

EVENTS

If space is restricted, notices may be deleted in some subsequent issues, but will reappear as the date of the event draws closer.

ACT

13 DECEMBER. Online Users Group. AGM and Christmas message. What language does your Systems Manager speak? CSIRO Forestry and Forest Products Theatre, Building 1, Banks Street, Yarralumla. 5.15 for 5.30-7 pm. Contact: Margaret Saville (06) 281 8355.

12-14 FEBRUARY. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. NEWS Briefing (12 February), Introductory System Seminar (13 February), Beyond the Basics (14 February), Canberra. Contact (02) 212 2867.

NEW SOUTH WALES

12 DECEMBER. LOSS (Libraries of the Social Sciences) meeting. Anti-Discrimination Board, Level 4, 181 Lawson Street, Redfern. 2 pm. RSVP: Kate Burnham (02) 318 5400.

• **13 DECEMBER. NSW Branch. Council Meeting.** Library Council Room, Mitchell Wing, State Library of NSW (up the marble staircase). 6 pm start. Contact: Julie Young (02) 230 1448.

• **14 DECEMBER. Health Libraries Section. Christmas Party.** Harpoon Harry's. 7.30 pm. \$10 deposit required by 21 November. Contact: L Mulheron (02) 633 6260.

9 JANUARY 1991. Insearch/DIALOG Introductory System Seminar, Sydney. Contact (02) 212 2867.

29 JANUARY 1991. DIALOG UPDATE '91 for Dialog users. Hilton International, Sydney. Contact Insearch/DIALOG, PO Box 123, Broadway, NSW 2007 (02) 212 2867.

4 FEBRUARY. Insearch/DIALOG Introductory System Seminar, Sydney. Contact (02) 212 2867.

QUEENSLAND

6-8 FEBRUARY. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Introductory System Seminar (6 February), Business (7 February), Agriculture/Environment (8 February), Brisbane. Contact (02) 212 2867.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

22-26 JULY 1991. National Conference on the Management of Geoscience Information and Data. CALL FOR PAPERS. Adelaide. Contact: Des Tellis, AMF, 63 Conyngham Street, Glenside, SA 5065, (08) 379 0444, fax (08) 379 4634.

TASMANIA

• **13 DECEMBER. Tasmanian Branch and TILA. Christmas Dinner.** CSIRO Marine Labs. 7.30 pm. \$28 members, \$25 northern members and students, \$35 non-members — all inclusive. RSVP with payment by 5 December to PO Box 764, Sandy Bay, Tas 7005. Contact: Linda Forbes (003) 26 0363, Chris Goodacre (002) 20 2784, Rhoda Bennet (002) 30 7964 or Janet Waters (002) 25 1626.

VICTORIA

11-13 DECEMBER. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Agriculture & Environment (11 December, pm), Introductory System (12 December), Medline (13 December), Melbourne. Contact (02) 212 2867.

• **12 DECEMBER. Victorian Branch Council Meeting.** 123 Dover Street, Richmond. 5.30 pm. Contact: Victorian Branch.

19 DECEMBER. Introduction to InMagic: training courses in Melbourne. Contact: Triad Data Magic P/L (03) 696 4866.

16-17 JANUARY. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Introductory System (16 January), Beyond the Basics (17 January), Melbourne. Contact (02) 212 2867.

• **FEBRUARY 1991. Special Libraries Section. Victorian Police Central Library.** Police Academy, View Mount Road, Glen Waverley — flyer and details to follow.

18 FEBRUARY 1991. Victorian Meta-Marc Users Group meeting. Melbourne Zoo Education Resource Centre. 9.30-11.45 am. Contact: Cheryl Drummond (03) 666 6455 or Penelope Earl (03) 743 3322.

8 MARCH 1991. The Book Night: A fun fund-raising dinner to be held by hundreds of groups throughout the country to celebrate International Women's Day and cultivate the second Australian Feminist Book Fortnight (6-22 September). For information kit send large stamped self-addressed envelope to AFBF, 308 Victoria Street, Brunswick, Vic 3056.

• **15 MARCH 1991. Special Libraries Section. 1-day seminar — Serials: systems and management in Special Libraries** — to look at the practices of some special libraries and how they cope with the acquisition of serials and the systems used to record and control serials. Includes a trade exhibition of subscription agents and journal systems. Council of Adult Education, City Conference Centre, Level 2A, 256 Flinders Street, Melbourne, Vic 3000. ALIA members approx \$60, non-members approx \$100. Flyer and further details to follow.

• **2 DECEMBER 1991. Special Libraries Section. AGM/Christmas Party.** Flyer and details to follow.

NATIONAL

29 JANUARY 1991. DIALOG UPDATE '91 for Dialog users. Hilton International Sydney. Contact: Insearch/DIALOG, PO Box 123, Broadway, NSW 2007 (02) 212 2867.

• **30 JANUARY-1 FEBRUARY 1991. Information Science Section. 'Information online and on disc 91': 5th Australasian Conference and Exhibition.** Hilton International, Sydney. Contact: Wael Foda, Australian Convention

Management Services (02) 332 4622, fax (02) 332 4066.

• **9-12 JULY 1991. 6th National Library Technicians Conference.** 'Bringing the pieces together: communication, change and consolidation'. Manly Pacific, Sydney. Contact: Jean Bailey (02) 692 4691.

• **1-5 SEPTEMBER 1991. Achieving Excellence. 4th Asian-Pacific Special and Law Librarians Conference with 9th Biennial Health Librarians' Conference.** National Convention Centre, Canberra. Contact: Conference Organiser, Gail Hawke, Capital Conference Pty Ltd, PO Box E345, Queen Victoria Terrace, ACT 2600, (06) 285 2048, fax (06) 285 2334.

29 SEPTEMBER-3 OCTOBER 1991. Australian School Library Association Conference. 'Treat yourself: professionally — the Future, Technology, Literature and Education'. Leura, NSW. ASLA XII. Contact: June Wall, Box 89, Winmalee, NSW 2777, (047) 51 5137, fax (047) 54 3562.

• **29-30 NOVEMBER 1991. Cataloguers' Section. 9th National Cataloguing Conference: Cataloguing for Online Access.** Keynote speaker: Michael Gorman. Ormond College, University of Melbourne. Cost: TBA. Contact: Margaret Waller (03) 669 9049 or Stephen Gillespie (03) 660 3108, fax (03) 663 3047.

INTERNATIONAL

8-11 JANUARY 1991. Association for Library and Information Science Education Annual Conference. 'Exploring Elements for Education Excellence: experience, expectations, enhancements, evaluation.' Contact: Daniel Callison, ALISE Publications Officer, School of Library and Information Science, Indiana University, Bloomington, IN 47405.

15-18 JULY 1991. The Second International Information Research Conference. Churchill College, Cambridge. Contact: Karen Merry, Multi-Media Information Conference, The British Library R & D Department, 2 Sheraton Street, London, W1V 4BH, United Kingdom. 071 323 7050, fax 071 323 7251.

23-27 JULY 1991. IASL Conference. Everett, Washington. Tours to follow (including Alaska). Contact: Lalita Brond, IASL, Director, Australasia, 5/16 Tennyson Street, St Kilda, VIC 3182, (03) 534 1582

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