

HSLI Newsletter

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



Virginia Gale
2003-2004
HSLI President

St. Joseph
Medical Center
Library
Joliet, IL

I hope this finds all of you enjoying summer weather and fun activities. My vacation in Paris was wonderful, and we found most Parisians to be friendly and helpful.

Our experiment with using Serhold for the serials holdings list had mixed results. The holdings information is current and the price is right (free!), but HSLI volunteers spent many hours editing the document. It was too large to download into Word while retaining the formatting you see in the Docline web site report format. Now that NLM and OCLC are able to exchange data, we may return to an OCLC-generated list.

We are working with 4 vendors for our group purchase (Ovid, MDConsult, Gale Research, and Ebsco), with a target date of June 1 for vendor proposals. This will enable members to select from a menu of products for the mix that meets their needs and their budgets. I was pleased to learn that more libraries had budgeted for these products this year. *(Continued on page 2)*



The purpose of HSLI is to promote the professional and educational development of health science librarians in Illinois.

2004 Annual Conference

The Road to Collaboration

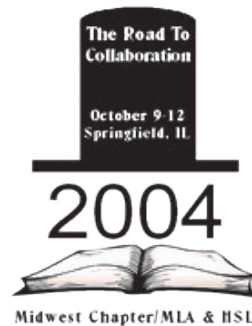
October 9-12, 2004
Springfield, Illinois

The Midwest Chapter of the Medical Library Association

The Health Science Librarians of Illinois

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Schedule of Future HSLI Conferences

- 2004 CAC/ECC/HILC (Midwest Chapter/MLA/HSLI), Springfield, Oct. 9-12
- 2005 Heart of Illinois, Chateau Hotel & Conference Center, Bloomington, Nov 2-4
- 2006 Metropolitan, Chicago, (TBA)

HSLI Business

President's Message - continued

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Spreading the costs among more participants should decrease the costs for the individual library.

A future project HSLI is considering is participation in the MedlinePlus Go Local initiative in conjunction with ILLINOIS Clicks. There are many issues to consider, with the most significant being the NLM requirement for a project coordinator, but no funding to pay a project coordinator. This may take more time than a volunteer is willing or able to give. We are working with the ILLINOIS Clicks staff to determine how we use and can expand our existing database. There are also plans to add more topics to the health section. We welcome suggestions for additional topics, especially if the suggestions are accompanied by a volunteer to research and input sites. It's actually a very easy process.

Prepare yourself for another bylaws change. There are many sections that need updating. It is absolutely essential that we modernize the process of updating the bylaws now that HSLI has only one conference and one business meeting per year, and now that we have more options for communicating with members. We plan to hold a short business meeting at this year's joint conference in Springfield to meet the current requirement of presenting a bylaws change to the membership at the annual business meeting. It won't be the usual luncheon meeting, just a short meeting tucked in between the many interesting sessions planned by our creative program and CE planning committees.

I hope to see all of you in Springfield in October!

Treasurer Note

Mary Pryor, Treasurer has had to resign her post early. She was due to serve until the end of the fall meeting. Arlis Ditmer has graciously offered to fill the interim post until elections occur. She is currently performing the treasury duties for the Annual Meeting.

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Treasurer's Report

Operating Budget
January 01, 2003—December 31, 2003

REVENUE FROM ALL SOURCES		
Savings Acct.	\$ 5,071.09	
Checking Acct.	\$ 6,650.00	
TOTAL REVENUE		\$11,721.09
EXPENDITURES		
Savings Acct.	\$11,507.09	
Checking Acct.	\$ 4,500.00	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES		\$16,007.09

Bylaws Update

The Bylaws Committee of HSLI has recommended changes to bring to the HSLI membership for approval. The most important change is to Article X: Amendments to the bylaws. The Board wants to adopt a more flexible process for revising the bylaws, instead of keeping it tied to the annual business meeting. However, we must abide by our current Bylaws, which means that the membership must discuss the proposed changes at the annual business meeting, then vote by ballot sent to all HSLI members.

Please join the Board to discuss the proposed change at the HSLI Business Meeting to be held at the 2004 Annual Conference in Springfield. The business meeting is scheduled for Sunday, October 10, 5PM-6PM.

Both the current and proposed Bylaws will be available on the HSLI website.

Meeting Information

The 2004 Conference Planning Committee invites you to the Land of Lincoln and Illinois' capital city. Join us October 9-12, 2004 at the Renaissance Hotel, in downtown Springfield, Illinois. "The Road to Collaboration" is the theme of this year's annual conference of the Midwest Chapter/Medical Library Association, co-sponsored by the Health Science Librarians of Illinois.

You may decide to continue the Lincoln Historical Tour you began at the MLA Conference in Washington, D.C. You can take a side trip to New Salem where a young Abraham Lincoln lived and worked. Then a trip to the Lincoln Home or to his tomb in Oakwood Cemetery will complete your Lincoln tour.

The Sunday Evening Reception will be held at Springfield's Hoogland Center for the Arts. Join us for an entertaining evening with Ann Seidl, The Hollywood Librarian, who gives us a glimpse at our movie personae.

Monday morning James Neal, Vice-President of Information Services and University Librarian at Columbia University, will present his Keynote speech, *The Collaborative Imperative: Librarians and the Information Policy Agenda*. On Sunday, Faith Roberts will present a plenary session about the multigenerational workplace. Concurrent sessions Sunday afternoon include Outreach, Professional Development and Public Services. A Collaboration Panel will be held on Monday afternoon.

Continuing Education courses include *The Visible Librarian*, *Strategic Planning*, *Virtual Reference*, and *Grant Writing*. In addition, a 2 hour CE, *Evidence Based Medicine for Nursing and Allied Health*, on Monday afternoon is included as part of your registration fee.

The conference combines education and entertainment to produce a smooth blend of programs, papers, posters and partying! Come travel familiar roads connecting the past and future. Our professional journey winds back and forth from Route 66 to the Information Superhighway. Come to Springfield and celebrate the discoveries along "The Road to Collaboration."

Karen Douglas
2004 Conference Chair

Check out the Scholarship Stipends
on pages 7-9



Illinois State Library

ILLINET Group Services

By Lynn Bierma,
HSLI IL State Library Liaison

Starting in FY05, ILLINET/OCLC Services will move to a new pricing module, called ILLINET Group Services. Instead of transaction based OCLC pricing, libraries will receive a set price for FY05, FY06 and FY07. We've had meetings in April and May at each of the library systems to let our membership know of the change and explain exactly what it means for ILLINET libraries. Below you'll find a summary of the changes.

Contact information is also included. Please call any of the contacts listed if you have any questions about the OCLC services included, pricing, etc.

ILLINET/OCLC Group Services

What it Means for Illinois Libraries

Access to SILC: the Statewide Illinois Library Catalog
(<http://www.finditillinois.org>)

- Unites Illinois holdings with ILL Capability in a single statewide union catalog.
- Based on the familiar FirstSearch platform.
- Unlimited use.
- Unlimited ILL.
- Connect charges included.
- ILDS & intra-system delivery still available.
- Shelf status: links from individual libraries to their regional library system's shared online catalog (LLSAP).
- Links to LLSASP records from the WorldCat OCLC accession number.

Access to Suite of OCLC Services

- Unlimited use of cataloging, ILL and serials union listing.
- Bibliographic record notification.
- Electronic delivery of records.
- Catalog cards.
- Telecommunications included.

Benefits

- Known price for each of the next three years: FY05, FY06, FY07.
- Single annual bill; option of multiple payments throughout the fiscal year.
- Enhanced resource sharing options.
- Quality cataloging.
- Ability to implement retrospective conversion projects.
- FirstSearch Base Package continued to be provided by IL State Library.

Requirements and Responsibilities

- Full (not developmental) regional library system membership.
- Contribution of all current cataloging to WorldCat.
- Compliance with the OCLC Principles of Cooperation.
- Responding to messages in the OCLC ILL Message File.

Eligibility

- All ILLINET libraries that are full (not developmental) regional library system members.

Pricing

- Existing users: a baseline was established by looking at activity on product codes that are covered under Group Services, and performed from December 2002 through November 2003. Credit activity included in established baseline.
- Percentage included for normal OCLC price increases:
 - o FY05-Baseline plus 5%
 - o FY06=FY05 total plus 5%
 - o FY07=FY06 total plus 5%
- New users: discounted pricing for the first three years; based on materials budget. FY08 and beyond:
 - o Fee structure reestablished for all libraries.
 - o Includes materials budget, service population and consideration for original cataloging and ILL lending.

Existing User

(if you fall within one of these 3 categories)

- Libraries that uses OCLC for cataloging, ILL or union list.
- Libraries whose regional library system performed cataloging, union list or ILL work on their behalf.

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Illinois State Library

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- An LLSAP library participating in sending their holdings to OCLC WorldCat via their regional library system (batchloading).

New User (if you fall within one of these 3 categories)

- Libraries that have *never* used OCLC cataloging, ILL or union list.
- Libraries whose regional library system has *never* performed cataloging, union list or ILL work on their behalf.
- Libraries that are *not* a member of their regional library system's LLSAP.

Training and Support

- Scheduled IL OCLC Users Group (ILLINET/OCLC Services) workshops and regional library system training.
- Distance learning workshops.
- Onsite at the IL State Library: one-on-one training.
- Annual IL OCLC Users Group Conferences.
- LibraryU Reloaded.
- OCLC web tutorials.
- Training guides developed by ILLINET/OCLC Services staff.
- Support and consultation by ILLINET/OCLC Services and regional library system staff.

How to Participate

- Existing users automatically enrolled.
- New users: send e-mail to sburkholder@ilsos.net and include:
 - Contact name, name of institution name and address
 - E-mail, telephone and fax
 - Materials budget
 - Service population (per capita or FTE for schools/academics)

Questions?

- Laurie Bartolini at 217-524-6313 or lbartolini@ilsos.net
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- Anne Craig at 217-785-5607 or acraig@ilsos.net
- Suzanne Schriar at 217-785-1533 or sschriar@ilsos.net



Partnering for Patient Education Grant Follow-up

In October, 2003, the OSF Saint Francis Medical Center Library & Resource Center was awarded a \$60,000 LSTA grant from the Illinois State Library for the "Partnering for Patient Education" project. With this grant, the Library will be working collaboratively with Patient Care Services and Education & Development to redesign the patient education process, as well as pilot the use of tablet pcs and interactive tutorials on 8 nursing units. The grant website is <http://patiented.osfsaintfrancis.org>. Elements of the project include using the Library's catalog to create a centralized database of patient education materials, developing a website for online access to resources, creating educational tutorials that will be available through Healthstream, and promoting the use of the Patient Education Interactive tutorials as an alternative format to print. While the grant project ends June 30th, the Library's involvement continues with ongoing development of the catalog, website, and piloting of the tablet pcs.

Carol Galganski
 Manager, Library & Resource Center &
 Center for Health Resource Library
 OSF Saint Francis Medical Center

Miscellaneous Tidbits

CORE: A Gateway to Lifelong Teaching and Learning

The Task Force to Develop MLA's Center of Research and Education was appointed in 2002. During the past eighteen months, the Task Force has spent time identifying the goals, vision, and stakeholders (or users of CORE), as well as identifying the types of resources and services that would be essential for the success of CORE.

The vision of MLA's new Center for Research and Education is to be your first stop for finding good educational content to support lifelong learning, course development, and research. The project is still in development, however, the Task Force needs you to test this resource and provide comments about this resource.

At the CORE website (<http://www.mlanet.org/core>), you will find information about CORE, its vision, goals, and stakeholders. In addition, there are links to educational resources, educational courses, services for instructors, as well as those who would like to develop a course, research and locating experts or mentors.

The Task Force hopes to have a poster developed for demonstration at Chapter meetings this year. Three members of the Task Force are Illinois librarians: Prudence Dalrymple, Jo Dorsch, and Jeanne Gittings. Please feel free to contact any one of us.

Jeanne Gittings, Manager GittingsJ@trinityqc.com
Trinity Medical Center, Rock Island

Regional Library System Mergers

Effective July 1, the Illinois State Library recognizes the following Illinois regional library systems:

Alliance Library System
Chicago Public Library
DuPage Library System
Lewis & Clark Library System
Lincoln Trail Libraries System
Metropolitan Library System (merge of Chicago Multitype Lib. System and Suburban Lib. System led by Alice Calabrese)
North Suburban Library System
Prairie Area Library System
(merge of Heritage Trail Lib. System, Northern Illinois Lib. System, and River Bend Lib. System led by Bob McKay)
Rolling Prairie Library System
Shawnee Library System

Librarian in New Position

Beth Carlin, M.A.L.S. AHIP Bcarlin@reshealthcare.org
Resurrection Health Care System Manager Library Services
St. Francis Hospital, Evanston (847) 316-2460
Our Lady of Resurrection Hospital
Westlake Hospital
and Institutional Review Board (IRB) Coordinator for St. Francis Hospital.

Most recently Education and Outreach Coordinator for the National Network of Libraries of Medicine—Greater Midwest Region at the University of Illinois-Chicago. Originally from St. Louis, Missouri, St. Louis Children's Hospital and Barnes College of Nursing at Washington University Medical Center. Besides working with residents and faculty in the medical education departments at the hospitals, I also have the opportunity to facilitate research.



Remember to use IllinoisClicks at <http://www.illinoisclicks.org>. Medical Librarians in Illinois (most of them members of HSLI) contributed time and expertise to compile topics under the Health heading as specific to Illinois as possible..

HSLI Conference \$cholarship\$

This year there is a joint regional conference of the Midwest Chapter of the Medical Library Association and HSLI. The theme is The Road to Collaboration. The conference will be October 9-12, in Springfield at the Renaissance Hotel.

The HSLI Board voted last fall to offer several scholarship stipends to its members so that everyone would have the opportunity to attend a regional conference.

Applicants must :

- be HSLI members with 2004 dues (\$10) paid in full*
- submit a completed application by August 20, 2004 (to include a short essay explaining the need for a scholarship)

There are several different types of scholarship stipends being offered this year:

- Syed Maghrabi Scholarship stipends for conference registration + hotel room (if you live more than 50 miles from Springfield) (this year only: conference registration, excludes separately priced CE's)
- 2 Conference Registration Scholarships (only covers conference, not CE courses)
- 2 Continuing Education Course Scholarships (each good for 1 full-day CE course or 2 half-day CE courses, not conference registration)
- 2 Student Conference Registration Scholarships* (1 each, available to students currently enrolled in a MLS or LTA program in Illinois)
***Student applicant need not be an IL resident or HSLI member**

Applications will be available on the HSLI web site (<http://hsl.org>) from August 2-August 20, 2004. Applications must be postmarked by August 20, 2004 for consideration.

Those receiving scholarships will be notified by September 1, 2004. Conference room rates of \$82.00 per night (1-4 occupancy) include parking fees and expire September 15, 2004.

Members receiving scholarship stipends will be asked to write a short article about their conference experience for the next edition of the HSLI Newsletter.

Applications may be sent to Karen Douglas / Passavant Area Hospital / 1600 W. Walnut / Jacksonville, IL 62650

If you have questions, please contact Karen Douglas at 217-245-9541 x3424 or library@passavanthospital.com.

STIPENDS AND CRITERIA FOR APPLICATION

1. Syed Maghrabi Scholarship

- The stipend will cover the registration fee for the conference, excluding any separately priced continuing education courses.
- The stipend will cover the cost of a standard double room at the conference hotel if the recipient's home is more than 50 miles from the conference location. The recipient will pay for the hotel, and will be reimbursed upon submission of expense report to HSLI treasurer and article to HSLI newsletter.
- Applicants must be current (2004 dues paid) HSLI members.

2. Conference Only Stipend

- 2 stipends will be awarded.
- Stipends will cover full conference registration fee, excluding any separately priced continuing education courses.
- Applicants must be current (2004 dues paid) HSLI members.

3. Continuing Education Course Stipend

- 2 stipends will be awarded.
- Each recipient may choose either 1 full-day CE course or 2 half-day CE courses.
- Applicants must be current (2004 dues paid) HSLI members.

4. Library Student Conference Only Stipends

- 2 stipends will be awarded.
 1. One stipend will be awarded to a student currently enrolled in an LTA program in an Illinois LTA program.
 2. One stipend will be awarded to a student currently enrolled in a master's degree or higher program in an Illinois library school.
- Stipends will cover full conference registration fee, excluding any separately priced continuing education courses.
- Applicants need not be current HSLI members.
- Applicants need not be Illinois residents, but must be enrolled in an Illinois LTA program or library school.

APPLICATION TIMETABLE

Applications accepted:	August 2, 2004 – August 20, 2004
Application review:	August 23, 2004 – August 27, 2004
Notify applicants:	September 1, 2004

STIPEND APPLICATION

**Health Science Librarians of Illinois
Midwest Chapter / Medical Library Association
2004 Joint Conference**

Name: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Have you attended an HSLI Conference in the past five years? Yes___ No___
(Previous attendance will not disqualify an applicant.)

I am applying for: ___ Syed Maghrabi Scholarship ___ Conference Only Scholarship
___ Continuing Education Scholarship ___ Student Scholarship

Please tell us why you need a stipend to attend the HSLI conference:

Signature _____ Date _____

Stipends will be awarded based on demonstration of financial need. All applicants will be notified on September 1. If selected, each recipient will be required to write a short news article about his/her conference experience for the HSLI Newsletter.

APPLICATIONS MUST BE RETURNED BY AUGUST 20, 2004 to:

**Karen Douglas
Passavant Area Hospital
Sibert Library
1600 W. Walnut St.
Jacksonville, IL 62650-1136
217-245-9541 x3534 FAX 217-479-5639
library@passavanthospital.com**

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To view or print the HSLI Officers list, the Membership Application Form, or the Archives of the Newsletter (2000 to date) — go to our website at <http://hsl.org>

Next deadlines: Sept. 13, 2004
 Nov. 24, 2004



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◆ *Linda Feinberg*



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