers**
Fay Roberts
Learn to work effectively with volunteers and Friends groups to extend your program’s impact.
*Convention Center, Room 3*

**Black Belt Librarians: How to Approach and Advise of Library Rules**
Warren Graham
Mr. Graham has long been a noted security specialist in libraries. Join him as he gives ideas on dealing with problem users in the library and how to keep tense situations from escalating.
Mr. Graham’s book, *Black-Belt Librarians*, will be on sale following the session.
*Convention Center, Room 4*

**If You Call Something an ARC, Be Sure It Floats!**
Ann Hamilton
Hear how the first automated retrieval system in a southeastern library was created and what Georgia Southern’s library will look like when expansion and renovation are completed.
*Convention Center, Room 5*

**Have It Your Way: New GALILEO Community Interfaces**
Lauren Fancher
GALILEO staff show and tell about GALILEO’s new and transformed user interfaces developed in a user-centered partnership with the academic, public library, and K-12 communities.
*Convention Center, Room 6*

**“Authors of Mystery and Horror” Teen Program**
Chad Crews
Chad’s “Authors of Mystery and Horror” program is designed around the works/life of Poe, Bram Stoker, Mary Shelly, Arthur Conan Doyle, and Harry Houdini.
*Convention Center, Room 7*

**“Nuts and Bolts” of Readers’ Theater**
Anne Wallace and Dr. Beth Anne Miles
Need a program boost for your library or media center? Need an innovative way to help readers become even better readers? This interactive, research-based, fact filled, and fun introduction to Reader’s Theater is the answer!
*Convention Center, Room 8*
Working Towards a K-16 Information Literacy Program for Georgia
Nadine Cohen
Information literacy is a life-long learning skill that should be taught systematically and incrementally, yet students today receive scattershot instruction at best. K-12, public and academic librarians are working locally to change this, but we need state-wide coordination under GLA/GLMA. Join us in planning this future.
Convention Center, Room 9

Enhancing the Curriculum with Photoblogs
Dr. Barbara McKenzie, Denise Chase, Jason Huett, Tom Davidson, Cristine Goldberg
In this session the presenters will address how to create and integrate photoblogs into your classroom to enhance learning and motivation from a wide range of curriculum areas such as Reading, English, Media, Instructional Technology, Math, Science, Geography, Health, and Physical Education.
Convention Center, Room 10

Georgia Student Media Festival – 2008 Update
Dr. Gordon Baker, Michelle Lenderman, Ann Grantham
Come one, come all…the 2008 Georgia Student Media Festival has been updated with new categories, rules, and forms.
Convention Center, Room 11

From Global Warming to Identity Theft: NTIS® Is a One-Stop Database
Patricia E. Kenly and Bette M. Finn
NTIS puts government-funded research at your fingertips; its database is the pre-eminent resource for accessing research in 40 major subject areas—discover how to effectively use this frequently overlooked yet essential database of over 2 million records.
Convention Center, Room 12

Swiss Army Assessment – Assorted Tools for Evaluating Instruction
Diana Hartle, Deb Raftus, Amy Watts
This interactive idea-sharing session will include demonstrations of assessment techniques and their applications across technologies from paper to electronic.
Convention Center, Room 1

Friday, October 19
Concurrent Sessions
11 a.m. – 11:50 a.m.

Whose Truth Is It Anyway? Wikipedia in the World of Information Literacy
Steve Piazza and Dera Weaver
Open networking resources like Wikipedia have been called into question in terms of readability, authority, and accuracy; consider the issues, inform your own decision-making, and learn ways to incorporate wikis into a well-rounded program of information literacy instruction.
Convention Center, Room 1

From Concept to Completion: The Emory University Libraries Survey 2007
Susan Bailey and Charles Forrest
Doing a user survey? You can use your results to find out what your customers think, support your strategic plan, and measure your progress in achieving your goals.
Convention Center, Room 2

Georgia Perimeter’s LIST Program for Library Paraprofessionals
Dan Veach, Steven Koplan, Lora Mirza, Joseph Barnes
Learn about a new rung on the paraprofessional career ladder: LIST, Georgia Perimeter College’s Library and Information Science Technology Program!
Convention Center, Room 3
Historical Fiction with a Twist
Pamela Bauer Mueller
Join juvenile/young adult author (An Angry Drum Echoed, Neptune’s Honor, Eight Paws to Georgia), Pamela Bauer Mueller, as she reads from her novels and discusses the art of writing for younger readers.
Convention Center, Room 4

All You Ever Wanted to Know About ARC Storage and Then Some
Fred Smith, Cynthia Frost, Debra Skinner, David Lowder
By now you’ve probably heard about the new automated storage and retrieval system at Georgia Southern – come see what it looks like and how it works.
Convention Center, Room 5

Free Books for Children Under the Age of 5!
Shauna von Hanstein
Find out how you can partner with the Ferst Foundation to provide free books for your preschool age children to prepare them for reading and learning success!
Convention Center, Room 6

Georgia Performance Standards Start in the School Library Media Center
Kathy Politis
GeorgiaStandards.org is not just for the classroom teacher. As school academic leaders, the library media specialist has a crucial role in the successful implementation of the Georgia Performance Standards.
Convention Center, Room 7

Introducing Georgia’s PINNACLE Leadership Institute
Julie Walker, David Singleton, Lyn Hopper, Kathryn Ames, Greg Heid
PINNACLE: Training the next generation of public library leaders in Georgia.
Convention Center, Room 8

Of Shoes and Ships and Sealing Wax: Broadcasting Multimedia Book Reports
Margaret Bray, Marty Bray, Kelly Heggeland, Thomas Bray
Of Shoes and Ships and Sealing Wax is a project that brings together classroom technology, student created multimedia book reports, and the morning broadcast in such a way as to increase student interest in reading and to highlight a variety of books in the school library.
Convention Center, Room 9

Maps, Movies, and Newspapers: Online Access to Challenging Media at DLG
Edward A. Johnson
Explore new approaches developed by GALILEO’s Digital Library of Georgia, with the support of Georgia HomePLACE, to provide online access to especially challenging types of historical media including Sanborn® fire insurance maps, unusual moving picture films, and Georgia’s extensive historic newspapers.
Convention Center, Room 10

2008 Georgia Student Media Festival – Judging Made Easy
Deborah Gray
Unlock the secrets of being a successful judge at the Georgia Student Media Festival by participating in this discussion and demonstration session!
Convention Center, Room 11

The Process of Creating a Graphic Novel
Andy Runton
Join graphic artist, Andy Runton, who has written and illustrated the enchanting Owly series, as he discusses the process of creating graphic novels and the publishing process from an artist’s perspective. He will be available to answer specific and general questions about graphic novels.
Convention Center, Room 12
How to Plan for the Best Technology Night Ever!
Charlotte Foskey
How one middle school raised over $4,000 for technology in one night and drew in over half of its families in order to learn more about classroom technology!
Convention Center, Room 13

Friday, October 19
Third General Session
Frank Winstead
Noon-1:30 p.m.
Convention Center, Atlantic Hall

Friday, October 19
1:40 p.m.–3:30 p.m.
Georgia Library Media Association
Fall Board Meeting
Convention Center, Room 10

Please let us know your opinions about COMO XIX!
To complete the COMO XIX Evaluation, please go to: http://georgiacomo.org and click on the Evaluation tab. Thank you for taking the time to do this. Your opinions are valuable to the COMO Steering Committee.

Our appreciation to Georgia Public Broadcasting Education for their contribution of name badge holders and support of book bags for COMO 2007! Visit them at www.gpb.org/education
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