

Events

If Events space is restricted, early notices may be dropped from some issues, reappearing as the date draws closer.

Australian Capital Territory

- **31 August. UCRLS General Meeting.** How the concept of the 'just in time' library can be applied to special libraries. Venue: Conference room, National Library of Australia. Time: 4.30pm to 6.00pm.
- **30 September-1 October. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Introductory System (30 Sept), Biomedical (1 Oct). Canberra. Contact (02) 212 2867.

New South Wales

- **Late August (date TBA) UCRLS (NSW).** 'A fairer go' Services for Disabled Users seminar. Venue: University of NSW. Time: 9.00am to 1.00pm. Cost: \$30 ALIA members, \$40 non ALIA. Contact: Daphne Freeder tel: (02) 330 3344.
- **7-30 September. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Medline Bridging (7 Sept, 9am-1pm), Introductory System (8 Sept). Sydney. Contact: (02) 212 2867.
- **14 September. Library Technicians Section.** Meeting at the State Library of New South Wales in the Jean Garling Room. Time: 6.00pm. Contact: Christine Samuels: (02) 230 1636. All welcome.
- **14 September. NSW Specials Section.** Lunch with Hugh Mackay, speaking on 'Information: Life support in the age of redefinition'. Venue: Macquarie Room, Level 1, Southern Cross Hotel Sydney. Time: 12.15pm to 2.30pm. Cost: \$30 special member, \$35 ALIA member, \$45 non member. RSVP: Angela Dunstan tel: (02) 228 1066, fax (02) 235 1347.
- **24 September. NSW Acquisitions Group.** Day Seminar: Acquisitions Basics. Guest speakers. Venue: Metcalfe Auditorium, SLNSW. Time: 9.00am to 4.00pm. Registration: 8.15am. Cost: \$70 non members, \$60 ALIA members, \$55 Acquisition Section members, \$40 f/t students. Lunch included. Contact: Joyce Kirk, UTS, (02) 330 5250.
- **28-30 September. Free BIOSIS Seminars.** Basis (28 Sept), Advanced (29 Sept), Med/BIOSIS (30 Sept). Venue: University of NSW. Contact: Monica Davis tel: (02) 697 2663, fax: (02) 662 6027.
- **29 September. NSW Cataloguers Section.** Cataloguing news from abroad by Eugenie Greig with a report on ACOC by Andrew Wells. Venue: Seminar room 1, Level 11, State Library of NSW. Time: 6 to 6.30pm. Contact: Sue Thomas (02) 230 1584.
- **1 October. Free BIOSIS Seminar.** Basis. Venue: CSIRO Division of Animal Industry, Prospect. Contact: Jill Franklin (02) 660 4411.
- **6-29 October. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Introductory System (6 Oct), Chemical Searching for Non-Chemists (8 Oct 9am-12pm), Patents (26 Oct), Beyond the Basics (28 Oct), Legal Applications (29 Oct, 9am-12pm). Sydney. Contact: (02) 212 2867.
- **20 October. New Developments in Asian Business Information.** A 1-day Seminar at the Australian Graduate School of Management. Cost: \$200. Contact: Susan Hornby tel: (02) 931 9394, fax (02) 662 2451.
- **10 November. NSW Specials Section.** Informal Networking lunch. Time: 12.00pm to 2.00pm. Venue: Upstairs Cafe, NSW Art Gallery, Gallery Road, The Domain. Bookings Essential. Contact: Kaye Parker tel: (02) 369 3963.
- **22 November. NSW Cataloguers Section.** Subject to change: half-day seminar with Philip Bryant and Annelise Mark Pejtersen. Venue: Metcalfe Auditorium, State Library of NSW. Time: 9.00am to 12.30pm. Cost: \$35 section members, \$40 ALIA members, \$20 students, \$50 others. \$5 discount for payment by 22 October. Bookings essential. Contact: Sue Thomas (02) 230 1584 or Jule Olston (02) 692 4326.
- **26 November. Riverina Regional Group.** Technology Expo. Venue: Charles Sturt University Riverina. Time: all day. Cost: \$50 members, \$60 non-members. Contact: Val Mullins (069) 222 467.
- **29-30 November. Distance Education Special Interest Group.** Second DESIG Conference 'Open Learning: friend or foe'. Venue: CSU, Mitchell Campus, Bathurst. Contact: Jennifer Redding PO Box 49 Darling Heights, Qld 4350 tel: (076) 31 2469, fax: (076) 31 2920.

• Activities organised by ALIA Divisions

Queensland

- **21-23 September. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Dialog Finder Files, free session (21 Sept, 4-5pm), Introductory System (22 Sept), Biomedical (23 Sept). Brisbane. Contact (02) 212 2867.
- **12 October. RAISS Qld Group.** Rethinking Reference. Full day discussion workshop by Anne Lipow and 2 visiting US speakers. Venue: Auditorium C, South Brisbane TAFE, 97 Merivale St., South Brisbane. Time: 9.00am to 5.00pm. Cost: \$120 ALIA members, \$150 non members. Contact: Brian Rice (07) 864 4636.
- **13 October. RAISS Qld Group.** Neutral Questioning. Half day workshop. Venue: Auditorium C, South Brisbane TAFE, 97 Merivale St., South Brisbane. Time: 9.00am to 1.00pm. Cost: \$60 ALIA members, \$80 non members. Contact: Brian Rice (07) 864 4636.

South Australia

- **6 September. Local Studies Section (SA).** Tour of Parliament House. Time: 10.00am. Contact: Jane Best tel: (08) 259 1207.
- **27-29 September. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars.** Asia/Pacific Business, free session (27 Sept, 12-1pm), Chemical Searching for non-Chemists (27 Sept, 2-5pm), Introductory System (28 Sept), Dialog Finder Files, free session (29 Sept, 9-10am). Adelaide. Contact (02) 212 2867.

Tasmania

- **14 October. Neutral Questioning.** A half day workshop by Anne Lipow. Venue and cost TBA. Contact: C Goodacre 202 784 or Merry Joyce 202 783.
- **15 October. Rethinking Reference.** A one-day workshop by Anne Lipow, Sheila Creth and Karen Williams. Venue and cost TBA. Contact: C Goodacre 202 784 or Merry Joyce 202 783.

Victoria

- **31 August. RAISS Victorian Section.** Interactive Multimedia: an overview, discussion and demonstration. Speaker: Ted Chrisfield. Venue: Borchardt Library, La Trobe University, Reader Education

Room. Time: 6.00pm for 6.30pm.
Contact: Christine Maher
(03) 479 2926.

- **2 September. Special Libraries Section.** Library visit to the Victorian Parliamentary Library, Spring Street, Melbourne. Time: 5.30pm to 7.30pm. RSVP to Moyra McAllister tel: (03) 651 1511.

- **7 September. Geelong Regional Group.** Australian Securities Commission visit. Venue: ASC, 200 Malop St, Geelong. Time: 5.30pm for 6.00pm. Contact: Mike Wood (052) 292 388, Sue McKenzie (052) 264 849.

15-16 September. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Introductory System (15 Sept), Business (16 Sept). Melbourne. Contact (02) 212 2867.

- **8 October. Victorian Special Libraries Section.** Talk by Bulletin/Qantas Businesswoman of the year, Alison Crook, Chief Executive of the State Library of NSW, to be held at the Southern Cross Hotel from 9.45am. Subject: Organisational change for client service. Cost \$25. Enquiries: Clare Body tel: (03) 669 4471, fax (03) 669 4611.

11 October. FLIS Training Pty Ltd. Writing Library Guides & Promotional Materials Workshop. Venue: The Conference Room, Whitehorse Inn Hotel, 5 Burwood Rd Hawthorn. Time: 9.30am-5.00pm. Cost: \$170 lunch included. Contact: Jennifer Evans: (03) 813 1925.

- **13 October. UCRLS.** General Meeting. Topic: Safety and Security in Libraries. Venue: Library staff room, Swinburne Lit. Time: 6.00pm for 6.30pm. Contact: Barbara Nicol tel: (03) 819 8684.

19-21 October. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Chemical Searching for Non-Chemists (19 Oct, 2-5pm), Introductory System (20 Oct), Patents (21 Oct). Melbourne. Contact: (02) 212 2867.

- **19-23 October. Geelong Regional Group.** Library Week Tours. Venues: Geelong Grammar School Fisher Library; Geelong Regional Library; Geelong Water Board; Deakin (Geelong) Library. Contact: Cheryl Marriner (052) 293 561, Mike Wood (052) 292 388.

- **6-7 November. Children's and Youth Services Section.** Children's Literature Weekend: 'Leap into the Unexpected'. Venue: Green Gables Chalet, Warburton. Cost: \$150 ALIA members, \$170 non-mem-

bers. Contact: Michelle Leahy (03) 567 3654, Marie Turnbull (03) 524 3349.

9-11 November. VALA. Managing Networked Information. 7th Biennial VALA Conference and Exhibition. Venue: Melbourne Hilton on the Park. Contact: VALA Conference & Exhibition Secretariat, Bloomsbury Conference Services Pty Ltd. Tel: (03) 429 4322, fax: (03) 427 0715.

- **16 November. Special Libraries Section.** An evening hosted by DW Thorpe, Publishers at 18 Salmon Street, Port Melbourne. Time: 5.30pm to 7.30pm. Contact: Patricia Genat tel: (03) 645 1511.

18-19 November. Technology Management Centre. An International Conference. 'Lifelong Education for Information Professional. International speakers. Contact: Terry Martin tel: (03) 244 6947, fax (03) 888 8562.

- **26 November. Geelong Regional Group.** Christmas Talent and Trivia Night. Contact: Cheryl Marriner (052) 293 561; Mike Wood (052) 292 388.

- **26 November. Riverina Regional Group.** Technology Expo. See NSW listing.

30 November. FLIS Training Pty Ltd Staff Supervision Challenges for Library Managers in the 90's Workshop. Venue: Meat Market Craft Centre, Blackwood Street, North Melbourne. Cost: \$170 lunch included. Contact: Jennifer Evans (03) 813 1925.

30 November - 3 December. Networkshop 93. The national ARNet conference—Access for the 90's. Venue: World Congress Centre, Melbourne. Contact: Fiona Waldron Bloomsbury Conference Services PO Box 547 Richmond Vic 3121. Tel: (03) 429 4322 fax (03) 427 0715.

- **6 December. Special Libraries Section.** AGM and Christmas Party. Note change of venue to Parliamentary Gardens. Time: 5.30pm to 8.30pm. Enquiries to Stephanie Laverie on (03) 283 9638.

Western Australia

- **7 September. WA Library Technicians.** Tour of Parliamentary Library then meeting at UWA Zoology Library, Zoology Department, Crawley Avenue. Time: 6.00pm. Contact: Maureen McAllister (09) 349 4947.

- **8 and 13 September. School Libraries Section.** West Australian

Young Readers' Book Award. Volunteers needed for sort and counting of votes. Venue: Bayswater Public Library 25 King William Street Bayswater. Time: 4.00pm. Contact: Chris Priest tel: (09) 295 2750.

- **17 September. WA Specials.** Sundowner. Report on Asian Pacific Specials, Health & Law Librarians Conference. Venue: Orchard Hotel Piano Bar, Perth. Time: 5.30pm.

- **21 September. Health Libraries Section.** General Meeting. Venue: Graylands Hospital. Time: 5.30pm. Topic: Post Conference Blues. Reports from Asian Pacific Specials, Health and Law Librarians Conference. Contact: Marjory Taylor tel: (09) 347 6710.

- **30 September. WA Special Librarian Award Presentation and Dinner.** Venue: The Chariot Function Room, Glouster Park. Cost: \$25.50 per head. Contact: Shirley Cowcher. Tel: (09) 242 4713 or fax: (09) 444 1900.

- **20 October. Health Libraries Section.** Business Meeting, National Executive 4.00-5.00pm. State Executive 5.00-6.00pm. Venue: King Edward Memorial Hospital. Contact: Brigitte Glockner tel: (09) 340 1498.

5 November. WALGLA Conference (WA). 3rd Biennial conference Libraries and Local Government. Venue: Quality Langley Plaza Hotel Perth. Contact: Deborah Harding tel: (09) 451 0691 or fax (09) 451 0748.

National

- **22 September. Library Technicians Section (National).** AGM. Venue: Terrace Inter Continental Hotel, Adelaide. (7th National Library Technicians Conference). Time: 1.30pm. Contact: Janelle Thoms (02) 230 1467.

22-23 August. Transport Librarians (TRANSLIB) Meeting. Transport information in Australia—are we making the best use of our resources? Venue: Queensland Dept of Transport, Spring Hill. Contact: Judy Tickner, Australian Road Research Board. Tel: (03) 881 1560, fax: (03) 887 8104.

- **23 August. ACLIS/ALIA seminar.** Creating our Future in Acquisitions. Challenges in acquiring information in the 90's. Venue: Hotel Conrad, Broadbeach, Qld. Time: 9.00am to 4.00pm. Contact: Maggie Newman (03) 253 6148 or Helen Scheu (07) 365 6316.

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- ▶ 23-26 August. **Specials, Law and Health Librarians Conference: Creating Our Future.** Venue: Hotel Conrad, Broadbeach, Queensland. Contact: Leah Cranston tel: (07) 369 0477, PO Box 1280 Milton Qld 4064
- 22-24 September. **7th National Library Technicians' Conference: The Tech Connection.** Venue: Terrace Inter Continental Hotel Adelaide. Contact: Elizabeth Collins, Convenor, at Parks Library. tel: (08) 243 5691 or fax: (08) 347 3632.
- 26-30 September. **International Association of School Librarianship (IASL).** Joint Conference with Australian School Library Associations (ASLA). Venue: St Peter's College Adelaide. Contact: The Secretariat, PO Box 2093 Kent Town, SA 5071.
- 4-6 November. **10th National Cataloguing Conference.** Theme: Subject Access. Venue: The Esplanade Hotel, Fremantle. Registration charges: early \$190 ALIA members, \$240 non-members; late \$230 members, \$280 non-members. Contact: Judy Clayden tel: (09) 370 6298 or fax: (09) 370 2910.

- 29-30 November. **Distance Education Special Interest Group.** Second DESIG Conference 'Open Learning: friend or foe'. Venue: CSU, Mitchell Campus, Bathurst. Contact: Jennifer Redding PO Box 49 Darling Heights, Qld 4350 tel: (076) 31 2469, fax: (076) 31 2920.
- 9-10 December. **Towards Federation 2001 - Linking Australians and their heritage - Review Meeting.** A national meeting on access to Australia's recorded heritage. NLA, Canberra. Participation by invitation. Contact: Eric Wainwright, Deputy DG, NLA, telephone: (06) 262 1377, fax: (06) 273 1133, E-mail: e.wainwright@abn.nla.gov.au.



- 22-24 September. **First International Food Data Base Conference.** Venue: Pyrmont and Skyline Rooms, Sydney Convention Centre, Darling Harbour. Contact: A/Prof. Heather Greenfield, UNSW tel: (02) 697 4363, fax: (02) 313 6646.
- 26-30 September. **International**

Association of School Librarianship (IASL) Joint Conference with Australian School Library Associations (ASLA). 'Dreams and Dynamics' Venue: St Peter's College, Adelaide. Contact: The Secretariat, PO Box 2039, Kent Town SA 5071.

3-7 October. **NZLIA Conference** in Tauranga, NZ. Theme: Bridging the Gap (bicultural and technological). Registration up to 1 September NZ\$300. Contact: Conference committee, NZLIA c/- Tauranga District Council, Private Bag, Tauranga, NZ.

29-30 November. **2nd Distance Education SIG Conference.** Theme: 'Open Learning: friend or foe'. Venue: Charles Sturt University Mitchell Campus (Bathurst). Call for Papers. Contact the DESIG Convenor, Jennifer Redding by 28 May: tel: (076) 314 469, fax: (076) 312 920.

10-12 May 1995. **7th International Congress on Medical Librarianship.** Washington DC. Theme: 'Health Information for the Global Village'. Call for Contributed Papers: abstracts needed by 1 September 1993. Contact: Frances Groen, McGill University, Montreal, Canada. Fax: 514 398 2423, E-Mail: groen@lib1.lan.mcgill.ca. ■



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