FDLP Community Forum (Beta Release)

Join the community and stay in touch with fellow Federal depository librarians with the FDLP Community Forum. Through threaded discussions, this Web-based discussion board allows you to collaborate and share information on-line. These are just a few examples of the potential of this new FDLP Desktop community feature :

- Get advice from colleagues on how to manage your collections.
- Share ideas with colleagues on how to better organize library events.
- Coordinate plans for the next DLC conference.
- Provide feedback to GPO on FDLP-related projects (e.g., Library Handbook).
- Create your own subgroup and use our collaborative features to share information.

The FDLP Community Forum integrates seamlessly with the FDLP Desktop. Just login with your FDLP Desktop user name and password and join the community discussion.

Join the Community

The Spring DLC Meeting provides an advanced look at this new application. The URL for the forum will be released at the official public beta release, which is a few weeks away. The FDLP Desktop will announce the release. In the meantime, here is a glance at some of the site's features:
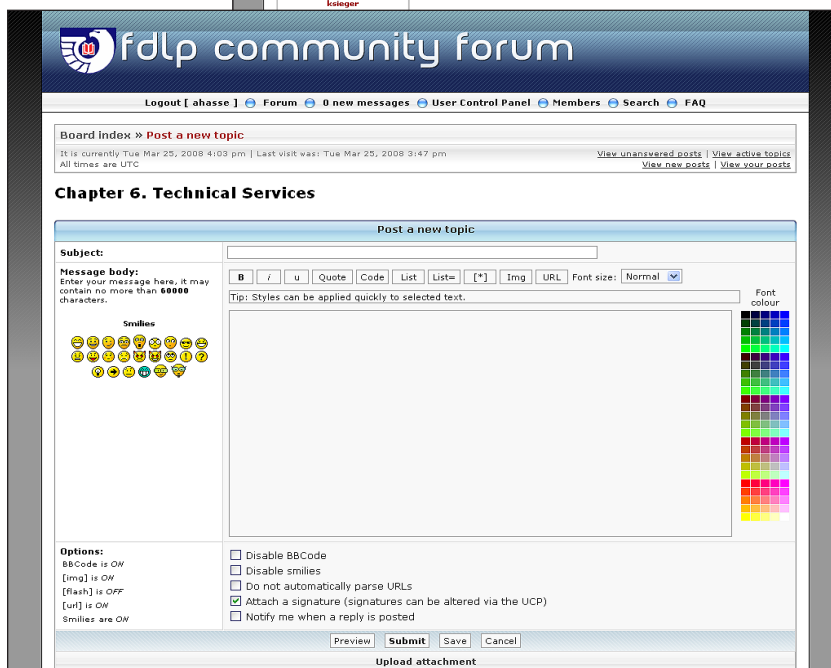
- Subscribe to threads and receive an email notification when your selected thread is active.

- Keep useful threads handy by bookmarking them. Bookmarks are stored within your profile for easy access anywhere.

- Search by keyword, within specific categories, by author, and much more.
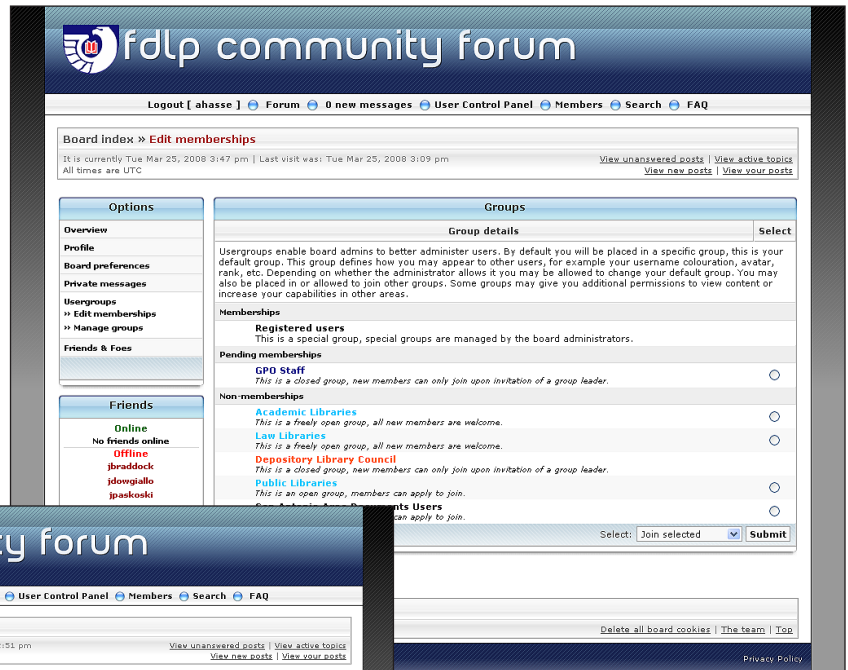
Manage your forum group memberships.

Watch your subscribed topics.

- Add your personality to the forum through your profile, avatar, and custom signature.

- Use the WYSIWYG editor to post messages and include formatting, such as bold, colors, and smilees.

- Create mini-polls, attach files, and add images to posts.

Add new topics.