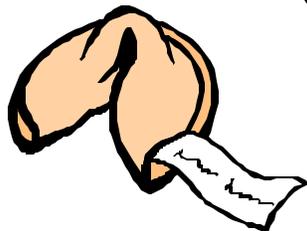


Eastern New York Chapter/Association of College & Research Libraries presents

# May You Live in Interesting Times: *Current Issues in Information Access*



May 5-6, 2002  
Statler Hotel  
Cornell University  
Ithaca, NY

## SUNDAY MAY 5

6:00 PM

### PRE-CONFERENCE DINNER

Dinner and Presentation

**Information Access Issues in Times of Crisis: Before and After September 11**

Mary Redmond, Research Library Acting Director, New York State Library

## MONDAY, MAY 6

### CONFERENCE PROGRAM

8:45 - 9:30

Registration and Refreshments

9:30 - 9:45

Welcome Remarks

Susan Szasz Palmer, President, EN Y/ACRL

Pat Schafer, Acting Director of Public Services for Instruction, Research and Information Services (IRIS), Cornell University Library

9:45 - 10:30

Keynote Speaker

**The U.S. Patriot Act: Its Implications for Higher Education**

Tracy Mitrano, Policy Advisor, Office of Information Technologies, Cornell University

10:30 - 11:00

Morning Break

11:00 - 11:45

Questions & Answers with Tracy Mitrano

Moderator: Terry L. Kristensen, Cornell University Library

11:45 - 1:15

Lunch, Awards, Business Meeting & Announcements

A buffet lunch including vegetarian options will be served.

1:15 - 2:15

Panel Discussion

**Library Security: Issues Affecting our Collections, Patrons, and Privacy**

Moderator: Kristin Strohmeier, Hamilton College

❖ **Collection Security in College and University Libraries and Special Collections**

Richard Strassberg, Director of the Kheel Center for Labor-Management Documentation, Cornell University

❖ **The Code of Librarianship: Ethics and Information Architecture**

Michael Matis, Reference/Information Technology Librarian, University at Albany

❖ **Keeping our Patrons Safe: the Need to Create a Culture of Security in Our Libraries**

Cynthia Cost, Director of Administrative Services, Syracuse University Library

2:15 - 2:30

Closing Remarks, Susan Szasz Palmer, President, ENY/ACRL

2:30 - 3:15

Library Tour #1: select one from the list of tours provided below

(each tour lasts approximately 30 minutes)

3:15 - 4:00

Library Tour #2: select one from the list of tours provided below

(each tour lasts approximately 30 minutes)

## Tours

### ❖ **John M. Olin & Uris Libraries**

This tour will start in Uris Library, which was built in 1891 as Cornell's first library building. This library is heavily used for its core collection of basic titles in the humanities and social sciences. It also houses a computer lab and an electronic classroom, a multi-media lab, and the AD White Library -- a historic reading room named in honor of Cornell's first president. This room, in particular, offers inspiring views of the region. The group will then move on to Olin Library, the research library for humanities and social sciences, housing more than 3 million volumes. The ground floor has been recently renovated and is home to our very successful "cyber cafe."

### ❖ **Division of Rare & Manuscript Collections**

The Division of Rare and Manuscript Collections includes 300,000 printed volumes, more than 70 million manuscripts, and another million photographs, paintings, prints, and other visual media. The collections document the history of the written word from ancient clay cuneiform tablets to an extensive representation of works by 20th-century authors and support research in fields such as medieval and Renaissance studies, the Reformation, 18th-century France and England, American history, Anglo-American literature, Icelandic history and culture, the history of science, and women's studies. Other collections focus on medicine, ornithology, witchcraft, human sexuality, the graphic arts, New York state history and agriculture, and architecture and city planning. The Division also houses the Cornell University Archives which includes records of the founding and growth of the university as well as an extensive collection documenting regional history. Take this guided tour and see an illuminated Medieval manuscript, a copy of the Gettysburg Address written in Lincoln's own hand, a first edition of Shakespeare's collected plays of 1623, as well as other rare books and documents. You may also want to visit the current exhibition on display: "Women in the Literary Marketplace: 1800-1900."

### ❖ **Albert R. Mann Library (Agriculture, Life Sciences)**

Mann Library primarily supports instruction, research, and extension activities in the College of Agriculture and Life Sciences, the College of Human Ecology, and the Division of Nutritional Sciences. Mann Library houses more than 750,000 volumes and has more than 100 public microcomputers. The Library recently completed Phase I of an addition and renovation project. The design of the new facility is highly praised and is well worth a quick walk to "Ag Quad" to experience this "treehouse in the woods."

### ❖ **Johnson Graduate School of Management Library**

Occupying new quarters in the beautifully renovated Sage Hall, this library features a skylit reading room, networked library carrels, and state-of-the-art electronic business information services.

### ❖ **Martin P. Catherwood Library (Industrial and Labor Relations)**

The Martin P. Catherwood Library serves the School of Industrial and Labor Relations (ILR). In 1998 a major addition was completed for the School and library. Renovation to the original facility is still in process and will complete the space transformation project for the library. The collection concentrates in areas such as collective bargaining, economic and social statistics, labor and employment law, and labor history. The library's Kheel Center for Labor-Management Documentation and Archives is a major repository for labor union archives, collective bargaining agreements, oral histories and other primary materials for research.

## Pre-Conference Dinner

**SUNDAY, MAY 5, 2002 at 6:00 PM**

**Buffet dinner, \$30.00 per person**

**Statler Hotel**

**Cornell University Campus**

**Ithaca, NY**

**Speaker: Mary Redmond, Research Library Acting Director, New York State Library,**

"Information Access Issues in Times of Crisis: Before and After September 11"

## Conference Location

All conference sessions on May 6 will be held at The Statler Hotel's J. Willard Marriott Executive Education Center.

## Directions

### **From Albany, Syracuse, and Points East**

Take the New York State Thruway (I-90) to Exit 36, Syracuse. Follow 81S to Exit 12, Homer. Make a right off the ramp and proceed to the intersection. Take a left onto Route 281S. Route 281S turns into Route 13, which you follow to Dryden. In Dryden, turn right at intersection to continue on Route 13. At the first stop light (NYSEG building on the left), make a left onto Route 366. Follow Route 366 to the entrance of Cornell University. Proceed straight on Hoy Road. When you reach the stop sign, the driveway of The Statler Hotel will be directly across from you.

### **From Albany and Massachusetts**

Take NYS Thruway(I-90) West to I-88 West exit(Exit 25A). Follow I-88 to Bainbridge(Exit 8). Take Route 206 West to Whitney Point. Take Route 79 West and Follow to Ithaca. Route 79 West will bring you into Ithaca on State Street. From State, make a right turn onto Mitchell at the stop sign. Follow Mitchell up the hill and bear left onto the Ithaca Road. Ithaca Road will become Dryden Road at the stoplight. From Dryden Road, turn left onto Hoy Road at the blinking light. Follow Hoy to the entrance to campus. When you reach the stop sign, the driveway of The Statler Hotel will be directly across from you.

### **From Buffalo, Rochester, and Points West**

Take the New York State Thruway (I-90) to Exit 42, Geneva. Follow Route 14 to Route 96S to Ithaca. Proceed down the hill into Ithaca and cross the bridge. Follow Buffalo Street across town, where you will ascend a steep hill. Turn left at the blinking light onto Stewart Avenue and proceed to the Cornell campus. At the Central Avenue traffic light, go forward. At the second stop sign, take a left into the driveway of The Statler Hotel.

## Parking

### **Conference**

If you are driving and planning to park on campus, please allow yourself a few extra minutes to find a convenient place to leave your car for the day. You will need to stop by an information booth at one of the several entrances to the campus, and ask for directions to the closest visitor's lot to the conference center. You will most likely be directed to the Parking Garage, off of Campus Road, and a short walk (1.5 blocks) to the conference center. A one-day parking pass costs \$6.00. For parking information see <[http://www.transportation.cornell.edu/Commuter\\_and\\_Parking\\_Services/CandPSHome.html](http://www.transportation.cornell.edu/Commuter_and_Parking_Services/CandPSHome.html)>. If you can't find your way from where you parked to the conference center, call 607-435-1660; the local arrangements committee will have people on hand to assist you.

## LODGING INFORMATION

### Best Western University Inn

1020 Ellis Hollow Road  
Ithaca, New York 14850

**Phone:** (607) 272-6100

**Fax:** (607) 272-1518

**Reservations:** 800-528-1234

**Cut off date:** 04/14/02 (reservations after this date are subject to availability)

We encourage conference participants to use this hotel as there is a free shuttle from the hotel to the conference site, which is also the dinner site.

- ❖ **Rates:** \$99-\$129, depending on room type.
- ❖ Reservations to be made by individual bookings, please indicate group affiliation.
- ❖ Complimentary Airport Limousine Service to and from the Tompkins County Airport, between 7:00 am and 11:00 PM. Please make advance reservation with the Hotel reservation department.
- ❖ Parking is **free** at the hotel.
- ❖ Website (includes hotel information, directions/map): <http://www.bestwestern.com/>

### Statler Hotel

Cornell University Campus  
Ithaca, NY

**Reservations:** 800-541-2501

- ❖ Reservations to be made directly to The Statler Hotel. Please indicate group affiliation.
- ❖ **Rates:** \$123-\$283/night depending on room type and view.
- ❖ Complimentary Airport Limousine Service to and from the Tompkins County Airport, between 6:00 am and 11:00 PM. Please make advance reservation with Hotel reservation department.
- ❖ There will be an additional \$6.00 per night for parking.
- ❖ Website: <http://www.statlerhotel.cornell.edu>

## EMERGENCY PHONE NUMBERS

Conference participants may be reached through The Statler Hotel's main telephone number:

### Statler Hotel

(607) 257-2500

## QUESTIONS?

If you have questions regarding any conference details, including handicapped accessibility, please contact:

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Between April 15-22, or if you are unable to reach the local arrangements chairperson, please contact Terry L. Kristensen, Associate Director, Flower-Sprecher Veterinary Library, Telephone: 607-253-4333, Email: [tlk23@cornell.edu](mailto:tlk23@cornell.edu)