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**Privileged Motions**

1. Adjourn
2. Recess
3. Question of privilege

**Subsidiary Motions**

4. Postpone temporarily (or table)
5. Close debate
6. Limit debate
7. Postpone indefinitely
8. Refer to committee
9. Amend

**Main Motions**

10. The main motion and specific main motions

Incidental motions have no order or precedence. Since they must be decided as soon as they arise, they present no problem of precedence.

There are two basic rules of precedence:

1. When a motion is being considered, any motion of higher precedence may be proposed, but no motion of lower precedence may be proposed; and
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Classes of Motions
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   - Reconsider
   - Rescind
   - Resume consideration--take from the table

3. Subsidiary motions: Subsidiary motions alter the main motion or delay or hasten its consideration. Consequently, they are subsidiary to it. The most frequently used subsidiary motions are:
   - Postpone temporarily--place on the table
   - Close debate (on a previous question)
   - Limit debate
   - Postpone indefinitely
   - Refer to a committee
   - Amend

4. Privileged motions: Privileged motions have no direct connection to the main motion before the assembly. They are motions of such urgency that they are entitled to immediate consideration. The privileged motions are:
   - Adjourn
   - Recess
   - Question of Privilege

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   - Appeal from a decision of the chair
   - Consider informally
   - Suspend the rules
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Journal of Neural Transmission: Parkinson’s Disease & Dementia Section
Managing Editor: A. Carlsson
Both diseases have their own pathophysiological and therefore specific substrate while there also exists a common interrelationship between morphological substrates, biochemical abnormalities and clinical pictures etc. This journal provides a vehicle by which research on Parkinson’s Disease and all types of Dementia appear in one journal.
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8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.
CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSES
Westin Hotel
(see page 9 for schedule)

8:00 A.M.-NOON
COMMITTEE MEETINGS
(see pages 52-53 for schedule)

8:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.
SECTION COUNCIL MEETING II
Marquette, Westin

9:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.
CHAPTER COUNCIL MEETING II
Joliet, Westin

FRIDAY, MAY 25

8:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
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8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.
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10:30 A.M.-11:30 A.M.
JANET DOE LECTURE
W1 - 51, Cobo

Moderator: Frances Groen, President, Medical Library Association and Life Sciences Librarian, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec


"Hospital Librarianship in Perspective"
Ruth Holst, Director of Library Services, Columbia Hospital, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

11:45 A.M.-1:15 P.M.
AWARDS LUNCHEON AND CEREMONY
W1 - 52, Cobo

The ceremony will begin at 12:15 P.M. The following awards will be presented:

MLA Scholarship
MLA Scholarship for Minority Students
Continuing Education Awards
MLA Research, Development, and Demonstration Projects Grants
The Ida and George Elliot Prize
MLA Doctoral Fellowship
Cunningham Memorial International Fellowship
The Estelle Brodman Award for the Academic Medical Librarian of the Year
The Louise Darling Medal for Distinguished Achievement in Collection Development in the Health Sciences
The Frank Bradway Rogers Information Advancement Award

Special Awards
Fellows/Honorary Members
The MLA Award for Distinguished Public Service
The Marcia C. Noyes Award (posthumous)

1:30 P.M.-3:00 P.M.
NATIONAL LIBRARY OF MEDICINE UPDATE SESSION
W1 - 54, Cobo


"What's New and What's Old at NLM"
Donald A.B. Lindberg, M.D., Director, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

"Evaluation of the Impact of MEDLINE"
Elliot Siegel, Ph.D., Assistant Director for Planning and Evaluation, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

"Library Operations Update"
Lois Ann Colaianni, Associate Director, Library Operations, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

3:15 P.M.-4:45 P.M.
BUSINESS SESSION III
W1 - 52, Cobo

Presiding: Frances Groen, President, Medical Library Association and Life Sciences Area Librarian, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec

Resolutions
Welcome to San Francisco
1991 National Program Committee
Recognition of Retiring Board Members
Introduction of Incoming Board Members
Inaugural Address
"Potential for Power"
Lucretia W. McClure, MLA President and Medical Librarian, Edward G. Miner Library, University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry, Rochester, New York

Adjournment
5:00 P.M.-6:00 P.M.
PLENARY SESSION II
The John P. McGovert Award Lecture
W1 - 52, Cobo

Moderator: Mark E. Funk, Head, Collection Development, Medical Library, Cornell University Medical College, New York, New York

"Inventing the Future"
Nicholas Negroponte, Professor, Media Technology and Director, Media Laboratory, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts

Additional funding for this session has been provided by Elsevier Science Publishing, Pergamon Press, Readmore, S. Karger Publishers, and Springer-Verlag New York.

8:30 P.M.-MIDNIGHT
MLA CABARET
Columbus Room, Westin

Don't miss the sizzlin' sounds of Ortheia Barnes at the MLA Cabaret!
Dental
W2 - 68, Cobo

Educational Media and Technologies
D2 - 13/14, Cobo

What is the Future of Media Centers in the Medical Library?
Moderator: Beverly A. Hilton, Audiovisual Librarian, Medical Center Library, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky.

Facilitator: Gale G. Hannigan, Manager, Medical Library Services, Upjohn Company, Kalamazoo, Michigan.

To what extent should media libraries be supporting word-processing functions versus instructional software? Is the microcomputer lab function getting out of hand? How do we stay on top of CAI software? What are the most serious issues facing media centers in the next five years? With the aid of a facilitator and audience participation, these and other topics will be discussed.

Federal Libraries
D2 - 11/12, Cobo

Medical School Libraries
W1 - 51, Cobo

Directions for Action: Future Prospects for the Medical School Libraries Section
Moderator: Faith Van Toll, Director, Shiffman Medical Library, Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan and Chair, MSLS Strategic Planning Committee, Detroit, Michigan.

The Medical School Libraries Section (MSLS) approved a strategic plan at the 1989 Annual Meeting. This plan complements and realizes some of the goals adopted by MLA. The plan as it stands identifies directions for the section leadership to take in stating objectives for the years ahead. But any strategic plan from an organization also begs for action on the part of its membership. This informal program, using a "town meeting" approach, seeks to identify and discuss actions the membership can take to strengthen the section, MLA, and the profession.

Medical Society Libraries
D2 - 10, Cobo

Pharmacy and Drug Information
W2 - 65, Cobo

Excerpta Medica Foundation Lecture
Moderator: R. Kenny Fryer, Head Reference Librarian, Yale Medical Library, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut

"Cross-Referencing Life: Informatics and the New Biology"
David J. Lipman, Director, National Center for Biotechnology Information, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

Molecular biology has risen to the forefront of science, both because of its explanatory power, which cuts across all of biology, and because of the dramatic and continuing improvements in experimental techniques, resulting in high levels of research productivity. Thus, there is a need to manage, integrate, and analyze large quantities of information. This talk will present some concepts that will be important for meeting the informatics challenges of molecular biology and describe several projects at NLM's National Center for Biotechnology Information that have begun to implement these concepts.

9:00 A.M.-10:00 A.M.
Joint Program of the Veterinary Medical Libraries and Research Libraries Section (sponsored by the Lyme Borreliosis Foundation [LBF])
W2 - 62

Moderator: Leza S. Hamby, Medical Librarian, Rocky Mountain Laboratories/NIID/NIH/DOHS, Hamilton, Montana

"Lyme Disease: Today" Willy Burgdorfer, M.D., Ph.D., Scientist Emeritus, Scientific Board Member of the Lyme Borreliosis Foundation, Hamilton, Montana

Lyme disease is now recognized as the most prevalent tick-borne ailment in the United States and in Europe. This presentation includes a brief account of the circumstances that led to the 1981 discovery of the causative spirochete, reference to Lyme disease in domestic animals, and treatment and prevention.

9:00 A.M.-10:00 A.M.
MLA JOB MARKET
W2 - 71, Cobo

"Grantsmanship--Introduction to Grant Writing" Barbara Wright, Library Director, Fayetteville AHEC Library, Fayetteville, North Carolina; Karen Seawell, Director of Information Services, Moses H. Cone Memorial Hospital, Greensboro, North Carolina

Speakers will give short presentation on the topic, followed by audience questions and a short sharing session.

Seating is limited: to attend, please sign up with the Placement Service (W2 - 61, Cobo). Seats available on a first-come, first-served basis.

9:00 A.M.-NOON
SECTION COUNCIL TABLE
Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo

9:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M.
CHAPTER COUNCIL TABLE
Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo

10:00 A.M.-10:30 A.M.
Break

10:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M.
EXHIBIT OPEN
Wayne Hall, Cobo

Play ADVERTEASERS for valuable prizes!
This session celebrates MLA’s accomplishments during the 1980s and takes a look at initiatives for the 1990s.

Moderator: Jean K. Miller, Director, UT Southwestern Medical Center Library, Dallas, Texas

“The Global View”
Nancy Lorenzi, Ph.D., Associate Senior Vice-President, Medical Center, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio

“Professional Development”
Judith Messerle, Director/Librarian, Francis A. Countway Medical Library, Harvard University, Boston, Massachusetts

“Into the 1990s”
Lucretia W. McClure, Medical Librarian, Edward G. Miner Library, University of Rochester School of Medicine and Dentistry, Rochester, New York

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23

7:00 A.M.-8:00 A.M.
MLA JOB MARKET
W2 - 61, Cobo

“Qualifications Employers are Seeking”
Virginia Bowden, Library Director, Briscoe Library, University of Texas Health Science Center, San Antonio, Texas

“Expanded Settings for the Profession: Consulting”
Betsy Beamish, Hospital Library Consulting, Pacific Palisades, California

8:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.
REGISTRATION CENTER
Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo

8:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.
HOSPITALITY CENTER
Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo

8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.
PLACEMENT SERVICE
W2 - 61, Cobo

8:00 A.M.-9:00 A.M.
SECTION MEETINGS
The following sections are scheduled to meet.

Research Libraries Business Meeting
W2 - 62, Cobo

Veterinary Medical Libraries Business Meeting
W2 - 64, Cobo

8:00 A.M.-10:00 A.M.
SECTION MEETINGS
The following sections are scheduled to meet.

Cancer Librarians
O2 - 34/35/36, Cobo

Chiropractic Libraries
W2 - 70, Cobo

Collection Development
W1 - 56, Cobo

Consumer and Patient Health Information
W2 - 63, Cobo

Information Exchange
Moderator: Margaret Bandy, Medical Librarian, Saint Joseph Hospital, Denver, Colorado

Immediately following the business meeting, attendees will have the opportunity to share ideas and experiences on issues of interest, such as collection development, public relations, service policies, and other topics relevant to the provision of patient and consumer health information services.
“Stress Management Techniques”
Suzanne Woodward, Ph.D., Faculty, Department of Psychiatry, Wayne State University School of Medicine and Staff, Lafayette Clinic, Detroit, Michigan

The first speaker, Dr. Knox, will explain the effects of stress on the body and discuss research studies: one on the effects of stress and gender differences and the other on the effects of stress on identical twins. Dr. Woodward will review behavioral techniques for reducing stress.

Nursing and Allied Health Resources
D2 - 13/14, Cobo

Public Health/Health Administration Libraries
W2 - 68, Cobo

Information Access in the Field of PH/HA
Moderator: Bruce N. Yamasaki, Director, Parklawn Health Library, Public Health Service/OASH/OM/ASC/DTS, Rockville, Maryland

“Update on New Products/Services at the National Center for Health Statistics”
John E. Mounts, Chief, Scientific and Technical Information Branch/NCHS, National Center for Health Statistics, Hyattsville, Maryland

“The Office of Health Care Policy and Research (formerly NCHSR) and the Literature of Health Services Research”
Z. Erik Farag, Ph.D., Director, Division of Research Dissemination and External Liaison, Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, Rockville, Maryland

“Office of Substance Abuse Prevention and the Role of the National Clearinghouse on Alcohol and Drug Abuse Information (NCADI)”
Moderator: To be announced. Office of Substance Abuse Prevention/Alcohol, Drug Abuse and Mental Health Administration, Rockville, Maryland

This will be an informal meeting. Speakers will present information on the topics described. Dr. Farag of OHCPR will brief members on the expanded role of OHCPR with its effect on the literature of PH/HA, including a new, formal relationship with NLM. Mr. Mounts of NCHS will be requesting feedback from attendees on ways of improving access to NCHS data. In addition, the PH/HA chairman will report on the progress of section projects, viz., (a) access to PH/HA statistical data using ProCite, (b) access to fugitive literature sources, (c) citation analysis within PH/HA literature, and (d) increasing section membership. The incoming chairman will report on planned section projects for 1991.

Public Services
W2 - 65, Cobo

Past, Present, and Future of the Public Services Section
Moderator: Elizabeth H. Wood, Computer Services Librarian, Norris Medical Library, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California

The past activities of the Public Services Section will be reviewed, and the section’s future role as it relates to the MLA strategic plan will be discussed.

Technical Services
W2 - 64, Cobo

Business Meeting/NLM Technical Services Update

“Technical Services Update”
Sally Sinn, Deputy Chief, Technical Services Division, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland.

The section will also hold its business meeting, with reports from the president and committee chairmen.

9:00 A.M.-10:00 A.M.
RELEVANT ISSUES SECTION MEETING
W2 - 63, Cobo

9:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M.
CHAPTER COUNCIL TABLE
Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo

9:00 A.M.-3:00 P.M.
SECTION COUNCIL TABLE
Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo

10:00 A.M.-10:30 A.M.
Break

10:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.
EXHIBIT OPEN
Wayne Hall, Cobo

Take advantage of some free time—meet with exhibitors and find out more about the latest resources for health information managers.

10:30 A.M.-NOON
BUSINESS SESSION II
The following programs will run concurrently.

Bylaws Revision
W1 - 54, Cobo

Moderator: June H. Fulton, Director, Medical Documentation Service, Institute for Scientific Information, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Based on the recommendations of two professional parliamentarians, the Bylaws Committee has prepared revisions to MLA’s constitution and bylaws. This session will provide MLA members with an opportunity to review and discuss the proposed changes.
Monday, May 21 – Tuesday, May 22

5:00 P.M. – 6:00 P.M.
Looking Ahead –
Taking Control of Your Professional Future
D2 - 08/15, Cobo

Moderator: Ruth Holst, Director of Library Services, Columbia Hospital, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Presenters: Judith Messerle, Librarian/Director, Francis A. Countway Medical Library, Harvard University, Boston, Massachusetts
Rick B. Forsman, Associate Director, Denison Memorial Library, University of Colorado, Denver, Colorado
Fred W. Roper, Ph.D., Dean, College of Library and Information Science, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina

TUESDAY, MAY 22

7:00 A.M. – 8:00 A.M.
HOSPITAL LIBRARIES SECTION BREAKFAST
W1 - 51, Cobo

7:00 A.M. – 8:00 A.M.
CHAPTER LEADERSHIP BREAKFAST
W1 - 55, Cobo

7:00 A.M. – 8:00 A.M.
MLA JOB MARKET
W2 - 61, Cobo

“The Entry-Level Job Market”
Janice Contini, Online Services Coordinator, Louise Darling Biomedical Library, University of California-Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California

“Expanded Settings for the Profession: Private Industry”
June H. Fulton, Director, Medical Documentation Service, Institute for Scientific Information, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

8:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.
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8:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M.
HOSPITALITY CENTER
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8:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M.
PLACEMENT SERVICE
W2 - 61, Cobo

8:00 A.M. – 10:00 A.M.
SECTION MEETINGS
The following sections are scheduled to meet.

History of the Health Sciences
W2 - 67, Cobo

Hospital Libraries Section
W1 - 51, Cobo

Business Meeting and Program (follows breakfast)

“Keeping Up With Change: The JCAHO’s Agenda”
Paul M. Schyve, M.D., Vice-President for Research and Standards, Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations, Oak Brook Terrace, Illinois

Moderator: Carole M. Gilbert, Director, Library Services, Providence Hospital, Southfield, Michigan

The goal of the Joint Commission’s Agenda for Change is to help health care organizations continually improve the clinical, governance, management, and support service processes that are most important to the quality of patient care. Improvement in these processes depends upon better information about how the processes are working and should work. This requires management of data about the processes themselves (and their outcomes) and up-to-date, accurate, and accessible information from the clinical and organizational literature.

International Cooperation
W2 - 70, Cobo

Library Research
W1 - 56, Cobo

Open Forum on Research Agenda for the Association
Moderator: Patricia Ann Gibson, Vice-President, Information Services and Systems, American Academy of Family Physicians Foundation, Kansas City, Missouri

“MLA’s Research Agenda”
Jacqueline Bastille, Director, Treadway Library, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts

Background on the development of MLA’s research agenda will be presented in the context of MLA’s strategic plan, followed by a presentation of the present draft of the research agenda. The Library Research Section has been charged with maintaining and updating the agenda and, to that end, will seek attendees’ input.

Medical Informatics
W2 - 62, Cobo

Medical Library Education
O2 - 34/35/36, Cobo

Mental Health Librarians
D2 - 11/12, Cobo

The Mechanisms and Management of Stress
Moderator: Patricia Tomasulo, Librarian, Department of Psychiatry, New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center, New York, New York

“Mechanisms of Stress”
Sarah Knox, Ph.D., Faculty, Department of Psychiatry, Wayne State University School of Medicine and Staff, Lafayette Clinic, Detroit, Michigan
TRACK IV
LIBRARY ADMINISTRATION:
THE ROLE OF THE LIBRARY ADMINISTRATOR IN THE HEALTH CARE ORGANIZATION

Offering various viewpoints on expanding the role of the library administrator within the larger institution, this track will address organizational politics, self-imposed limits, and empowerment issues. A portion of the program will include four panelists, including two nonlibrary administrators, giving their views on the possibilities for interaction between the library administrator and individuals higher up in the organizational hierarchy. Track IV will conclude by addressing future opportunities for professional and managerial development for library administrators.

10:30 A.M.-11:30 A.M.
Keynote address
D2 - 08/15, Cobo

Moderator: Neil Rambo, Associate Director, Pacific Northwest Regional Health Sciences Library Service, Seattle, Washington

"At the Table with the Power Brokers: Approaches to Health Science Library Administration"
Judith Messerlie, Librarian/Director, Francis A. Countway Medical Library, Harvard University, Boston, Massachusetts

11:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M.
Lunch

NOON-1:00 P.M.
FILM FESTIVAL
M2 - 30, Cobo

1:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.
Invited Paper Session
D2 - 08/15, Cobo

Moderator: Neil Rambo, Associate Director, Pacific Northwest Regional Health Sciences Library Service, Seattle, Washington

"Life in the Fast Lane"
Rachael K. Anderson, Director, Augustus C. Long Health Sciences Library, Columbia University, New York, New York

"Organizational Involvement: Broader Roles for Hospital Library Administrators"
Pamela Jajko, Director, Library and Information Center, El Camino Hospital, Mountain View, California

"Leaving the Kiddy Table"
Mary King Givens, Associate Professor and Acting Director, Health Science Center Library, University of Tennessee-Memphis, Memphis, Tennessee

"The Library Administrator: Hospital Management Team Member"
Linda Wilcox, Director, Shared Library Services, South Huron Hospital, Exeter, Ontario

"The Case Study Method to Develop Library Management Skills"
Joan McGinniss, Chief, Library Service, Veterans Administration Medical Center, New Haven, Connecticut

"Characteristics of Librarians Sought by Health Care Institutions"
Sue Stroyan, Ph.D., Assistant Director, Illinois Valley Library System, Pekin, Illinois

3:00 P.M.-3:30 P.M.
Break

3:30 P.M.-5:00 P.M.
Panel Discussion and Open Forum--
The View from Both Sides of the Table
D2 - 08/15, Cobo

Moderator: Ruth Holst, Director of Library Services, Columbia Hospital, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

Facilitator: Jane Lambreront, Chief, Library Service, Veterans Administration Medical Center, Asheville, North Carolina

Panelists: David Adamany, Ph.D., President, Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan
Edward McRee, President, Ingham Medical Center, Lansing, Michigan
Sherrilynne S. Fuller, Ph.D., Director, Health Sciences Library and Information Center, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington
Bernie Todd Smith, Director, Werner Health Science Library, Rochester General Hospital, Rochester, New York
2:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.  
Panel--Economics: Earning What You're Worth: Pay Equity for Medical Librarians  
O2 - 44, Cobo  
(Presented by the Status and Economic Interests of Health Sciences Library Personnel Committee and the Relevant Issues Section.)  
Moderator: Fred Heidenreich, Head of Reference Services, Arizona Health Sciences Center Library, University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona  
“Steps in the Pursuit of Pay Equity”  
Janice Feye-Stukas, Library Specialist, Minnesota Office of Library Development and Services, St. Paul, Minnesota  
“Pay Equity: An Agenda for Library Professional Associations”  
Margaret Myers, Director, Office for Library Personnel Resources, American Library Association, Chicago, Illinois  
2:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.  
Panel--Ethics: An MLA Agenda  
O2 - 33, Cobo  
Moderator: M. Kent Mayfield, Ph.D., Executive Director, The Education Foundation, National Building Materials Distributors Association, Deerfield, Illinois  
Participants: Holly Shipp Buchanan, Louisville, Kentucky; Sherrilynne S. Fuller, Ph.D., Director, Health Sciences Library and Information Center, University of Washington, Seattle, Washington  
3:00 P.M.-3:30 P.M.  
Break  
3:30 P.M.-5:00 P.M.  
Concurrent small-group discussion/sharing sessions. Each sharing session will last 45 minutes, and each will be repeated.  
“Dialing for Dollars: Document Delivery Charges in the '90s”  
O2 - 37, Cobo  
Moderators: N.J. Wolfe, Access Librarian, Frederick L. Ehrman Medical Library, New York University Medical Center, New York, New York; Lillian S. Levine, Assistant Director, Allen Memorial Library, Cleveland Health Sciences Library, Cleveland, Ohio  
“Ethical Issues Facing Clinical Medical Librarians”  
O2 - 12, Cobo  
Moderator: Christine Chastain-Warheit, Director of Libraries, Medical Libraries, The Medical Center of Delaware, Newark, Delaware  
“The Economic Aspects of Technology for the Dissemination of Information in Overseas Libraries” (presented by the International Cooperation Section)  
O2 - 34, Cobo  
Moderator: John A. Brenich, Executive Director, Hawaii Medical Library, Honolulu, Hawaii  
“Consumer Health Information: Pain or Gain”  
O2 - 35, Cobo  
Moderator: Kay Deeney, Reference Desk Services and Microcomputer Resources Coordinator, Louise Darling Biomedical Library, University of California-Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California  
“The 'E' Syndrome: The Role Economics and Ethics Play in Library Provision of Health Information to the Public”  
O2 - 36, Cobo  
Moderator: Marilyn J. Jansa, Technical Services Librarian, National College of Chiropractic, Lombard, Illinois  
“The Ethical Librarian’s Dilemma”  
O2 - 11, Cobo  
Moderator: Leile B. Gilman, Head, Collection Development, Louise Darling Biomedical Library, University of California-Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California  
“Unionization and the Librarian”  
O2 - 38, Cobo  
Moderator: Linda Hulbert, Assistant Director for Technical Services, Medical Center Library, St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri  
“Ethics and Biomedical Publications”  
O2 - 39, Cobo  
Moderator: Mary D. Scheetz, Manager of Publication Services, Department of Pediatric Otolaryngology and Otitis Media Research Center, Children’s Hospital of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
“Educating for Professional Ethics”  
O2 - 40, Cobo  
Moderator: Susan Case, Rare Books Librarian, Clendening History of Medicine Library, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, Kansas  
“Agenda for Involvement in Pay Equity” (presented the Status and Economic Interests of Health Sciences Library Personnel Committee and the Relevant Issues Section)  
O2 - 41, Cobo  
Moderator: Susan Hawk, Chief, Technical Information Center, Office on Smoking and Health, Centers for Disease Control, Rockville, Maryland  
“Pay Equity Success Stories” (presented by the Status and Economic Interests of Health Sciences Library Personnel Committee and the Relevant Issues Section)  
O2 - 42, Cobo  
Moderator: Elizabeth Hubbard, Library Director, Pittsburgh Cancer Institute, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania  
“From Online to CD: How Do We Charge?”  
O2 - 43, Cobo  
Moderator: Linda Salisbury Mercer, Associate Director for Information Services, School of Medicine Library, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri  
“Ethical Implications for AIDS Information Dissemination”  
O2 - 14, Cobo  
Moderator: Jeffrey T. Huber, Research Associate, School of Library and Information Science, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Looking Ahead—Research in Knowledge Management

W1 - 51, Cobo

Moderator: Nancy K. Roderer, Assistant Health Sciences Librarian for Resources and Reference Services, Augustus C. Long Health Sciences Library, Columbia University, New York, New York

“Research in Knowledge Management: A Path to New Tools, Services, and Roles for Health Sciences Libraries” Richard E. Lucier, Associate Director, Academic Information Systems, Research and Services and Director, Laboratory for Applied Research in Academic Information, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland; Nina W. Matheson, Associate Professor of Medical Information and Director, William H. Welch Medical Library, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland

TRACK III
LIBRARIES AND SOCIETY: ETHICAL AND ECONOMIC ISSUES

Track III will examine the professional ethics and economic concerns of health sciences librarians. Addressing a number of specific topics of interest, programming will cover pay equity, rights of patients to information, and implications of providing information to the public. The track will conclude with a discussion of some of the issues health sciences librarians will face in the future.

10:30 A.M.-11:30 A.M.
Introduction—Economics
O2 - 44, Cobo

Moderator: T. Scott Plutchak, Director, Medical Center Library, St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri

“The Iron Will Be Obsolete by 2032” Alison Bunting, Biomedical Librarian, Louise Darling Biomedical Library, University of California-Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California

10:30 A.M.-11:30 A.M.
Introduction—Ethics
O2 - 33, Cobo

Moderator: Gale Dutcher, Technical Information Specialist, Specialized Information Services, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

“Ethics for Librarianship” Ann E. Prentice, Associate Vice-President for Library and Information Resources, University of South Florida, Tampa, Florida

11:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M.
Lunch

NOON-1:00 P.M.
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M2 - 30, Cobo

1:00 P.M.-2:00 P.M.
Contributed Paper Session—Economics
O2 - 44, Cobo

Moderator: T. Scott Plutchak, Director, Medical Center Library, St. Louis University, St. Louis, Missouri

“Impact of Economic Issues on Health Sciences Libraries in Nigeria” (presented by the International Cooperation Section)
Godfrey S. Belleh, Head of Cataloging, McGoogan Library of Medicine, University of Nebraska Medical Center, Omaha, Nebraska; Funmilayo O. Akhigbe, Catalog Librarian, Lutunde Odekutu Library, College of Medicine, University of Ibadan, Ibadan, Nigeria

“Coalition for Survival: A Chapter Response to the Economic Crisis in Hospital Libraries” Nina M. Hull, Chief Medical Library Services, Veterans Administration Hospital, Wadsworth, California; Christa Buswell, Chief Library Services, Veterans Administration Hospital, Wadsworth, Los Angeles, California; Beryl Glitz, Associate Director, Pacific Southwest Regional Medical Library Service, Louise Darling Biomedical Library, University of California-Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California

“The Status of Hospital Libraries: A Regional Longitudinal Survey” Irene Loveas, Resource Development Coordinator, Pacific Southwest Regional Medical Library Service, Louise Darling Biomedical Library; Beryl Glitz, Associate Director, Pacific Southwest Regional Medical Library Service, Louise Darling Biomedical Library; Virginia Flack, Associate Professor, Department of Biostatistics, School of Public Health; University of California-Los Angeles, Los Angeles, California

1:00 P.M.-2:00 P.M.
Contributed Paper Session—Ethics
O2 - 33, Cobo

Moderator: Gale Dutcher, Technical Information Specialist, Specialized Information Services, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

“The Intellectual Freedom of the Patient” Katherine Lindner, Director, Medical Library, Englewood Hospital, Englewood, New Jersey

“A-words in the Library: Reconciling Personal, Political, and Professional Lives in Health Science Libraries” Ellen Gay Detlefsen, Associate Professor, School of Library and Information Science, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

“Ethics and Service Realities” Pamela A. Meredith, Head, Reference Section, Public Services Division, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

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1:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.
Contributed Paper Session--Concurrent Session I
W1 - 51, Cobo

Moderator: Beverly A. Hilton, Head, Audiovisual Library, University of Kentucky Medical Center Library, Lexington, Kentucky

David N. King, Assistant Professor, College of Library and Information Science, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky

“When They’d Rather Fight than Switch: Changing from One Local Access MEDLINE System to Another”
Suzanne F. Grefshelm, Director; Diane G. Schwartz, Assistant Director; Sandra C. Dow, Coordinator, Information Management Education; Barbara L. Shipman, Coordinator, Database Services; Alfred Taubman Medical Library, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan

“Cost-Effective Minicomputer Access to a Multi-User CD-ROM System: The JEFFLINE/Micromedex CCIS Project”
Steven L. Ifshin, Associate Librarian for Systems; Edward W. Tawyea, University Librarian; Scott Memorial Library, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

“Use of MEDLARS Databases by Health Professionals and Other User Categories”
Sheldon Kotzin, Chief, Bibliographic Services Division, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland; Kathi Eichenberger, Technical Information Specialist, Bibliographic Services Division, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

“The Epidemic Growth of AIDS Literature Examined by the Productivity, Collaboration, and Continuance of Its Authors”
Phyllis C. Self, Ph.D., Director, The Health Sciences Library, The University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio

“Measuring and Assessing Medical Reference Transactions”
Susan Ellingson Russell, Head, Medical Center Library, University of California, Irvine, Orange, California

Contributed Paper Session--Concurrent Session II
W1 - 54, Cobo

Moderator: Vicki Glasgow, Head, Learning Resources Center, Bio-Medical Library, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minnesota

“Use of the Critical Incident Technique to Evaluate the Impact of MEDLINE: Implications for the Medical Library Community”
Barbara A. Rapp, Ph.D., Operations Research Analyst; Elliot R. Siegel, Ph.D., Assistant Director for Planning and Evaluation; National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

“Creating and Implementing an Online Patient Education Catalog”
Jacqueline Snider, Medical Librarian, Mercy Hospital, Iowa City, Iowa

“The Continuation of End-User Online Searching by Health Professionals: Preliminary Survey Results”
Joanne G. Marshall, Ph.D., Faculty of Library and Information Science, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario

“Currency of Full-Text Medical Journals: CCML and MEDIS vs. MEDLINE”
Emma Jean McKinlin; MaryEllen Siewert; Department of Information Science, University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri

“INFOFAIR: An Annual Computer and Information Event”
Joan M. Marcotte, Assistant Director for Technical Services; Nina E. Dougherty, Assistant Director for Information Services; Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah

“Accuracy of Telephone Reference Service in Health Sciences Libraries”
Beth M. Paskoff, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, School of Library and Information Science, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

3:00 P.M.-3:30 P.M.
Break

3:30 P.M.-5:00 P.M.
Forum--Education and the Effects of Change on Users and Librarians
W1 - 51, Cobo

Moderator: Elizabeth H. Wood, Computer Services Librarian, Norris Medical Library, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California

“Information Literacy”
Dr. Patricia Senn Breivik, Associate Vice-President for Information Resources, Towson State University, Towson, Maryland

“Research Education: Shaping the Future”
Karen T. Hackleman, Consultant, Clinical Reference Systems, Inc., Denver, Colorado, and Chair, Liaison to Continuing Education Committee of the Library Research Section; Prudence Dalrymple, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, Graduate School of Library and Information Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, Urbana, Illinois

“Assuring Quality Reference Services in an End-User Environment”
Sharon A. Keller, Head, Information Services Department, Health Sciences Library, State University of New York at Buffalo, Buffalo, New York

“MLA’s Professional Development Activities--Their Impact on Library Education”
Fred W. Roper, Ph.D., Dean, College of Library and Information Science, University of South Carolina, Columbia, South Carolina

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Sharing Sessions—
Concurrent small-group discussion/sharing sessions.
Each sharing session will last 45 minutes, and each will be repeated.

"Vendor Relations (for Systems)"
D3-26, Cobo
Moderator: Patricia Pierce, Director, Library Consulting Services, Data Trek, Inc., Encinitas, California

"Archives and Manuscripts in Online Systems"
D3-25, Cobo
Moderator: Mary Ann Hoffman, Special and General Collections Librarian, Fordham Health Sciences Library, Wright State University, Dayton, Ohio

"CD-ROM: Acquisition and Utilization"
D3-24, Cobo
Moderator: Frances H. Lynch, Assistant Director for Technical Services, Medical Center Library, Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee

"Automated Acquisitions"
D3-23, Cobo
Moderator: David Morse, Associate Director for Collection Resources, Norris Medical Library, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California

"Serials Concerns"
D3-22, Cobo
Moderator: Lynn Fortney, Medical Library Marketing Manager, EBSCO Subscription Services, Birmingham, Alabama

"Workflow in the Automated Environment"
D3-21, Cobo
Moderator, Session 1: Paul Wrynn, Periodicals Librarian, Frederick L. Ehrman Medical Library, New York University Medical Center, New York, New York
Moderator, Session 2: Cecile C. Doty, Head, Cataloging Section, Archie R. Dykes Library of the Health Sciences, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, Kansas

"Cataloging Concerns"
D3-20, Cobo
Moderator: Grace Rawsthorne, Head, Monographs Unit Two, Cataloging Section, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

"Automated Collection Development"
D3-18, Cobo
Moderator: Beth M. Paskoff, Ph.D., Assistant Professor, School of Library and Information Science, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana

"Small Library Systems"
D3-17, Cobo
Moderator: Elaine P. O'Connor, Director, Library Services, Quakertown Community Hospital, Quakertown, Pennsylvania

5:00 P.M.-6:00 P.M.
Looking Ahead
D3-19/28, Cobo
Moderator: Robert A. Pisciotta, Assistant Director, Technical Services, Archie R. Dykes Library of the Health Sciences, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, Kansas

"Medical Libraries at the Millennium"
David H. Brunell, Executive Director, Bibliographic Center for Research, Denver, Colorado

TRACK II
INFORMATION SERVICES:
THE CHANGING ENVIRONMENT OF INFORMATION SERVICES

Presented from the end-user's perspective, discussion in Track II addresses change in medical practice and research in terms of computer literacy and information management. The future of these changes will be discussed in terms of the ongoing knowledge management project at the William H. Welch Medical Library, The Johns Hopkins University.

10:30 A.M.-11:30 A.M.
Keynote Address
W1-51, Cobo

Moderators: James Shedlock, Associate Director, Northwestern University Medical Library, Northwestern University, Chicago, Illinois; Christine A. Chapman, Head, Medical Center Library, University of California, San Diego, San Diego, California

"What Medical Librarians Might Do to Help Clinical End-users in the 1990's"
R. Brian Haynes, M.D., Ph.D., Health Information Research Unit, McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario

Reactor Panelists:
Nelson J. Gilman, Director, Health Sciences Library System and the Norris Medical Library, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, California; Diane G. Schwartz, Coordinator, Health Sciences Information Services, Alfred Taubman Medical Library, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan; Donna P. Johnson, Director, Library/Media Services, Abbott-Northwestern Hospital, Minneapolis, Minnesota

11:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M.
Lunch

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### Track III
**Libraries and Society: Ethical and Economic Issues**

- **Alison Bunting**
  - Louise Darling Biomedical Library
  - University of California
  - Los Angeles
  - Los Angeles, California

  - "The Iron Will Be Obsolete by 2032"

- **Ann E. Prentice**
  - University of South Florida
  - Tampa, Florida

  - "Ethics for Librarianship"

### Track IV
**Library Administration: The Role of the Library Administrator in the Health Care Organization**

- **Judith Messerle**
  - Countway Medical Library
  - Harvard University
  - Boston, Massachusetts

  - "At the Table with the Power Brokers: Approaches to Health Science Library Administration"

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<td>R. Brian Haynes,&lt;br&gt;M.D., Ph.D.&lt;br&gt;Department of Medicine&lt;br&gt;McMaster University&lt;br&gt;Hamilton, Ontario&lt;br&gt;&quot;The Changing Information Needs of the Academic Clinician&quot;</td>
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10:00 A.M.-10:30 A.M.
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TRACK PROGRAMMING

Four tracks will be presented, each devoted to a major area of concern to health sciences librarians. Each track is designed to be an intensive, integrated educational presentation. For maximum educational benefit, attendees are encouraged to attend all sessions related to a particular track. (See pages 26-27 for track overview.)

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TRACK I
ACQUISITION AND ORGANIZATION: RETOOLING FOR THE FUTURE

Programming in Track I emphasizes the challenges posed by automation in acquisitions, cataloging, and collection development. Discussion will focus on preservation, automated library management, relations between libraries and systems vendors, and workflow in the automated library environment.

10:30 A.M.-11:30 A.M.
Introduction
D3 - 19/28, Cobo

Moderator: Mary L. Ryan, Assistant Director for Technical Services, University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences Library, Little Rock, Arkansas

"The Volatile Automation Marketplace"
Richard Boss, Senior Consultant, Information Systems Consultants Inc., Washington, D.C.

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Lunch

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Contributed Paper Session
D3 - 19/28, Cobo

Moderator: Robert A. Pisciotta, Assistant Director, Technical Services, Archie R. Dykes Library of the Health Sciences, University of Kansas Medical Center, Kansas City, Kansas

"Use of a Database Manager to Create a Serials Database with Records Downloaded from SERLINE"
Betsy Rodie King, Chief, Library Service, Department of Veterans Affairs, Medical Center, Sepulveda, California

"Collection Assessment Methodology: An NLM Case Study"
Daniel T. Richards, Collection Development Officer; Brenda L. Whittaker, Collection Development Librarian; National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

"Improved Serials Management in an Academic Health Sciences Library Based on a Three-Year Analysis of In-House Use"
Spencer S. Marsh, Associate Librarian, Library, UT Southwestern Medical Center Library, Dallas, Texas

"Science Citation Index: A Collection Assessment Tool for Biotechnology"
Tanner Wray, Technical Information Specialist, Office on Smoking and Health, Centers for Disease Control, Rockville, Maryland; Catherine B. Soehner, POPLINE/NLM Liaison, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

"Developing a Cooperative Online Catalog through an Established County Hospital Consortium"
Barbara H. Houghton, Medical Librarian, Health Sciences Library, Sequoia Hospital, Redwood City, California; Sally C. Chu, Chief, Library Services, Health Sciences Library, Mills-Peninsula Hospitals, Burlingame, California
Booth 31 - "GaIN: An Integrated Computer-Based System for End-Users"
Jocelyn A. Rankin, Ph.D., Director; Martha C. Watkins, Assistant Director; Medical Library, Mercer University School of Medicine, Macon, Georgia

Booth 32 - "Herd of Buffalo? We Have an End-User System That Meets the Needs"
Carol Lelonek, Programmer/Analyst; Sharon Murphy, Assistant Librarian; Health Sciences Library, State University of New York at Buffalo, Buffalo, New York

Booth 33 - "A Study of Service Desk Phone Calls Regarding Grateful Med®"
Catherine B. Soehner, POPLINE/NLM Liaison, National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland

Booth 34 - "New Role for Library Outreach: The Texas Tech MEDNET Project"
Mary Moore, Associate Director for Education and MEDNET Curriculum Developer; JoAnn Van Schalk, Assistant Director for Teaching and Learning Resources; Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center, Lubbock, Texas

Booth 35 - "STAT: A Telephone Reference Service for Critical-Care Nurses"
Carolyn C. Fishel, Electronic Information Specialist/Associate Editor; Susan B. Hillson, Director of Marketing and Development; CINAHL Information Systems, Glendale, California

Booth 36 - "LATCH at the University of New Mexico Medical Center Library"
Kirsten Shelstad, Clinical and Hospital Services Librarian, Medical Center Library, University of New Mexico, Albuquerque, New Mexico

Booth 37 - "Hypercard Directory for a Health Science Center"
Loretta H. Stucki, Associate Director for Technical Services and Networking; Mary E. Helms, Network Coordinator; Washington University School of Medicine Library and Biomedical Communications Center, St. Louis, Missouri

Booth 38 - "Evaluation of Library Information Services: An Adaptation of the King Study in a Community Hospital"
Carole M. Gilbert, Director of Library Services, Providence Hospital, Southfield, Michigan; Diane Manko, Librarian, Hutzel Hospital, Detroit, Michigan; Diane Dustin, Robin Terebelo, Librarians; Providence Hospital, Southfield, Michigan

Booth 39 - "Innovative CAI Programs: In-house Production"
Nancy Calabretta, Margaret Devlin, Barbara Laynor, Librarians; Joyce Bryant, Information Services Technician; Donna Lanzillotti, Business Manager; Elizabeth Mikita, Librarian; Elizabeth Warner, Librarian; Scott Memorial Library, Thomas Jefferson University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Booth 40 - "The MLGSCA Online Bulletin Board System: Conception, Development, and Implementation"
Stephen Clancy, Reference Librarian; Rochelle L. Clary, Head of Reference/Circulation/Interlibrary Loan; Biomedical Library, University of California-Irvine, Irvine, California

Booth 41 - "Dentalproj--A New, Ongoing Dental Research Database Online"
Kenneth C. Lynn, Biomedical Information Consultant, Potomac, Maryland

Booth 42 - "Training Future Veterinarians to Access and Obtain Computerized Bibliographic Information from Rural/Remote Sites"
Diane Prorok, University of Idaho Library, Moscow Idaho; Vicki Croft, Veterinary Medical/Pharmacy Library; Keith Banks, D.V.M., Ph.D., Dept. of Veterinary Microbiology and Pathology; Washington State University, Pullman, Washington

Booth 43 - "Use of miniMEDLINE™ by Medical Center Faculty and Residents"
Richard J. Harris, Systems Coordinator, Eastern Virginia Medical School Library, Norfolk, Virginia

Booth 44 - "Multimedia in Biomedicine"
Sandra K. Arjona, Director, Medical Library, St. Margaret Memorial Hospital, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Booth 45 - "Menu-Driven dBASE III Plus Applications for Hospital Libraries"
Veronica Gray, Assistant Director; Penny Philpot, Assistant Librarian; Kathy Spirtoff, Library Assistant; Rosalie Zajac, Director; Good Samaritan Hospital, Health Sciences Library, Cincinnati, Ohio

Booth 46 - "Shillelagh: Hypertext Staff Training Tool"
Judith L. Rieke, Mari J. Stoddard, Frances H. Lynch, Deborah Broadwater, Librarians; Vanderbilt University Medical Center Library, Nashville, Tennessee

Booth 47 - "An MIS for Management Control in a Modern Medical Library"
Sanjay Chadha, Systems Analyst; Darmon Camille, Director of Education and Learning Resources; Houston Academy of Medicine-Texas Medical Center Library, Houston, Texas

Booth 48 - "Disaster Preparedness, Prevention, and Recovery"
Saundra H. Brenner, Director; Jennifer Nakeff-Plaat, Assistant Director; Medical Center Library, St. John's Mercy Medical Center, St. Louis, Missouri

Booth 49 - "An Integrated Program for MLA Continuing Education: Annual Meeting, Credentialing Requirements, New Perspectives Seminars"
Continuing Education Committee, Medical Library Association

Booth 50 - "The Use of Technology in Lobbying"
Susan Ellingson Russell, Head, Medical Center Library, University of California-Irvine, Orange, California, and MLA Governmental Relations Committee

Booth 51 - "Use of the RML Network Membership Database Programs"
Carol Evans, RML Librarian; Becky Lyon-Hartmann, RML Coordinator; National Library of Medicine, Bethesda, Maryland
Booth 10 - "Cost Justification Procedures for Systems Purchase"
Patricia Jadin Pierce, Athenaeum Consultation, San Diego, California

Booth 11 - "Assessing the Medical Informatics Collections of the Augustus C. Long Health Sciences Library"

Booth 12 - "Anatomy of a Research Study: Library Research Section Survey of MLA Members on Education for Research"
Joan M. Stoddart, Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, Utah; Karen T. Hacklman, Chairman; Prudence Dalrymple, Ph.D.; Frances E. Johnson; Joanne G. Marshall, Ph.D.; Nancy Nuell; Marie Reidelbach; Elizabeth H. Wood

Booth 13 - "Results of the MEDLINE/CCML-MEDIS Research Project (NLM R01 LM 04605)"
Emma Jean McKinin; MaryEllen Siever; E. Diane Johnson; Joyce Mitchell, University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri

Booth 14 - "Publishing without Perilshing; or A Beginner’s Guide to Writing for Publication"
Karen McNally Bensing, The Benjamin Rose Institute, Cleveland, Ohio, and Geauga Hospital, Chardon, Ohio

Booth 15 - "Identifying Errata and Retractions: Simplified Approaches for Serials Management"
Ellen R. Cooper, Serials and Acquisitions Librarian, University of Tennessee Health Sciences Library, Memphis, Tennessee

Booth 16 - "Enhancing Researchers' Awareness of Errata and Retractions in the Journal Literature"
Barbara McNamee, Director, Information Services Department, Houston Academy of Medicine-Texas Medical Center Library, Houston, Texas

Booth 17 - "Medical News of the Week Bulletin Board"
Janet Holbrow, Anne Nou, Information Services Librarians; Tufts University, Health Sciences Library, Arthur M. Sackler Center for Health Communications, Boston, Massachusetts

Booth 18 - "Exhibiting: An Effective Marketing Tool for Libraries"
Lisa M. Boyd, Coordinator; Angela Sawdy, Publications Coordinator; Faith Meakin, Executive Director; Southeastern/Atlantic Regional Medical Library Services (SE/A RMLS), University of Maryland, Baltimore, Maryland

Booth 19 - "Publicity and Marketing Techniques Used to Promote the Regional Medical Library Network in Region Four"
Peggy Mullally-Quijas, Regional Development Coordinator, Midcontinental Regional Medical Library Program, McGoogan Library of Medicine, Omaha, Nebraska

Booth 20 - "Marketing Historical Collections: Beyond Rare Books"
Gretchen Naisawald, Assistant Director for Public Services; Joan Echtenkamp Klein, Historical Collections Librarian; The Claude Moore Health Sciences Library, University of Virginia Health Sciences Center, Charlottesville, Virginia

Booth 21 - "Authors’ Reception Invites Recognition and Cooperation"
Trudy Landwirth, Health Sciences Librarian; Jo Dorsch, LaNae Kristy, Assistant Health Sciences Librarians; Library of the Health Sciences, University of Illinois at Chicago, Peoria, Illinois

Booth 22 - "In Search of Health: Consumer Information by Mail"
Kay E. Wellik, Manager, Health Sciences Library, St. Joseph's Hospital and Medical Center, Phoenix, Arizona

Booth 23 - "Patients and Doctors Who Are Partners: Conversations with Cancer Patients and Their Doctors"
Vickie Murray-Kurzban, Distribution Director, Martha Stuart Communications, New York, New York

Booth 24 - "Levels of Response to Information-Seeking Behaviors in a Specialized Consumer and Patient Health Information Service"
Rosalind F. Dudden, Health Sciences Librarian, National Jewish Center for Immunology and Respiratory Medicine, Denver, Colorado

Booth 25 - "The Combined Health Information Database"
Marianne Yaun, Technical Information Specialist, Centers for Disease Control, Atlanta, Georgia

Booth 26 - "Production of an End-User Flipchart"
Christine L. Foster, Education Coordinator; Mary D. Vaughn, Automated Systems Librarian; Moody Medical Library, University of Texas Medical Branch, Galveston, Texas

Booth 27 - "AIDS Information"
Helen-Ann Brown, East Coast Regional Representative, BRs, McLean, Virginia; Paula Olson, Midwest Regional Representative, BRs, Elgin, Illinois

Booth 28 - "The Evolution of a Profession: Chiropractic Librarianship"
Joyce E. Whitehead, Director, Learning Resource Center, National College of Chiropractic, Lombard, Illinois

Booth 29 - "Information Sources on Manual Medicine"
Marda Woodbury, Sue Adler, Annette Osenga; Library, Life Chiropractic College West, San Lorenzo, California

Booth 30 - "A Survey of Chiropractic College Archives"
Glenda Wiese, Special Services Librarian, David D. Palmer Health Sciences Library, Palmer College of Chiropractic, Davenport, Iowa; Kay Irvin, Director, W.A. Budden Library, Western States Chiropractic College, Portland, Oregon; Marcia Thomas, Library Director, Cleveland Chiropractic College, Kansas City
Special Updates

- Credentialing
  Ellen R. Westling

- Legislative Activities
  June Glaser

- Knowledge and Skills for the Future
  Fred W. Roper, Ph.D.

- Changing Role of Hospital Librarians
  Phyllis C. Gillikin

Old Business

New Business

Adjournment

6:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M.
WELCOME RECEPTION
Promenade Level, Westin

The 1990 Welcome Reception is being sponsored by EBSCO Subscription Services.

MONDAY, MAY 21

7:00 A.M.-8:00 A.M.
SECTION LEADERSHIP BREAKFAST
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7:00 A.M.-8:00 A.M.
MLA JOB MARKET
W2 - 61, Cobo

“The Hospital Library: A Corporate Information Center”
Pam Jajko, Director, Library and Information Center,
El Camino Hospital, Mountain View, California

“Planning for Job Transitions”
Holly Shipp Buchanan, Louisville, Kentucky

7:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.
REGISTRATION CENTER
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VISIT THE SCHOLARSHIP BOOTH!
Support the MLA Scholarships and Awards Program.
• Membership Committee (68)
  Rosanne Labree, Chairman
  Julia Sollenberger, Board Liaison

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  Jacqueline D. Doyle, Board Liaison

• Governmental Relations Committee (72)
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  Carol G. Jenkins, Board Liaison

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  Lucretia W. McClure, Chairman and Board Liaison

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  Daniel M. Blucker, Chairman

• Ad Hoc Committee to Establish Cunningham Endowment
  Robert G. Cheshier, Chairman
  Henry L. Lemkau, Jr., Board Liaison

• Publishing and Information Industries Relations Committee (83)
  Jacqueline Wilson, Chairman
  Henry L. Lemkau, Jr., Board Liaison

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  Fred L. Heidenreich, Chairman
  Henry L. Lemkau, Jr., Board Liaison

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• Continuing Education Committee (86)
  Terry Ann Jankowski, Chairman
  Fred W. Roper, Ph.D., Board Liaison

Continuing Education Subcommittees

• Chapter/Section Support (88)
  Christine A. Chapman, Chairman
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• Instructor Approval, Evaluation, and Support (90)
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  Fred W. Roper, Ph.D., Board Liaison

• CE Opportunity Review (92)
  Deborah A. Thompson, Chairman
  Fred W. Roper, Ph.D., Board Liaison

• Credentialing Committee (94)
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  Fred W. Roper, Ph.D., Board Liaison

• Health Sciences Library Technicians Committee (95)
  Virginia A. Lingle, Chairman
  Jo Anne Boorkman, Board Liaison

• Professional Recognition Review Panel (96)
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  Fred W. Roper, Ph.D., Board Liaison

Honors and Awards Coordination

• Ad Hoc Committee on Appointment of Fellows and Honorary Members (98)
  Eloise C. Foster, Chairman and Board Liaison

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  Sherry L. Montgomery, Chairman
  Jacqueline D. Doyle, Board Liaison

• Grants and Scholarship Committee (100)
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  Jacqueline D. Doyle, Board Liaison

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  Lois Ann Colaianni, Chairman
  Frieda O. Weise, Board Liaison

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• 1990 National Program Committee (103)
  Robert M. Braude, Ph.D., Chairman
  Frances Groen, Board Liaison

• 1991 National Program Committee (105)
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  Irwin H. Pizer, Editor
  Gail A. Yokote, Board Liaison

• Bulletin Evaluation Committee
  Richard E. Lucier, Chairman
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• News Evaluation Committee (113)
  Connie M. Santarelli, Chairman
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NEW MEMBER/FIRST-TIME ATTENDEE AND INTERNATIONAL VISITOR ORIENTATION
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Major funding for this event has been supplied by Gale Research, Inc.

PLACEMENT SERVICE ORIENTATION
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INCOMING CHAIRMEN'S ORIENTATION/BRUNCH
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CHAPTER COUNCIL TABLE
Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo

WELCOME AND OPENING REMARKS
W1 - 52, Cobo

Robert M. Braude, Ph.D., Chairman, 1990 National Program Committee; The Frances and John Loeb Librarian and Assistant Dean for Information Resources, Medical Library, Cornell University Medical College, New York, New York

James W. Fry, State Librarian, Library of Michigan, Lansing, Michigan

KEYNOTE ADDRESS (PLENARY SESSION I)
Moderator: Anthony Aguirre, IAIMS Project Head, Augustus C. Long Health Sciences Library, Columbia University, New York, New York

"The Future of Work and Power"
Shoshana Zuboff, Ph.D., Associate Professor, Harvard Business School, Harvard University, Boston, Massachusetts

This session is sponsored by Majors Scientific Books.

Break

SECTION COUNCIL TABLE
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PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS
W1 - 52, Cobo

"Personal Reflections on My Year as President" Frances Groen

BUSINESS SESSION I
W1 - 52, Cobo

Presiding: Frances Groen, President, Medical Library Association and Life Sciences Area Librarian, McGill University, Montreal, Quebec

Announcements and Introduction

Call to order by Frances Groen

(Numbers in parentheses following each report refer to pages in the 1989/1990 Annual Report.)

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Raymond A. Palmer, Executive Director

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  Jo Anne Boorkman, Board Liaison
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WEDNESDAY, MAY 16

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
Marquette B, Westin

THURSDAY, MAY 17

8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
Marquette B Room, Westin

8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.
LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR
LaSalle A, Westin

4:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M.
REGISTRATION CENTER
Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo

4:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M.
HOSPITALITY CENTER
Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo

FRIDAY, MAY 18

7:00 A.M.-8:30 A.M.
4:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M.
REGISTRATION CENTER
Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo

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BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
Marquette B, Westin

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LaSalle A, Westin

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CONTINUING EDUCATION COURSES
Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center
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HOSPITALITY CENTER
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SATURDAY, MAY 19

7:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.
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COMMITTEE MEETINGS
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PLACEMENT SERVICE
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SUNDAY, MAY 20

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REGISTRATION CENTER
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EMBASE - a biomedical and pharmacological database – gives you access to the most up-to-date information about medical and drug-related subjects. Our medical specialists select and index articles from over 3,500 international biomedical journals.

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**TICKETS**

Purchase your tickets for special events at the Registration Center during regular hours. Tickets for the Welcome Reception, Awards Luncheon, and MLA Cabaret are included in the Inclusive-Conference Fee. The Conference-Only Fee includes a ticket to the Welcome Reception. You may purchase additional tickets for all of these events. If you have any questions about special events or tickets, please inquire at the Registration Desk.

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**TOURS**

For tour registration, complete itinerary, and availability, contact Detroit Upbeat or the Hospitality Booth in the Wayne Hall Lobby, Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center. The Detroit Upbeat booth will be open during the following hours:

- **Thursday, May 17**: 4:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M.
- **Friday, May 18**: 7:00 A.M.-8:30 A.M.
  11:30 A.M.-1:00 P.M.
- **Saturday, May 19**: 7:00 A.M.-8:30 A.M.
  4:00 P.M.-6:00 P.M.
- **Sunday, May 20**: 2:00 P.M.-4:00 P.M.

**Detroit Overview**

- **Friday, May 18**: 1:30 P.M.-4:30 P.M.

The tour includes the city’s changing riverfront, Greek Town, the Farmer’s Market, the Detroit Medical Center, and the first planned Cultural Center in the nation. The tour fee is $23.00.

**Windsor Overview**

- **Saturday, May 19**: 1:30 P.M.-4:30 P.M.

Learn about the history of Detroit’s sister city, Windsor, Ontario. The tour includes the only underwater auto tunnel in the world, one of Windsor’s lovely parks, historic Walkerville, and the Duty Free Shop. The tour fee is $23.00.

**REMINDER**: US citizens must have proof of citizenship. Voter registration card, birth certificate, or baptismal record are acceptable. Driver’s license is not adequate identification. Guests who are not US or Canadian citizens must have a passport or alien registration card. Guests must show proper identification before boarding transportation.

**Henry Ford Museum and/or Greenfield Village**

- **Thursday, May 24**: 9:00 A.M.-12:30 P.M.
  1:00 P.M.-4:30 P.M.

Investigate the two most-visited historic museums in the country. These museums are about cars, trains, and planes, as well as the genius of extraordinary individuals like Thomas Edison, Henry Ford, and the Wright brothers. The tour fee for one facility is $25.50; the fee for two facilities is $33.00.

**Walter E. Reuther Library Tour**

- **Tuesday, May 22**: 11:30 A.M.-5:00 P.M.

Tour the Walter P. Reuther Library of Labor and Urban Affairs, the official depository of eight major international unions. The library houses the records of the American labor movement and contains the papers of numerous reform organizations. Visitors will view and discuss current preservation programs and techniques. The tour fee is $23.00.

**Detroit Medical Center Tour**

- **Tuesday, May 22**: 11:30 A.M.-5:00 P.M.

Participants will have an opportunity to view a demonstration of NOTIS software by the Detroit Area Library Network (DALNET), a nonprofit corporation comprising several member institutions, including Wayne State University, the Detroit Public Library, and several area hospitals.

This tour also includes a visit to Detroit’s Cultural Center, which encompasses Wayne State University, the Detroit Public Library, the Detroit Science Center, and the Detroit Institute of Arts. The tour fee is $23.00 (does not include lunch).

**University Microfilms International Tour**

- **Thursday, May 24**: 9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.

This tour of University Microfilms International will begin with a brief explanation of UMI services and technologies. The major focus of the discussion will be the development and application of UMI’s new integrated CD-ROM system, which links index and abstract databases with facsimile images of articles for viewing or reproduction.

Lunch will be provided by UMI. The tour fee is $25.00.
SAFETY

To fully enjoy your stay in Detroit, follow these common-sense safety tips:

Remember that you are a visitor to the city.
Do not travel in unknown, unpopulated areas.

Do not wear your registration badge outside the convention center. It identifies you as a visitor.

Handbags should be carried securely; wallets should be carried inside jacket pockets.

Do not carry excess cash. The conference hotel provides a limited number of safety deposit boxes. Use them for storing extra cash, jewelry, airline tickets, and any other valuables.

Emergencies

If an emergency occurs while you are in the conference hotel, dial "0" for the hotel operator or "111" for security. State your location and the type of emergency help you need. After you have requested emergency help, notify the MLA Office. If an emergency occurs at the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center, contact an MLA staff member for help. If you are outside the hotel and a medical, fire, or police emergency occurs, dial "911" for assistance.

Fire Precautions

All conference hotel facilities meet local fire regulation standards. However, to be prepared in case of a fire emergency, keep these measures in mind:

When first entering your room, locate the emergency exits on your floor. Count the number of doorways from your room to the fire exit. Keep your key in the same place whenever you are in the room.

In the event of a fire in your room, get out, close the door behind you, get to safety, and immediately report the fire. If the fire is not located in your room, check to see if the door is hot before opening. If the door is cool, take your key, open the door slowly, and proceed to the nearest exit (crawl if the hall is filled with heavy smoke). Do not use elevators. If the door is hot, do not leave your room. Seal the cracks with wet towels, phone for help, and wait.

BADGES

Blue ................ Regular, fellow, honorary, and life individual members
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Yellow ................ Institutional representatives and one of the above categories
White ................ Nonmembers, exhibitors, sustaining, associate, and student members

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SCHOLARSHIP BOOTH

Help support the MLA scholarship program by purchasing souvenirs from this year’s meeting. Cash, checks, Visa, and MasterCard are accepted. You can also support the awards program by purchasing MLA pins and note pads at the Scholarship Booth. The Scholarship Booth is located in the Wayne Hall Lobby of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center and is open 9:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M., Sunday, May 20, through Wednesday, May 23.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Welcome Reception

The Welcome Reception will be held on the Promenade Level of the Westin Hotel. Stop by on your way to dinner for some cheese and wine and a chance to meet old friends and make new acquaintances. This event begins Sunday, May 20, at 6:00 P.M. All meeting registrants receive a ticket for this event.

MLA wishes to express its appreciation to EBSCO Subscription Services for its support of this year’s Welcome Reception.

President’s Reception--An Evening with the President

President Frances Groen invites you to join her for an evening of fine food, wine, and entertainment while helping to support the Award for Excellence and Achievement in Hospital Librarianship. Detroit’s People Mover will take you to the renovated International Center Building in Trapper’s Alley, where you will enjoy a buffet of hot and cold hors d’oeuvres and an open bar at the Pegasus Banquet Center. Your $35.00 donation for the Award for Excellence and Achievement in Hospital Librarianship is tax deductible to the extent allowed by law. The reception will begin at 7:00 P.M. on Tuesday, May 22.

Awards Luncheon

This event, planned for Wednesday, May 23, at 11:45 A.M. in Room W1-52 of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center, begins with a delicious lunch and features a ceremony to honor your friends and colleagues. A ticket to the lunch is included in the Inclusive-Conference Fee. Individual tickets may be purchased for $15.00. General seating is available for those who wish to attend the ceremony only. The ceremony will begin at approximately 12:15 P.M.

MLA Cabaret

After your last evening out on the town (Wednesday, May 23), stop by the Columbus Room in the Westin Hotel to enjoy a night of pop, soul, and rhythm-and-blues, along with a buffet of gourmet desserts and imported coffees. The night will begin with sensational sounds from Orthela Barnes, followed by Bill Lymeris and Silk Tie. Be ready to dance the night away!

TAPED SESSIONS

All plenary sessions, track activities, section and committee programs, and association business sessions will be audiotaped. You can purchase the cassette tapes in the Wayne Hall Lobby of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center. A representative from TeachEm, Inc. will assist you. A complete listing of available tapes is included in your registration materials.
**NEWSLETTER**
The 1990 Annual Meeting newsletter, Motown Rap, will be published four times: Saturday/Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. Attendees are invited to submit items for publication. Instructions for publishing items in the newsletter are available at the Hospitality Center and the MLA Office. Please note: copy must be submitted to the Hospitality Center or the MLA Office no later than NOON of the day preceding publication.

**1991 ANNUAL MEETING**
The 91st Annual Meeting of the Medical Library Association will be held in San Francisco, California, May 31-June 6, 1991. A call for participation in the 1991 program is included with your registration materials.

The 1991 NPC invites you to stop by Booth 213 in Wayne Hall of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center for additional information. The committee will be extending its formal invitation to all MLA members during Business Session III on Wednesday, May 23, 3:15 P.M.-4:45 P.M.

**PEOPLE MOVER**
The People Mover, Detroit's elevated automated transit system, circles the downtown central business district and provides transportation from the Westin Hotel directly to the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center. A four-day pass is included with your Inclusive-Conference or Conference Only Registration. To ride without a pass, the fare is $.50.

**PLACEMENT SERVICE**
Seeking a new job or a change of scenery? Looking for the perfect employee to fill your position? Let the Placement Service help you! The Placement Service is open to all annual meeting participants and provides a friendly meeting place for job seekers and employers.

Located on the second floor of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center in Room W2 - 61, the Placement Service will be open the following hours:

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**RIBBONS AND BADGES**
Color-coded badges and ribbons are provided to assist you in identifying the roles and responsibilities of each registrant.

**Ribbons**

| Brown | Presenters |
| Dark Blue | Chapter Council representatives |
| Light Blue | Committee chairmen, committee members, and representatives to allied organizations |
| Gold | Membership Committee |
| Dark Green | Section Council representatives and alternates, section chairmen |
| Light Green | First-time attendees, new members, guests |
| Lavender | International Cooperation Committee, international visitors |
| Maroon | Fellows, honorary members |
| Orange | MLA staff |
| Pink | Local Assistance Committee, Hospitality Committee, volunteers |
| Purple | Exhibitors |
| Red | Sponsors |
| Rose | National Program Committee |
| Silver | Past presidents |
| Yellow | Instructors, speakers, moderators |
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The Local Assistance Committee welcomes you to Detroit and invites you to visit the Hospitality Center, located in Wayne Hall Lobby of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center, for information on local restaurants, points of interest, tips on shopping, or just some friendly conversation. The Hospitality Center is open

Thursday, May 17 ............ 4:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M.
Friday, May 18............. 4:00 P.M.-8:00 P.M.
Saturday, May 19 .......... 7:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.
Sunday, May 20............ 7:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.
Monday, May 21........... 8:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.
Tuesday, May 22........... 8:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.
Wednesday, May 23..... 8:00 A.M.-4:00 P.M.

JOB MARKET
Looking for a new job? Seeking to improve your current skills? Looking for new ideas for your library? The MLA Job Market can provide you with expert advice!

Four separate sessions will be held on Monday, May 21; Tuesday, May 22; and Wednesday, May 23. Experienced MLA members will present ideas for assessing job descriptions, preparing for career transitions, using job skills in new settings, and applying new skills in your current job.

Each session will allow time for attendee questions. Sign up in the Placement Service for the Wednesday 9:00 A.M. session. For other sessions, no registration is necessary, but seating for some sessions is limited. For additional information and room locations, please refer to the daily program listings.

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT SEMINAR
The seminar for chapter and section officers, "Effective Leadership in Complex Organizations," will be held in the LaSalle A Room of the Westin Hotel on May 17 and 18. Participation in this seminar is limited to designated representatives from chapters and sections.

LOST AND FOUND
Please return lost-and-found items to the MLA Office, located in the LaSalle Room B in the Westin Hotel pre-and post-conference and in Room W2-50 of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center from May 18-23. (See "MLA Office" for hours and locations.)

MEETING LOCATIONS
Meetings are held in the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center unless otherwise noted. Consult each event listing for its location. Maps of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center and the Westin Hotel are located on pages 41-49.

MEMBER RESOURCE ROOM
For your convenience, typewriters, a photocopier, and an IBM compatible PC (with tractor-feed printer) are available for association business in the Member Resource Room. Sign-up sheets for equipment will be available in the resource room. WORDPERFECT 5.0 is available for your word-processing needs, but you must provide your own 5 1/4" diskettes. The Member Resource Room is located on the second floor of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center, Room W2 - 69.

The Member Resource Room will be open MON-6:00 P.M., Friday, May 18, and 7:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M., Saturday, May 19, through Wednesday, May 23.

MESSAGE CENTER
The Attendee Message Center and bulletin boards for all MLA official announcements are located near the Hospitality Center in the Wayne Hall Lobby of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center.

MLA BOOTH
Your source of information on MLA, this exhibit features information on programs, services, and products available through the association. Information about MLA membership and programs such as the Academy of Health Information Professionals, continuing education, and corporate support will be available.

Feel free to browse through display copies of MLA publications, including MLA's most recent publications: Educational Services in Special Libraries by Martha Jane K. Zachert, The Copyright Law and the Health Sciences Librarian (1989 edition), Dock Kit #1: Position Descriptions in Health Sciences Libraries compiled by Carolyn Weaver, Dock Kit #2: Evaluation Instruments for Health Sciences Libraries compiled by Joanne G. Marshall, Ph.D., and the MLA Salary Survey 1989. You can purchase or order all display items and all titles on the MLA Publication Order Form through the Registration Center.

The MLA Booth is located in the Wayne Hall Lobby of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center and is open Saturday, May 19, through Wednesday, May 23, during Registration Center hours (see next page for hours).

MLA CAFE
The MLA Cafe, located in the exhibit hall, Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center, will offer light food, beverages, and snacks. The cafe will be open the following hours:

- Monday, May 21 .......... 10:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.
- Tuesday, May 22 ......... 10:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M.
- Wednesday, May 23 ....... 10:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M.

MLA OFFICE
The MLA Office is located in the Westin Hotel during pre-and post-conference and otherwise in the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center. You may leave messages for members of the Board of Directors and the MLA staff there. If calling from outside the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center, the direct-dial phone number is 313/224-1080; if calling from within the Westin Hotel, ask the hotel operator for LaSalle Room B.

The MLA Office will be open during the following hours:

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- Wednesday, May 16 ...... 7:30 A.M.-NOON
- 1:00 P.M.-5:30 P.M.
- Thursday, May 17 .......... 7:30 A.M.-NOON
- 1:00 P.M.-5:30 P.M.
ACADEMY OF HEALTH INFORMATION PROFESSIONALS CONSULTATIONS
The Credentialing Committee and the Professional Recognition Review Panel have scheduled sessions to consult with individuals who have specific questions on the academy application process or requirements. No portfolios will be accepted or reviewed at these sessions.

You can register at the MLA Booth for a 20-minute consultation. The consulting sessions will be held:

- **Monday, May 21** 8:00 A.M.-10:00 A.M.
  W2 - 70, Cobo
- **Tuesday, May 22** 3:30 P.M.-5:30 P.M.
  W2 - 70, Cobo

"ADVERTEASERS"
Match logos or slogans with the right exhibitors to win valuable prizes. See rules on the game card in your portfolio.

CHILD CARE
If you have not yet made arrangements for child care, information on child care facilities is available at the Hospitality Center. Please note that these child care facilities are NOT associated with the Medical Library Association, and any use of such is strictly by agreement between the child care provider and the user. MLA, therefore, disclaims any liability for any use of child care.

COLLEAGUE CONNECTION
The Membership Committee is sponsoring the Colleague Connection program for new members and first-time attendees. Previously known as the Buddy Program, new members and first-time attendees are paired with "experienced" MLA members. If you are interested in participating, please contact Carol Vervalin at the New Member/First-Time Attendee Orientation (Sunday, May 20, 9:00 A.M.) or through the Hospitality Booth.

COUPON BOOK
Included with the Inclusive-Conference Fee, the Coupon Book contains coupons worth $.50-$1.00 off food, beverages, and snacks at the MLA Cafe. (See "MLA Cafe" for location and hours.)

MLA gratefully acknowledges the 1990 MLA exhibitors who sponsored the Coupon Book: American Association for Cancer Research, DIALOG Information Services, Inc., Login Brothers Book Company, OCLC, Readmore, W.B. Saunders Company.

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Exhibit 1990 features approximately one hundred suppliers to the biomedical information community and offers you a unique opportunity to view the latest in medical books and journals, database services, library equipment and supplies, and state-of-the-art computer software and hardware, including many CD-ROM products. The Exhibit, located in Wayne Hall of the Cobo Conference/Exhibition Center, is open during the following hours:

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While visiting the Exhibit, be sure to play "Adverteasers"; a game card is included in your portfolio. Winners will receive valuable prizes.

EXHIBIT GUIDE
For your convenience, the "Guide to Exhibits" has been included as part of the Official Program. Each exhibitor's name, address, and phone number (along with a brief description of exhibited items) is listed, beginning on page 63. Use this section to help you plan visits to the MLA Exhibit 1990.

EXHIBITOR DEMONSTRATIONS
Special exhibitor demonstrations are planned during regular exhibit hours. Demonstration sessions are open to all annual meeting attendees. Refer to page 75 for additional information.

FILM FESTIVAL
Coordinated by the Educational Media and Technologies Section, the 1990 Film Festival will feature award-winning films from the Health Sciences Communication Association's (HeSCA) Film Festival. Title listings are included with your registration materials; extra copies are available at the Registration Center.

GENERAL INFORMATION DESK
The General Information Desk, located in the lobby of the Westin Hotel, will be open on Thursday, May 17, 7:30 A.M.-noon only. Staff will be available to answer general questions about events and locations.

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NP 913--Managing Microcomputers (Camille), 8:00 A.M.-NOON, D2 - 14, Cobo

NP 914--Grateful Med: Train the Trainers (Tilley), 8:00 A.M.-NOON, D2 - 15, Cobo

CT 100--Career Changes: Threat or Opportunity (McGovern), 8:00 A.M.-NOON, D2 - 11, Cobo

CT 102--Becoming Innovative (Moore), 8:00 A.M.-NOON, D2 - 12, Cobo

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**THURSDAY, MAY 24**

CT 103--Handling Conflict (Hallas), 8:00 A.M.-NOON, Cadillac A, Westin

CT 104--Doing the Difficult Well: Performance Appraisals, Counseling, Discipline (Hallas), 1:00 P.M.-5:00 P.M., Cadillac A, Westin

CT 105--Communicating Effectively in Your Institution: A Workshop on Developing Communication Strategies Tailored to Your Institution (Bradley), 8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M. (day 1), Michelangelo, Westin

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**FRIDAY, MAY 25**

CT 105--Communicating Effectively in Your Institution: A Workshop on Developing Communication Strategies Tailored to Your Institution (Bradley), 8:00 A.M.-5:00 P.M. (day 2), Michelangelo, Westin

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The program reflects the diversity of our profession and our need to look to the future, even as we try to address the concerns of today. The meeting begins and ends with visionary presentations from two of today's leading figures in the field of technology in the workplace, Shoshana Zuboff and Nicholas Negroponte. In between these visionary sessions, the program offers pragmatic and specific presentations dealing with the current problems faced by all health sciences librarians. There are formal presentations as well as informal sharing sessions. Examine the following pages closely, and you will find a wealth of informational and educational opportunities that will complete your Detroit experience. Explore Detroit and the Detroit-Windsor connection while you enrich your professional knowledge and skills. The opportunities lie ahead; experience them all.

Two features of this year's program reflect the National Program Committee's intention to address both our members' need for relevant information, as well as the varying styles in which they obtain that information. On Monday, four concurrent tracks will extensively explore current issues in health sciences librarianship. The NPC encourages you to stay with a single track to achieve the greatest educational benefit. For those who seek information in a less formal way, we have provided a flexible schedule on Tuesday afternoon to provide ample opportunity for visiting the Exhibit, an important educational component of the annual meeting and an opportunity to meet colleagues for less formal interchange of ideas. The NPC offers you a program that we feel achieves the educational goals of the annual meeting in a way that is flexible enough to meet your different styles. It is your meeting; keep in mind that it is your participation that ensures success.

Annual meeting planning is a long and arduous task, involving many individuals. Besides those who serve on the NPC and the many subcommittees of the Local Assistance Committee, MLA officers, the Board of Directors, MLA committee members, and a dedicated headquarters staff have put in countless hours of effort toward planning a meeting that will meet your high expectations. This year, section and committee members offered valuable advice and assistance in planning the track programs. The fruits of their labors are there for you to taste. And significant contributions from many vendors and sections helped support the program. To all who played a part in realizing this annual meeting, our sincere appreciation is gratefully extended.

And now the stage is set, and it is time for each of you to play your part. The ultimate success of any annual meeting depends upon the members. Sample what we have prepared for you from content to cuisine, from demo to disco, from vision to vista. Stay on track and you can have it all in Detroit at MLA's 90th Annual Meeting.

Robert M. Braude, Ph.D.
Chairman, 1990 National Program Committee
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We are assembled in Detroit to attend the 90th Annual Meeting of the Medical Library Association. How appropriate that we welcome the '90s at our ninetieth meeting!

The National Program Committee for the Detroit meeting has worked creatively to provide an innovative approach to the content and organization of the meeting. They have listened closely to members' comments and have provided an opportunity for in-depth participation through program content in four major conceptual areas. We still need to make hard choices regarding how we spend our time, but this in-depth approach to the program will enable members to become immersed in one of four major conceptual topics: libraries and society, library administration, acquisitions and organization, and information services.

In addition to the intellectual content of the meeting, members will be involved in committee, chapter, and section business; viewing exhibits; and participating in informal networking as we gather in Detroit. We have placed much emphasis on communication in the past year and on listening, and I hope that there is enough opportunity for both these activities in Detroit.

For the 1990 President's Reception, I have invited members and friends to participate in a fund-raising event to provide an endowment for a national Award for Excellence and Achievement in Hospital Librarianship. By recognizing and rewarding outstanding achievement in information delivery in a clinical setting, we can foster recognition of this important specialty. I hope you will find the time to participate in this event. If your schedule does not permit your attendance at the reception, you are welcome to contribute to this endowment. I do hope to see you there.

The Medical Library Association has chosen a most appropriate site for its ninetieth meeting. Detroit is a city of challenge and change, renewal and promise for the century ahead. I hope you will enjoy both the meeting and our visit to Detroit.

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