

LIASA CONFERENCE 2004
27 September –1 October 2004
Polokwane, Limpopo Province

Libraries and Democracy: The vital Link
PROVISIONAL DRAFT PROGRAMME [updated 13 September]
 (This programme is subject to revision)

Monday 27 September 2004

Pre-Conference Workshops

10:00-17:00: First Council meeting: Venue Mosehla

Trip to Modjadji Cycads

07:30-16:00 Registration

Tuesday 28 September

Session for Chairs: 08:00-08:30: Venue Mosehla

07:30-16:00 Registration

9:00-10:15	Room 1: Main Auditorium Session 1: Plenary OPENING SESSION	Chair: Ms Naomi Haasbroek Deputy President
09:00-09:05	Welcome on behalf of Limpopo Branch of LIASA	Ms Tshidi Makhafola, Chair Limpopo Branch
09:05-09:15	Welcome	Ms MB Monama, Director General Limpopo Province
09:15-09:25	Opening of Conference	Mr Robert Moropa, President of LIASA
09:25-10:15	KEYNOTE ADDRESS Exile and return: libraries and national identity	Mr Alex Byrne, President Elect, IFLA
10:15-10:45	TEA/COFFEE/EXHIBITION	
12:00	CLOSE OF VOTING	

10:45-12:30	Room 1: Main Auditorium Session 2: Plenary	Chair: Mr Robert Moropa, President
10:45-11:15	2.1 Invited Speaker Special Lecture: Putting the customer first! Managing customer satisfaction	Dr H Vogt Germany
	NATIONAL LINK 1: LIBRARIES AS PARTNERS WITH GOVERNMENT	
11:15-11:45	2.2 Invited speaker The Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library: partnership in action	Ms Kathryn Harris, Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library, USA
11:45-12:10	2.3 Accountability, transparency and good governance: the National Archives and Records Service of South Africa's role in helping government to better service delivery to the South Africans	Ngoepe, M
12:10-12:30	Discussion and questions	
12:30-14:00	Official opening of Exhibitions and lunch	
14:00-15:30	Room 1: Main Auditorium Session 3: Plenary	
	NATIONAL LINK 2: NCLIS	Chair: Ms E Tise
14:00-14:20	3.1 From NEPI to NCLIS A "DO-DECADE" OF DEMOCRATISATION, 1992-2004	Walker, C
14:20-14:40	3.2 An agenda for NCLIS: some proposals from a university department of information science	Lor, P J

14:40-15:10	3.3 NCLIS	Manaka, S Chair: NCLIS
15:10-15:30	Discussion and questions	
15:30-16:00	TEA/COFFEE/EXHIBITIONS	

16:00-17:45	Room 1: Main Auditorium Session 4: Plenary	Chair: Mr T Matthee
16:00-16:30	4.1 IFLA 2007	Tise, E
	LIASA Showcase	
16:30-16:45	4.2 CICD Launch	Moropa, R
16:45-17:30	4.3-4.5 Presentations by grantees and award winners of 2003	
17:30-17:45	4.6 World Summit on the Information Society: Report on IFLA Pre-Summit Conference	Haasbroek, N
SOCIAL LINK	Mayoral Welcoming function	Jack Botes Community Hall, Church Street, Polokwane

Wednesday 29 September 2004

Registration

08:30-16:00	Session 5 Parallel Interest Group Sessions: LINKING COMMON GROUND	
	Acquisitions Interest Group	Room 2: Mosehla
	Higher Education Interest Group	Room 6: Moretse
	Bibliographic Standards Interest Group	Room 10: Kierieklapper
	Information Communication Technology Interest Group	Room 12: Haak-en-Steek
	Interlending Interest Group	Room 11: Moepel

	Public and Community libraries Interest Group	Room 1: Main Auditorium
	Research Education & Training Interest Group	Room 7: Modumela
	School & Youth Services Interest Group	Room 9: Tamboti
	Special Libraries Interest Group	Room 8: Mokwaripa
	Support Staff Interest Group	Room 13: Coral
16:00+	Fun Run	
SOCIAL LINK	Gala Dinner	Jack Botes Community Hall, Church Street, Polokwane

Thursday 30 September 2004

Registration

08:30-10:15	Room 1: Main Auditorium Session 6: Plenary	Chair: Ms T Makhafola
	THE VITAL LINK: ROLE OF LIBRARIES IN A DEMOCRACY	
08:30-09:05	6.1 Invited speaker Sustaining Democracies in Africa: The Library as a partner	Asamoah-Hassan, H Ghana
09:05-09:25	6.2 Librarians as agents of democracy	More, R
09:25-09:45	6.3 Reorganization of libraries in greater Johannesburg in the democratic era	Digoamaje, M
09:45-10:05	6.4 Public Libraries and a decade of democracy: rebirth or rethink?	Davis, G
10:05-10:15	Discussion and questions	
10:15-10:45	TEA/COFFEE/EXHIBITIONS	

10:45-12:30	Room 1: Main Auditorium Session 7: Parallel	Chair: Ms F Hlatywayo
	THE CULTURAL LINK: COLLECTIONS TO SUPPORT DEMOCRACY	
10:45-11:05	7.1 Challenging "neutrality": investigating the National Library of South Africa	Ritchie, G and Hermanus, M
11:05-11:25	7.2 Touching memory: The use of the Robben Island Memories Project to contextualise artefact collections	Van Wyk, C
11:25-11:45	Discussion and questions	
10:45-12:30	Room 9: Tamboti Session 8: Parallel	Chair: Ms E Mothapo
	THE ICT CONNECTION	
10:45-11:05	8.1 From Manager to "cybrarian": how to go online	Sentoo, N
11:05-11:25	8.2 Creating web portals for animal health information; experiences at the Academic Information Service, Veterinary Science Library, University of Pretoria	Breytenbach, A et al
11:25-11:45	8.3 Account of the limitations of technology for information delivery and information literacy in South Africa: an assessment of Library and Information Services provided to business and legal professionals in Gauteng from 1999 – 2003	Tee, M M
11:45-12:05	8.4 Auditing of ICTs among rural Kenyan women	Kwake, A

12:05-12:30	Discussion and questions	
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10:45-12:30	Room 6: Moretse Session 9: Parallel	Chair: Ms C Walker
	LINKING INFORMATION AND OUTCOME: ACCESS TO SCHOLARLY INFORMATION AS A REQUISITE FOR RESEARCH	
10:45-11:05	9.1 The right to quality research in LIS services what difference can the NRF rating system make?	Kaniki, A M
11:05-11:25	9.2 Bibliometric analysis of the public health research in SA and selected African countries	Jacobs, D A
11:25-11:45	Discussion and questions	
10:45-12:30	Room 7: Modumela Session 10: Parallel	Chair: Mr M Mabaso
	INFORMATION LITERACY: A BASIC LINK	
10:45-11:05	10.1 Impact and perceptual value of Information Literacy Skills instruction: students perceptions and instruction librarians challenges	Selematsela, DS
11:05-11:25	10.2 Information literacy and ICT skills for an informed nation: How RAU library & information centre responds to the Multimodal learning	Molepo, C
11:25-11:45	10.3 Khululeka ufundze njalo: Literate, liberated, life-long learners	Sieberhagen, A
11:45-12:15	Discussion and questions	

10:45-12:30	Room 8: Mokwaripa Session 11: Parallel SABINET Online Workshop	
10:45-12:30	Room 11: Moepel Session 12 Parallel	Chair: Prof D Ocholla
	TRANSFORMATION LINK: OVERVIEW OF LIS IN SA 1994- 2004	
10:45-11:05	12.1 Status of LIS in SA since 1994 A transformation or Deformation?	Makhura, M
11:05-11:25	12.2 Access to scholarly information as requisite for research, innovation and development: creating and maintaining a democratic society	Mdladlose, C
11:25-11:45	12.3 Information and communication technologies in LIS education in SA	Minishi-Majanja, M
11:45-12:15	Discussion and questions	
12:30-14:00	LUNCH/EXHIBITIONS	
14:00-15:30	Room 1: Main Auditorium Session 13 Plenary	
	AGM AND AWARDS CEREMONY ANNOUNCEMENT OF ELECTION RESULTS	
15:30-16:00	TEA/COFFEE/EXHIBITIONS	
16:00-17:30	Session 14 Plenary	

	AGM Continues	
SOCIAL LINK	Social Evening	

Friday 01 October 2004

08:30-10:00	Room 1: Main Auditorium Session 15 Plenary	
	THE CREATIVE LINK: WRITERS'SESSION	Chair: Moerat, N
10:00-10:30	TEA/EXHIBITIONS	
10:30-13:00	Room 1: Main Auditorium Session 16: Plenary	Chair: Mr J Tsebe
	DIGITAL DIVIDE: BREAKING THE LINK?	
10:30-11:00	16.1 Invited Speaker	Baba, D Director General, National Library Malaysia
11:00-11:20	16.2 Libraries bridging the digital divide OR: Are we back to drum messages and smoke signals?"	Botha, C M
11:20-11:40	16.3 Using community partnerships to create learning centers to bridge the digital divide, thus changing infrastructure into infostructure	Ackerman, D
11:40-12:00	16.4 Digital divide or digital exclusion? The role of libraries in bridging the digital divide	Mphidi, H
12:00-12:20	16.5 Standards and quality deployment in digital libraries: the metadata role	Ledwaba, S
12:20-12:45	Discussion and questions	
12:45-13:00	CLOSURE	

13:00-14:00	Lunch Buses depart	
14:00-17:00	Incoming and outgoing Rep Council Lunch followed by Handover Meeting and Orientation session	