Federal Depository Library Conference & Fall Depository Library Council Meeting October 19 – 21, 2009

DOUBLETREE HOTEL CRYSTAL CITY - 300 Army-Navy Drive, Arlington, VA 22202

MONDAY OCT. 19

8:00 Crystal Ballroom Foyer Registration 8:00 - 8:30Coffee with Council Crystal Ballroom C New Attendees Orientation An overview of the U.S. Government Printing Office and Depository Library Council and a preview of the Council Meeting for new attendees. • Richard G. Davis, Director, Library Services & Content Management, Acting Superintendent of Documents, GPO • John Shuler, Council Chair & Associate Professor, Bibliographer for Government Information and Urban Planning/Documents Librarian, **Collections Development Department** • Kathy Brazee, Senior Outreach Librarian, Education and Outreach, GPO, Facilitator 8:30 - 9:15 Wilson/Harrison What I Learned When My Department Lost Its Land On 9/29/08 I learned that my stand-alone documents department was to be split up and relocated to areas throughout the library in order to make room

for a new Math Lab. Before the movers came on 1/6/09, I weeded roughly half of my print collection, negotiated homes for the remainder of my collections, and learned a tremendous amount from the mistakes I (and others) made during the move. In my presentation I'll show pictures of the weeding and the big move and share with everyone the hard-won lessons that I learned.

• Lori Smith, Government Documents Department Head, Southeastern Louisiana University

Crystal Ballroom A-B



LOCATION

8:30 - 9:00

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8:30 – 10:00 Tracking Online Document Usage from the Catalog: Experiences from the Jackson Field

Library directors demand statistics from us. But are we prepared to give them use statistics from electronic documents? Libraries can track clickthrough statistics using their OPAC and this panel features five libraries that have begun tracking use. They will answer questions such as: What documents are getting accessed in your OPAC? How can we track online usage to make the case to our directors that documents are valued? How can clickthrough statistics show trend lines? Are users still making use of print resources with more online document content? This panel discussion will provide information on how you can start tracking clickthrough statistics and how these six librarians have used these statistics in their work.

- Christopher C. Brown, Government Documents Librarian, University of Denver
- Stephanie Braunstein, Louisiana State University
- Jennifer Gerke, University of Colorado at Boulder
- Susan Kendall, San Jose State University / San Jose Public Library
- Liza Weisbrod, Auburn University
- Shane Cole, Department Chair, Library Public Services, Brigham Young University-Idaho, Rexburg, ID
- 8:30 9:15 A Tale of Two Economies: Government Information from the New Deal and *Commonwealth* Now

This year marks the 75th anniversary of implementing the first economic recovery initiatives of the New Deal. Information published by the government at that time illustrates specific aspects of the era, which in turn provides a lens for better understanding our current economic challenges. This session will explore government publications from what was previously the greatest economic crisis in our history and compare and contrast them with government information on today's economic downturn. Examining these resources will not only demonstrate how the past informs the present but also that, in some respects, the more things change, the more they stay the same.

- Marianne Ryan, Associate University Librarian for Public Services, Northwestern University Library
- Catherine Jervey, Director, Market Planning Legislative and Historical Services, LexisNexis Academic and Library Solutions
- 9:00 10:00 New Depository Staff Orientation

Learn more about basic depository resources and activities. Come prepared to ask questions of GPO personnel in this informal session.

- Kathy Brazee, Senior Outreach Librarian, Education and Outreach, GPO
- Ashley Dahlen, Outreach Librarian, Education and Outreach, GPO

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9:15 – 10:00 Sweet Tweets: Government And Social Networks

Social networks are everywhere and the federal government is beginning to embrace new technologies as a way to disseminate and connect people to information. This session will look at some of the social networking sites and Web 2.0 applications and ways government is utilizing these tools to reach the general public. Take inspiration for how you can use these tools to reach your library patrons, or share some of your own experiences using social networking and Web 2.0 to connect your library's patron with government information.

- Robbie Sittel, Government Information Librarian, Tulsa City County Library
- Dana Jackson, University of Central Oklahoma
- Susan Woitte, Northeastern State University

9:15 – 10:00 Government Documents Tell a Good Story

In spring of 2009 NMSU Library received an ALA/NEH grant (initiated by librarians Sylvia Ortiz and Mardi Mahaffy) to create programs related to the New Deal Writer's Project: "Soul of the People: Writing America's Story." Given the current economic climate, with the specter of the Great Depression looming large in the consciousness of the American people, this was a wonderful opportunity to look back at the project that employed hungry artists in the 1930s and contributed to the preservation of local history and oral tradition. For the opening event, a community-wide celebration of New Deal Writers, Dorothy Ormes, in her role as NMSU's new Government Documents Librarian, set out to glean interesting stories of Southern New Mexico. Using her skills as a professional storyteller she created a storytelling performance based on these tales. What she found was rich material that had been transcribed by the collectors of the day, some of whom were greeted less than enthusiastically by their subjects. She also found slave narratives from Texas online at the American Memory site. For the Community event, she produced a storytelling hour and had an opportunity to promote government documents as a living history resource. Dorothy will present an overview of the project and perform one of the stories from the event.

• Dorothy Ormes, Government Documents & Maps Librarian, New Mexico State University

10:00 Break

10:30–12:00 Plenary Session: Council/GPO Welcome and Kick-Off

Council meeting and Conference kick-off, with welcome from Council and GPO, highlights of developments at GPO and LSCM, and announcement of the 2009 Federal Depository Library of the Year.

- John Shuler, Chair, Depository Library Council
- Robert C. Tapella, Public Printer, GPO
- Richard G. Davis, Director, Library Services & Content Management, Acting Superintendent of Documents, GPO

12:00 Lunch Break On Your Own (Regionals/Selectives)

Wilson/Harrison

Commonwealth

Crystal Ballroom A-B

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2:00 - 3:30	Plenary Session: Digitization and Collaboration in the Depository Program Discussion of GPO's plans for coordinating and collaborating in digitization projects.	Crystal Ballroom A-B
	 John Shuler, Chair, Depository Library Council Richard G. Davis, Director, Library Services & Content Management, Acting Superintendent of Documents, GPO Robin Haun-Mohamed, Director, Collection Management and Preservation James Mauldin, Manager, Office of Archives Management 	
3:30	Break – Honoring 2009 Federal Depository Library of the Year	Crystal Ballroom C
4:00 - 5:30	Plenary Session: The Future Opportunities of Disposal and Discard in the Depository Program Discussion of LSCM's two-pronged approach to address the disposition of the depository materials process.	Crystal Ballroom A-B
	 Cynthia Etkin, Senior Program Planning Specialist, Office of the Superintendent of Documents, GPO 	
5:30-6:30	Council Working Session Attendees are welcome to observe council discussions	Crystal Ballroom A-B

6:30 Adjourn

TUESDAY OCT. 20

8:00	Coffee with Council	Crystal Ballroom C
8:30	Plenary Session: Government Information and E-government: Issues and Strategic Directions	Crystal Ballroom A-B
	 John Carlo Bertot, Ph.D., Professor and Director, Center for Library & Information Innovation, College of Information Studies, University of Maryland College Park 	
10:00	Break	
10:30	Council Session: The Future of Item Numbers for Collection Development in the Depository System	Crystal Ballroom A-B
	Discussion of GPO's "retooling" of the item selection process.	
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10:30	How I Fell in Love with Government Documents and Why It Will Be a Lasting Relationship	Wilson/Harrison
	A varied panel of government information librarians will discuss their experiences when they were new government documents librarians. The presentation will focus on the funny, the sad, the mundane, and the exciting parts of being a government documents librarian, including experiences promoting government information and the funny and crazy reference questions we get to answer. The discussion will also include ideas about retention of government documents librarians and of government documents programs at libraries. The goal is to help provide a broader foundation for new or newer government information librarians. The panel plans to engage the audience with ideas about getting started as a government information librarian.	
	 Jane Canfield, Depository Coordinator, Pontificia Universidad Catolica, Puerto Rico 	
	• Joe Fitzanko, Government Information Librarian, Peoria Public Library	
	 Marianne Ryan, Associate University Librarian for Public Services, Northwestern University 	
	 Diane Smith, VP, Product Solutions and Management, Lexis/Nexis Kathy Brazee, Senior Outreach Librarian, GPO 	
10:30	Agency Update: Scientific Government Informaton: Department of Energy Databases and Federated Search Tools	Jackson
	The Department of Energy Office of Scientific and Technical Information (OSTI) strives to make government scientific and technical information easily accessible. To achieve this goal, OSTI produces a number of databases covering DOE STI plus federated search engines that search databases from other federal agencies and foreign countries. This session will give updates and searching tips for the DOE Information Bridge, Energy Citations Database, ScienceAccelerator.gov, Science.gov, WorldWideScience.org and other OSTI products. The newly developed ScienceEducation.gov will also be demonstrated.	
	 Tim Byrne, Senior Outreach Librarian, U.S. Department of Energy 	

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10:30	Notable Days: A Brief Look at GPO's 148 Years A brief introduction to GPO's history and the project currently underway to	Commonwealth
	update and expand the official, published history of the agency.	
	George Barnum, GPO History Project Lead	
12:00	Lunch Break On Your Own – (By Library Type)	
2:00	Council Session: Outreach and Assessments	Crystal Ballroom A-B
	Discussion of GPO's outreach activities to depository libraries, including Public Access Assessments.	
	Ashley Dahlen, Outreach Librarian, GPOKathy Brazee, Senior Outreach Librarian, GPO	
2:00	I Can Actually Participate!	Wilson/Harrison
	"All of us being 'together' (either in the same room or virtually) makes a difference in how we communicate." This comment and the one from the presentation title came from a recent depository meeting that was both held in- person and virtually. With limited time and travel budgets library staff have fewer chances to attend meetings and conferences outside their library. However, new technologies offer innovative ways to bring depository libraries together. Join these two regional librarians as they discuss the options available and their own experiences using technologies for virtual depository meetings and training opportunities. They will also discuss developing webinars for patrons and library staff. Depending on the Internet access available at the conference, this presentation may also include live demonstrations so attendees can get a feel for being part of a virtual presentation with colleagues across the country.	
	Kirsten Clark, Government Information and Regional Depository Librarian, University of Minnesota	
	 Jennie Burroughs, Government Documents Librarian, Interim Head of Bibliographic Management Services, University of Montana 	
2:00	Agency Update: General Services Administration, Regulatory Information Service Center	Jackson
	Federal Regulatory Information and Where to Find It	
	This presentation will include an introduction to the RegInfo.gov website, the Unified Regulatory Agenda, and other tools for finding regulatory materials. David Pritzker, co-developer of the "Reg Map," will give a brief overview of the Federal regulatory process and public sources of regulatory information. Participants will obtain a clearer sense of regulations in the era of e- rulemaking and heightened interest in public participation.	
	 David M. Pritzker, Senior Attorney, Regulatory Information Service Center 	

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2:00	Getting the Most Out of FDsys	Commonwealth
	GPO's Program Management Office (PMO) will demonstrate FDsys, including in-depth advanced searching. We will also discuss the MODS and PREMIS metadata and their use within the system. There will be an FDsys question and answer session following the presentation.	
	Lisa LaPlant, Lead Program PlannerKate Zwaard, Lead Program Planner	
3:30	Break	
4:00 - 4:45	Protecting Rare Government Documents: Lessons Learned from a Theft	Wilson/Harrison
	In 2006 someone stole more than 600 pages from Congressional Serial Set volumes at WWU Library. During the two years it took to catch the thief (who was convicted of stealing from over 100 libraries) the staff at WWU learned a lot about what preventing -and reacting to - theft.	
	• Rob Lopresti, Government Information Librarian, Western Washington University	
4:00	Agency Update: United States Copyright Office	Jackson
	 Melissa Dadant, Chief, Receipt Analysis and Control, United States Copyright Office Ted Hirakawa, Assistant Chief, Literary Division, United States Copyright Office 	
4:00	LSCM Operational Open Forum	Commonwealth
	Questions and discussion with GPO staff.	
4:45-5:30	Demystifying Digital Deposit: What It Is and What It Could Do for the Future of the FDLP	Wilson/Harrison
	What does it mean to be a depository library in the digital age? The term "digital depository" has been defined as everything from a library that points to FDsys to a library that offers reference service but which has no collections. Are libraries without collections the best we can do in the digital age? A better definition of "digital depository" is a library that accepts digital files distributed by the GPO and builds its own unique digital collections that in conjunction with its physical collections meets the needs of its users. With this definition in mind this presentation will introduce attendees to the concept of "digital deposit" will map out the pieces of the FDLP cloud (http://www.scribd.com/doc/19242370/FDLP-Cloud) and what it could do for the future of the FDLP.	
	 Rebecca Blakeley, Government Documents Dept. Head, McNeese State University, Lake Charles, LA James A. Jacobs, Data Services Librarian Emeritus, University of California San Diego (participating "virtually" via Skype) 	

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5:30	Council Working Session	Crystal Ballroom A-B	
	Attendees are welcome to observe council discussions.		
6:30	Adjourn		

7:00-9:00 Regional Meeting

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WEDNESDAY OCT. 21

8:00	Coffee with Council	Crystal Ballroom C
8:30	Council Session: Master Plan for Increasing Expert Knowledge of Government Information	Crystal Ballroom A-B
	Join the Depository Library Council's discussion of training and education needs that will enable us all to provide better service to our communities. What do you need? How do you want it delivered?	
	• Cynthia Etkin, Senior Program Planning Specialist, GPO	
8:30 - 9:15	How to Train the Non-Government Docs Librarian in Government Information	Wilson/Harrison
	Services are being consolidated in most all libraries. This session will focus on training the Non-Government Documents Librarian to offer basic government information reference. We will discuss easy access to tangible and electronic materials for all librarians, not just the few who "know where that book is located!"	
	• Antoinette W. Satterfield, Government Resources Librarian, Kansas State University	
8:30 - 9:15	FDLP: Staying or Leaving? Why We Don't Have to Make the Choice	Jackson
	Depository libraries face challenges of staying in or perhaps leaving the federal depository program in part as a result of demands to reduce depository collection space due to severe budget cuts, limited staffing and the shortage of space. Mercer University's Jack Tarver Library depository recently initiated many reforms and changes in managing and maintaining its depository collections and services to cope with library-wide changes and reorganizations. This presentation will introduce practical strategies with an emphasis on identifying methods of changing a tangible collection into a more electronic collection without any disruption in service. The issue of reducing the tangible depository collection will be analyzed and steps to effectively combine weeding and dropping items will be discussed. Experience of seeking support from your library administrators through highlighting the value and benefits of participating in the FDLP program will also be shared. The future plan to promote the use of government information and to effectively manage the electronic collection will be provided.	
	• Liya Deng, Government Documents Librarian, Mercer University	

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8:30	 The Good, The Bad And The Ugly of Integrated Collections This panel discussion will look at various aspects of the integrated documents, whether the integration is partial or total. Cataloging of documents for integration, patron access, maintaining records in the OPAC, and promotion of documents within an integrated collection will be discussed. The advantages and disadvantages of integrated collections for public and academic libraries will be discussed as well. Jane Canfield, Coordinator Federal Government Documents, Pontificia Universidad Catolica Andrea Craley, Government Documents Specialist, Hartford Community College Library, Bel Air, MD Mary Paige Smith, Associate Director for Technical Services, Nova Southeastern University, Law Library and Technology Center, Fort Lauderdale, FL 	Commonwealth
9:15 – 10:00	 Web 2.0 and Depository Web Sites A Winning Combination <i>Find out how you can incorporate Web 2.0 elements, such as delicious tag clouds and bookmarks, IM widgets, and RSS news feeds into your depository web site. Incorporating Web 2.0 technology into your depository web site is simple and provides benefits in terms of site maintenance, promotion of resources and services, and content management.</i> Peter Thayer, Reference & Access Services Librarian, Marietta College 	Wilson/Harrison
9:15 – 10:00	 Finding Grants: A Winning Opportunity for Communities, Universities, and Individuals to Work Together Grant research is an important service for everyone, especially during this economic crisis. Teaching patrons what is available is imperative with job cuts at all levels and areas and project funding disappearing within institutional budgets. There are many resources through the Federal government for individuals, groups, and institutions and through other databases such as the Foundation Center Online for Non-Profit grants, to help find funding opportunities. This presentation will show and discuss how libraries are helping in the grant researching process and how they are developing relationships with not only universities and students, but communities, groups, and to future alumni. This presentation is a true collaboration; bringing patrons' thoughts and ideas, and changing them into grants. Victoria Lynn Packard, Associate Professor Government Information/Map/Reference & Instruction Librarian, Texas A&M University-Kingsville Kirsten Clark, Government Information and Regional Depository Librarian, University of Minnesota 	Jackson
10:00	Break	
10:30	Council Plenary Session: Council Recommendations, Plans for Remainder of 2009 and 2010	Crystal Ballroom A-B
12:00	Adjourn	

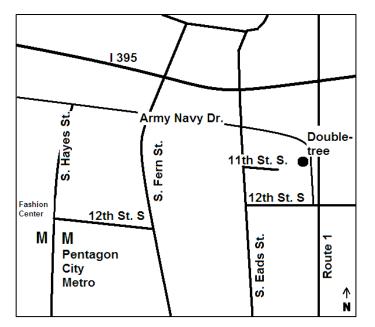
	CRYSTAL BALLROOM A-B	WILSON/HARRISON	JACKSON	COMMONWEALTH
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4:45	and Discard			
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9:15	Program Grant	Web 2.0 and Depository Web Sites	Finding Grants	Collections
10:30	Council Recommendations			
12:00	Adjourn			
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Getting to the Doubletree Hotel By Shuttle Bus from Pentagon City Metro

The Doubletree has a free shuttle bus that runs every half hour on the half hour. When exiting the Metro, turn left at the end of the hallway and take the escalator to street level. The Doubletree bus will pick up passengers near the Metro bus stop on the west side of S. Hayes St., next to the Fashion Center at Pentagon City.

Walking

From the Pentagon City Metro exit, head north on S Hayes St. toward Army Navy Dr. Turn right at Army Navy Dr. and follow it to the Doubletree Hotel on the right. Distance is approximately a half mile, about a 10 minute walk.



Driving, Parking

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Doubletree Hotel Meeting Rooms

