



NOTSL NEWS

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Message from our Chairperson:



Libraries across our nation have experienced great events in the past year and a half. The tragedy of 9/11 and the downturn in the economy have left no one untouched. But throughout all this libraries have shown great resilience.

Cataloging isn't "cataloging as usual" anymore. We buy what used to be printed information in a different *container*. Bibliographic control as a whole has changed dramatically in the past five years. How are we doing with these changes and with out staff?

This fall's NOTSL's meeting is going to assist you in staffing issues. Dr. Richard Rubin and Carol Bradsher will be presenting an exciting program to help librarians with staffing issues and also without skills to assist staff in coping with these changing times. Jeffrey A. Trimble

Fall Program

November 22, 2002

9:00—4:00

CCPL Parma



**“OUCH! Our Unique Culture & Hiring:
It Doesn't Need to Hurt!”**

Staffing Issues for Technical Services

Morning Session:

Dr. Rick Rubin

**“Principles for Hiring and Motivating Staff:
the Bigger Picture”**

Afternoon Session:

Carol Bradsher

**“Voices from the Basement: Experiences in
Hiring and Motivating Technical Services”**

Upcoming Continuing Education for Technical Services Personnel

CAMLS

11/12/02 Retooling Your Library, Technical
Services and Circulation Cate Mc Neely
Twinsburg Hilton Garden Inn

OHIONET

November 2002 Workshops

11/07/02 Introduction to Copy Cataloging
11/13/02 Basic Serials Cataloging
11/14/02 Sound Recordings Cataloging
11/15/02 Advanced MARC
11/19/02 Advanced Serials Cataloging
11/21/02 Cataloging with OCLC Connexion

December 2002 Workshops

12/4/02 OCLC CatMe
12/5/02 Book Repair - Hands On
12/10/02 Electronic Resources Cataloging
12/12/02 Video cataloging
12/17/02 Cataloging with OCLC Connexion

For a complete list of OHIONET programs see:
<http://www.ohionet.org/training/>



NOTSL 2002 SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

Each year NOTSL provides at least \$1,000 in scholarship money for technical services educational and research opportunities. This year Deborah Reynolds and Rita M. Knight-Gray were the recipients of the NOTSL scholarships.

Deborah Reynolds is the only librarian at the Hopewell-Loudon Local School District, near Findlay. She is pursuing her MLIS through Kent State University and took Basic Cataloging this past summer with her \$500 award. We felt Deborah's proposal could have a very high, very immediate impact by providing professional level basic cataloging skills to the materials in her school system's libraries.

Rita M. Knight-Gray has worked at the CWRU Law Library since 1993. She intends to specialize in preservation management after completing her MLIS from KSU. However, the class she took with her \$500 award was a distance-learning course on audiovisual archiving from the Charles Sturt University in Australia. "It is essential that libraries make the correct decision regarding the collection, maintenance and accessibility of audio-visual materials," says Knight-Gray.

We're Looking for a Few Good Links...



The NOTSL Web site page, "**Web Resources**", is designed to list useful links for Technical Services Staff.

Please send your suggested links to Jill Williams at williaj2@oplin.lib.oh.us for possible inclusion on the Web site at :

<http://www.notsl.org/NOTSLwebresources.htm>

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