Events

National

April 26–27 The Institution of Engineers, Australia. **Conference on new business applications of information technology.** Melbourne. Contact: Conference Manager. Phone: (062) 70 6549.

April 27 ALIA UCLS (ACT), in association with the Australian National University. Seminar—**Amalgamations: fact or fancy? The library view.** Venue: A.L.G. Macdonald Room, Menzies Library. Time: 9.30 am to 5 pm. Cost: $70 ALIA members; $90 non-members. Contact: Margaret Henty. Phone: (062) 49 2994 or 49 2981.

July 26–29 5th National Library Technicians Conference 1989. **Library technicians today & tomorrow ... a brighter future.** Venue: Conrad International Hotel, Gold Coast, Australia. Contact: Conference Secretariat, PO Box 177, Red Hill, Qld 4059.

August 6 ALIA Australian Serials SIG. **Seminar on Serials.** Speaker: Marcia Tuttle, Head, Serials Department, University of North Carolina. Venue: Adelaide. Contact: P. Baigent. Phone: (02) 922 5600.

August 6–11 Third Asian Pacific Special and Law Librarians' Conference: the information investment. Venue: Adelaide Convention Centre, Adelaide. Contact: Elliservice Convention Management. Phone: (08) 332 4068.

September 14–16 ALIA Cataloguers Section. 8th National Cataloguing Conference. **Garbage in, garbage out! The need for quality in the age of automation.** Venue: Hotel Adelaide, Adelaide. Contact: Conference Convener, Festival City Conventions, PO Box 986, Norwood, SA 5067. Phone: (08) 269 4663 or (08) 339 2975.

October 29–November 3 Trade Union Training Authority. **Information industry course.** Venue: Clyde Cameron College, Wodonga. Contact: Kay Hathway. Phone: (060) 55 3211.

November 12–17 ALIA–NZLA Medical/Health Libraries Sections joint conference. **Information management— needs and technological imperatives.** Contact: Margaret Gibson Smith, Philson Library, University of Auckland, Private Bag, Auckland New Zealand.

New South Wales

April 4 ALIA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group) **Meeting.** Venue: Fisher Library, University of Sydney. Time: 6 pm. All welcome. Contact: Jan Harris. Phone: (02) 699 1855.

April 5 IBBY's Hans Christian Andersen Dinner. Len Evans Wine Cellars, Sydney. Speakers: Nadia Wheatley and Donna Rawlins. Time 7.00 for 7.30 pm. Cost: $36. Cheques to IBBY Australia, PO Box 194, Edgecliff, NSW 2027. Contact: Ena Noel. Phone: (02) 325 075.

April 10 ALIA UCLS (NSW). Meeting. **A new approach to staff assessment; staff planning, review and development.** Speakers: Isabella Trahn, UNSW and Johanne McLachlan, Johanne McLachlan and Associates. Venue: Conference Room, Fisher Library, University of Sydney. Time: 6.00 for 6.30 pm. Contact: Melanie Lazarow. Phone: (02) 690 2855 ext. 313.

April 10 ALIA NSW Branch meeting. **Developments in the CSIRO library system.** Speaker: James Lumbers, General Manager, CSIRO Information Services Unit. Venue: Metcalfe Auditorium, State Library of NSW. Time: 6.00 for 6.30 pm. Contact: Julie Young. Phone: (02) 230 1448.

April 11 ALIA Special Libraries Section(NSW Group). **ILANET, the Information and Libraries Access Network.** Speaker: Linda Rouse. Venue: Seminar Room 1, Level 11, State Library of NSW. Enter from Macquarie Street Time: 5.30 for 6.00pm. Contact: Robin Jenkins (02) 20512

April 12. ALIA Library Technicians Section (NSW Group). Seminar: **A framework for writing procedures.** Presenter: Alison Johnson, Dean of Health Studies, University of Western Sydney. Venue: Level 12 Conference Room, Deloitte, Haskins and Sells, 255 George Street, Sydney. Time: 6.00 for 6.30pm. Cost : $25 ALIA members, $35 non-members. Contact: Jan Harris. Phone: (02) 699 1855

April 13 ALIA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation workshop: preservation of library materials.** Venue: School of Librarianship, 422 Mathews Building, University of NSW. Time: 9.30 am–4.30 pm. Contact: Helen Price. Phone: (02) 697 3447.

Apri 13 A seminar organised by the School of Librarianship and Information Studies, Kur–ring–gai CAE. **Clients, customers or colleagues.** Speaker: Hilary Yerbury, Lecturer, Department of Information Studies. Venue: Room 490, Ku–ring–gai College of Advanced Education. Time: 1.00–2.30 pm. Contact: H. Jilkes (02) 467 9336.

April 17–26 Insearch Dialog Seminars Sydney. Introductory System (April 17), Inpadoc Briefing (April 26 am). Phone (02) 218 9790

April 18 ALIA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation workshop: preservation of photographic collections.** Venue: 422 Mathews Building, University of NSW. Time: 9.30 am–4.30 pm. Contact: Helen Price. Phone: (02) 697 3447.

April 18 ALIA Young Ones workshop. **Promote or perish!** Venue: Seminar Rooms, Sydney Technical College. Speakers: Jenny Peasley, Heather Black and Mary Baker. Time: 6.00 for 6.30 pm. Cost: $5.00. Contact: Alison Reid (02) 230 1474 or Mary Baker (02) 875 6289..

April 20 ALIA Far North Coast Regional Group. **Dinner meeting.** Venue: TBA. Guest speaker: Kerry Skyring, ABC Regional Program Manager. Time: 7 for 7.30 pm. Contact: Des Stewart (066) 240321.

April 20 ALIA Bicentennial Activity. **Conservation workshop: encapsulation and boxmaking.** Venue: 422 Mathews Building, University of NSW. Time: 9.30 am–4.30 pm. Contact: Helen Price. Phone: (02) 697 3447.

April 21 ALIA Public Libraries Section in association with NSW Action Committee on Local Government Records seminar: **General Records Disposal Schedule for Local Government in NSW.** Venue: Conference Room, State Archives of NSW, Globe Street, The Rocks. Speakers: John Burke, Sally Irvine–Smith, Terry Kass and Judy Washington. Time: 9.00 am–4.45 pm. Cost: $15 members; $20 non–members. Bookings: Glenys Murray, Lane Cove Library. Phone: (02) 427 5194.

April 22 ALIA Central Western Regional Group meeting. **ILANET and CD–ROM.** Venue: Orange TAFE Library. Time: 11.00 am–4.30 pm. Contact: Margaret Macpherson. Phone: (063) 332 732.

April 27 ALIA Bicentennial Activity. **Preservation of A/V material, maps, and plans.** Venue: 422 Mathews Building, University of NSW. Time: 9.30 am–4.30 pm. Contact: Helen Price. Phone: (02) 697 3447.

April 27 ALIA Health Libraries Section (NSW Group). **AIDS Education and Resources.** Venue: Westmead Hospital Library. Time: 6.00 for 6.30 pm. Contact: L. Mulheron (02) 633 6260 or I. Stubbs (02) 217 5004.

May 4–5 ALIA Public Libraries Section (NSW Group), evening/day workshop for first–line supervisors: **No Frills Supervision,** Presenters: Merilyn Bryce and George Campbell. Venue: Bankstown City Library meeting room. Time: Thursday 4 April 5–8 pm; Friday 5 April 9.00 am–5.00 pm. Cost: members $80; non–members $95. Limit of 25 participants. Contact: Diana Oliver. Phone: (02) 521 0353.

May 18 The ABN Connection. Launch and demonstration of ABN downline loading and ABN gateways to online databases. Venue: Ku–ring–gai Municipal Library, Telegraph Road, Pymble. Time: 9.30–11.30 am. Contact: Karen McAdam. Phone: (02) 437 5511.

May 22 Seminar. **More than meets the eye: managing photographs.** Featured speaker: Joan Schwartz, National Archives of Canada. Venue: Metcalfe Auditorium, State Library of NSW. Time: 9 am–5 pm. Cost: $60 including teas and lunch. Contact: Paul Wilson, c/– School of Librarianship, University of NSW, PO Box 1, Kensington, NSW 2033. Phone: (02) 697 3438.

Victoria

April 4–5 Insearch DIALOG Seminars. Introductory System (April 4), Agriculture & Environment (April 5). Melbourne. Phone (02) 218 9790.

April 5 ALIA Public Libraries Section (Vic.Group) **Video library workshop.** Venue: Sate Film Centre. Contact: Jane King. Phone: (03) 429 3644.

April 8 ALIA School Libraries Section (Vic.Group) **Management of Children and Young People as Library Users.** Speaker: Mr Bill Rogers. Venue: St Kilda Public Library, Carlysle St. Time: 1.30–5.00 pm. Cost: $5 members (ALIA and SLAY); $3 students; $8 others; includes refreshments. (No charge for 'Expanding Horizons' conference participants.) Contact: Bev Pianta. Phone: (03) 5211721.

April 12 ALIA Special Libraries Section (Vic.Group) General meeting on **Electronic Dissemination** and inspection of ABS Library.Venue: ABS Library, Level 5, Rialto North Tower, 525 Collins St., Melbourne. Time: 5.30 for 6.00 pm. Contact: Jan Linder. Phone: (03) 541 6218 (by 7 April).

April 13 ALIA Ballarat Province Regional Group. **Dinner.** Speaker: Donna Matthews, The Yank Yaps. Venue: The Alexandria, 30 Lydiard St., North Ballarat. Time: 6.30 for 7.00 pm. Cost: $14 per head with payment in advance. Contact: Kate Kelly, Ballarat Municipal Library.

April 13 INMAGIC Courses. Introductory. Contact: (03) 696 4866.

April 14 and April 21. Australian Art Workshops. Introductory Seminar April 14; Information Sources April 21. Venue: Department of Library Studies, Prahran College of TAFE. Time: 9.00 am–1.00 pm. Cost: $20 one session; $40 for two. Contact: Mary Hoffman. Phone: (03) 522 6773.

April 15 Library Promotion Committee of Victoria (LPCV) Friends of the Library seminar: **Starting and operating a Friends' group.** Venue: Albert Park Library, Montague Street, Albert Park. Contact: Helen Hayes. Phone: (03) 344 7257.

April 18 ALIA Cataloguers Section. Talk: **AACR2 1988 Revision.** Speakers: Olivia Abbay and Helen Hoffman.Venue: RMIT Function Room. Time: 6.00 for 6.30 pm. Contact: Jean Tindall. Phone: (03) 573 2445.

April 20 INMAGIC Courses. DOS for INMAGIC users. Contact: (03) 696 4866

April 21 Online MARC cataloguing workshop. Venue: Department of Library Studies, Prahran College of TAFE. Time: 9.00 am–5.00 pm. Cost: $35 Contact: Mary Hoffman. Phone: (03) 522 6773.

April 27-28 Insearch DIALOG Seminars. Melbourne. Inpadoc Briefing,(April 27 pm) Introductory System (April 28) Contact: (02) 218 9790.

April 29 ALIA Children's and Youth Services Section. Discussion: **Here they come—activities and programmes for primary school children.** Discussion leaders: Anna de Wind, Jill McCallum and Jo Leonard. Venue: Bendigo Library, Hargreaves St., Bendigo. Time: 1.45 pm–4.00 pm. Contact: Pru Menzies (03) 200 1207 or Andrew Matenson (03) 566 0369

May 4 INMAGIC Courses. Advanced. Contact (03) 696 4866.

May 18 INMAGIC Courses. Introductory. Contact: (03) 696 4866.

May 29 Seminar. **More than meets the eye: managing photographs.** Featured speaker: Joan Schwartz, National Archives of Canada. Venue: Theatrette, BHP House, 140 William Street, Melbourne. Time: 9 am–5 pm. Cost: $55 including teas and lunch. Contact: Narelle Crux, BHP Archives, 209 Normanby Road, South Melbourne, Vic. 3205. Phone: (03) 645 30118.

June 8 INMAGIC Courses. Writing menus with SmartKey. Contact: (03) 696 4866

June 18 INMAGIC Courses. Introductory. Contact: (03) 696 4866

July 20 INMAGIC Courses. DOS for INMAGIC users. Contact (03) 696 4866

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Queensland

April 11–12 Insearch Dialog Seminars. Brisbane. Introductory system (April 11), Legal applications (April 12). Phone: (02) 218 9790.

April 28 ALIA UCLS (Qld Group) and Australian Serials SIG. Attacking serials in '89. Venue: Bardon Professional Centre, 390 Simpsons Rd, Bardon 4065. Time: 9.00 am to 4.30pm. Cost: (Includes morning and afternoon tea and lunch) $40 ALIA members, $60 non-members and payable by cheque to UCLS Qld. Admission by registration only. Contact: Anne Whyte, Acquisitions Librarian, Griffith University, Nathan Qld 4111.

May 16 ALIA Qld Branch. Evening meeting: **Dealing with the public.** Venue: TBA Contact: Robyn Smith. Phone: (07) 352 8373

June 30 ALIA Qld Branch. Half-day workshop: **Conservation.** Venue: TBA. Contact: Kathy Buckley. Phone: (07) 840 7691

South Australia

April 27 ALIA Special Libraries Section (SA Group). Tour of the Art Gallery and Parliament House Libraries along North Terrace. Time: 10.00am–12.30pm. Limited to 30. Contact: Charmian Mitchell (08) 259 6059 before April 27.

April 28 ALIA Acquisitions Section (SA Group). Visit to SA-CAE Library, Underdale Campus. Time: 2–4.30 pm. Contact: Jenni Jeremy. Phone: (08) 354 6664.

April 28 Introduction to Legal Research. Venue: Staff Club, University of Adelaide (morning), Law Library, University of Adelaide (afternoon). Time: 8.45 am–5.30 pm. Cost (includes materials, refreshments and a buffet lunch): $70.00. Contact: Elizabeth Naumczyk. Phone: (08) 228 5558.

Tasmania

April 14 ALIA Northern Areas Regional Group. Meeting at Australian Maritime College Library. Speaker: Peter Cohen, Branch President. Contact: Vivienne FitzGerald (002) 26 0361 or (002) 26 0532.

April 6–7 Insearch DIALOG Seminars. Hobart. Introductory system (April 6) Agriculture & the environment (April 7). Applications to Insearch/Dialog, PO Box K16, Haymarket NSW 2000. Phone: (02) 218 9790.

May 11 ORBIT Training Courses. Basic skills (11 May), Advanced (12 May). Applications to Pergamon Orbit Infoline, PO Box 544, Potts Point NSW 2011.

ACT

April 12 ALIA UCLS (ACT Group). Online searchers: or else they're great liars. Speaker: Alex Byrne. Venue: Menzies Seminar Room, ANU Library. Time: 12.30 pm. Contact: Alex Byrne. Phone: (062) 68 8114.

April 18-20 Insearch DIALOG Seminars. Canberra. Quick reference (April 18), Introductory system (April 19), Beyond the basics (April 20). Phone: (02) 218 9790.

April 28. Aspect Computing Ltd. Using ADP skills more effectively. Venue: 80 Northbourne Ave., Braddon. Time 8.30 am–5.00 pm. Cost: $70 members; $100 non-members. Contact: Rob Lundie. Phone: (062) 77 2661.

Western Australia

April 2 ALIA WA Branch–Professional Development Committee. Seminar: Career Planning– Your Future! Venue:Facilities Building, WA Technology Park, 2 Brodie Hall Drive, Bentley. Cost: $75 members and non-members $95. Contact: Dorothy Harris (09) 222 0216

April 10 ALIA WA Branch. Branch Council Meeting. Venue: Facilities Building, WA Technology Park, 2 Brodie Hall Drive, Bentley. Time: 5.30pm. All welcome.

April 12 ALIA WA Branch. Liaison Committee Meeting. Venue: Sasha's Coffee Shop, Alexander Library Building. Time: 12.30pm. All welcome.

May 2-5 Insearch DIALOG seminars. Perth. Introductory System (May 2) Inpadoc Briefing (May 3) MEDLINE (May 4).

May 13–14 Storytelling Guild. The Patchwork Quilt, a weekend for storytelling. Venue: Ravenswood Hotel, Yunderup. Closing date for bookings: May 1. Cost: $45. Contact: Jenni Woodruffe (09) 367 4759, Alison Tunney (09) 447 4191, or Alison Hewson (09) 384 4911.

June 21 Storytelling Guild. Giants in June, an evening for giant tales. Venue: to be decided. Contact: Jenni Woodruffe (09) 367 4759, Alison Tunney (09) 447 4191, or Alison Hewson (09) 384 4911.

International

April 18–20 Optical information conference and exhibition. Contact: Jean E. Mulligan, Learned Information (Europe) Ltd, Woodside, Hinksey Hill, Oxford, OX1 5QU. Phone: (0865) 730275.

May 15–17 International Council on Archives (ICA). Symposium. **Converging disciplines in the management of current records.** National Archives of Canada, Ottawa. Contact: Winston A. Gomes, Symposium Co-ordinator, Government Records Branch, National Archives of Canada, Ottawa, Ontario K1A ON3. Phone: (+819) 953 5711.

May 22–24 International symposium: **Managing the preservation of serial literature.** Contact: IFLA, Library of Congress LM-G07, Washington, DC 20540, USA.

June 26–August 19 International Graduate Summer School in Librarianship and Information Science. College of Librarianship, Wales. Contact: Director, IGSS, College of Librarianship Wales, Aberystwyth, Dyfed, SY23 3AS, Wales, Great Britain. Phone: Aberystwyth (0970) 623181.

July 22–26 International Association of School Librarianship. Conference in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia on **School libraries: centers for life long learning.** Contact: Mr Wong Kim Siong, Jabatan Pendidikan, Jalan Raja Muda, 5030 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

August 6–18 Course on **Training for the information future: education for library and information sciences.** Eastbourne, U.K. Contact: The British Council, PO Box 88, Edgecliff 2027.

August 8–10 Conference on **Computing systems and information technology 1989.** The Institution of Engineers, Australia. Contact: The Conference Manager, Conference on Computing Systems and Information Technology 1989, The Institution of Engineers, Australia, 11 National Circuit, Barton ACT 2600. Phone: (062) 70 6549.

September 3–16 Microcomputers for library and information work. Leicester, UK. Contact: The British Council, PO Box 88, Edgecliff NSW 2027.

September 14–17 First International Conference on Bibliographic Access in Europe. University of Bath, BA2 7AY, England. Director: Philip Bryant. Phone +44 225 826580.

November 19–December 1 The management of archives and records: techniques and resources. Liverpool U.K. The British Council, PO Box 88, Edgecliff 2027.

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