



Conference diary

▶ **Communications 96, 6-8 August 1996, Auckland**

The annual conference and exhibition staged by the Telecommunications Users Association of New Zealand. 🏠 Ellerslie Exhibition Centre. Contact: TUANZ. Tel: 64 9 488 1888. Fax: 64 9 489 9515.

▶ **Wireless Access Technologies Forum, 14-15 August 1996, Sydney**

🏠 Hotel InterContinental. Contact: IBC Conferences. Tel: (02) 319 3755.

▶ **International Association for Mass Communication Research, 20th Biennial Conference, 18-22 August 1996, Sydney**

The theme of the conference is 'Shifting Centres: Information Identity and Citizenship'. Contact: Associate Professor Virginia Nightingale, Department of Media and Cultural Studies, 🏠 University of Western Sydney, Nepean. Tel: (02) 678 7382. Fax: (02) 678 7399. E-mail: v.nightingale@nepean.uws.edu.au

▶ **Digital Libraries, Technologies and Organisational Impacts, 25-31 August 1996, Beijing**

The International Federation of Library Associations is hosting a conference which discusses the future use of digital technologies, their benefits and drawbacks. 🏠 National Library of China, Beijing. Tel: 86 10 8416347; 8419260.

▶ **Festival of Television for Australian Children, 26-30 August 1996, Brisbane**

A television broadcast festival of quality children's programs from around the world. Contact: Dina Browne. Tel: (07) 3368 7318. E-mail: ftac@ozEmail.com.au

▶ **Teleteaching 96 - Practising what we preach, 2-6 September 1996, Canberra**

A 'virtual conference' which will showcase the latest technologies applicable to all sectors of the education system. 🏠 National Convention Centre, Canberra. Contact: Caroline New. Tel: (02) 630 2108. E-mail: cnew@acslink.net.au

▶ **Information infrastructure project, 8-10 September 1996, Cambridge, USA**

The project will address issues in the international coordination and management of internet operations. 🏠 Kennedy School of Government, Harvard University, USA. Contact: James Keller. 617 496 4042.

▶ **IBC 1996, 12-16 September 1996, Amsterdam**

🏠 RAI Centre. Contact: IBC. Tel: 44 171 240 3839. E-mail: show@ibc.org.uk

▶ **Media Education National Conference, 3-6 October 1996, Brisbane**

🏠 Queensland University of Technology. Contact: Australian Teachers of Media (Qld). Tel: (07) 3844 1461. Fax: (07) 3846 4617. E-mail: CapalabaSHS@Mailbox.uq.oz.au

▶ **Communications Research Forum 1996, 28-29 October 1996, Melbourne**

The themes for the forum will include the post-1997 communications environment, realities of multimedia and on-line services and social policy. Contact: Elvie Gothard. Tel: (03) 9660 1766. Fax: (03) 9660 1765. E-mail: mtpg@rmit.edu.au

▶ **SPAA 1996 Conference, 13-15 November 1996, Melbourne**

🏠 Grand Hyatt Hotel. Contact: Alexandra Jones. Tel: (02) 321 6412.

▶ **Networld+Interop, 25-29 November 1996, Sydney**

The Australian debut of Networld+Interop communications and networking exhibition. 🏠 Darling Harbour. Contact: Elana Cohen, Synergy Conventions. Tel: (02) 369 1242.