

Calendar

The following continuing education activities and meetings have been listed with ACRL's Continuing Education Clearinghouse. If your organization is sponsoring an activity that you think may be of interest to ACRL members, please send the pertinent details to the ACRL Office, 50 E. Huron St., Chicago, IL 60611.

June

23-25—Indexing: "Indexing in Perspective," seminar, National Federation of Abstracting and Indexing Services (NFAIS); Sheraton Inn—Denver Airport, Denver, Colorado. Fee: \$295 (\$245 for NFAIS members). Contact: NFAIS, 112 S. 16th St., Philadelphia, PA 19102; (215) 563-2406.

30—July 4—Media: Media Equipment Management, short course, Graduate School of Librarianship and Information Management, University of Denver, Denver, Colorado. Contact: Anne Mathews, Graduate School of Librarianship and Information Management, University of Denver, University Park, Denver, CO 80208; (303) 753-2557.

July

7-18—Book Repair: Basic Book Restoration, Document & Archive Repair, course, Capricornus School of Bookbinding & Restoration; Berkeley, California. Fee: \$300. Contact: Capricornus, P.O. Box 98, Berkeley, CA 94701; (415) 658-7930 or 843-7860.

10-11—Audiovisual: "Planning and Producing Slide/Tape Presentations," School of Library and Information Science, Drexel University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Fee: \$130. Contact: Director, Office of Continuing Professional Education, Drexel University, 32d and Chestnut Sts., Philadelphia, PA 19104; (215) 895-2153.

11-12—Automation: "Online Systems and Library Management," institute, University of Rhode Island Graduate Library School, Kingston, Rhode Island. Fee: \$90. Contact: Stewart P. Schneider, Graduate Library School, Rodman Hall, University of Rhode Island, Kingston, RI 02881; (401) 792-2947.

11—August 14—Britain: British Books and Library Systems, six-semester-hour course, Texas Woman's University School of Library Science;

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18—AACR 2: "*The Anglo-American Cataloguing Rules*, 2d ed."; School of Library and Information Science, Drexel University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Fee: \$45. Contact: See July 10-11 entry.

18—August 23—Library Institute: Summer library institute at the University of California, Santa Cruz. Institute programs will include "Brittle Books," July 18-19; "Bibliomania," July 25-27; "Preservation of Photographs," August 1-2; "Government Publications," August 8-9; "New Careers for Librarians," August 16; "Conservation," August 18-19; "Rare Book Conservation," August 20-22; and "The Supervisor's Role in Academic Libraries," August 22-23. Contact: University of California Extension, Santa Cruz, CA 95064; (408) 429-4534.

21-26—Careers: "Career Alternatives in Librarianship," workshop, Kent State University School of Library Science, Kent, Ohio. Contact: A. Robert Rogers, Dean, School of Library Science, Kent State University, Kent, OH 44242.

21—August 1—Special Collections: The In-House Collection Survey, course, Capricornus School

of Bookbinding; Berkeley, California. Fee: \$300. Contact: See July 7-18 entry.

24—August 13—Cataloging: Problems and Developments in Cataloging and Classification, course, McGill University Graduate School of Library Science, Montreal, Quebec. Fee: \$57 for Canadians and landed immigrants; \$150 for non-Canadians. Contact: Graduate School of Library Science, McGill University, 3459 McTavish St., Montreal, PQ H3A 1Y1, Canada; (514) 392-5947.

28—August 8—Federal Library Resources: "Eighth Annual Institute on Federal Library Resources," Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C. Tuition: \$335; three hours' course credit available. Contact: Director of Continuing Education, Catholic University of America, Washington, DC 20064; (202) 635-5085.

August

4-8—AACR 2: "*Anglo-American Cataloguing Rules*, 2d ed.," workshop; College of Library and Information Services, University of Maryland, College Park. Contact: Jean Diepenbrock, College of Library and Information Services, University of Maryland, College Park, MD 20742; (301) 454-3016.

4-8—Legal Responsibilities: "Legal Responsibili-



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ties of the Library and Information Manager," institute, Department of Library Science, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Fee: \$150. Deadline: July 7. Contact: William Z. Nasri, School of Library and Information Science, Room 604 LIS Building, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA 15260.

5-11—Management: "Executive Development Program for Library Administrators," seminar, School of Business Administration, Miami University, Oxford, Ohio. Fee: \$295; includes room and meals. Contact: Director, Center for Management Services, School of Business Administration, Miami University, Oxford, OH 45056; (513) 529-4129.

10-14—Book Trade: "The Out-of-Print and Antiquarian Book Market," seminar/workshop, Graduate School of Librarianship and Information Management, University of Denver, Denver, Colorado. Fee: \$215. Contact: See June 30-July 4 entry.

11-12—Micrographics: "Introduction to Micrographics," seminar, School of Information Studies, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York. Fee: \$405 undergraduate tuition, \$450 graduate tuition. Contact: Office of the Dean, School of Information Studies, Syracuse University, 113 Euclid Ave., Syracuse, NY 13210; (315) 423-2911.

September

4-5—Serials: "Automated Serials Control," institute, Library and Information Technology Association, ALA; Pfister Hotel, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Contact: LITA/ALA, 50 E. Huron St., Chicago, IL 60611; (312) 944-6780, ext. 302.

9-11—Micrographics: National Micrographics Association Conference, Shoreham Americana, Washington, D.C. Theme: "Integrated Systems Expo '80." Contact: National Micrographics Association, 8719 Colesville Rd., Silver Spring, MD 20910; (301) 587-8202.

25-27—Public Relations: "Library Public Relations: A Total Commitment," workshops, Graduate School of Librarianship and Information Management, University of Denver, Denver, Colorado. Contact: See June 30-July 4 entry.

October

5-10—ASIS: Forty-third Annual Meeting of the American Society for Information Science (ASIS), Disneyland Hotel, Anaheim, California. Theme: "Communicating Information." Contact: Edward Kazlauskas, Conference Chair, School of Library Science, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA 90007.

6-7—Automation: "Library Automation and Facility Planning," workshop, Aaron Cohen Associates; San Francisco, California. Other workshops will be held on October 16-17 in New York City and February 12-13, 1981, in

Miami, Florida. Contact: Aaron Cohen Associates, Teatown Rd., Croton-on-Hudson, NY 10520.

23-25—Energy: "Library Space Utilization and Problems of Energy Conservation," Graduate School of Librarianship and Information Management, University of Denver, Denver, Colorado. Contact: See June 30-July 4 entry.

25—Bibliographic Instruction: Bibliographic instruction workshop, University of Rhode Island Graduate Library School, Kingston, Rhode Island. Fee: \$35. Contact: Stewart P. Schneider, Graduate Library School, Rodman Hall, University of Rhode Island, Kingston, RI 02881.

31-November 1—Poetry: Toronto Editorial Problems Conference 1980: "Editing Poetry from Spenser to Dryden." Contact: Desmond Neil, Librarian, Massey College, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON M5S-1A5, Canada.

November

9-12—Technology: Critical Issues Conference Eleven, "Information Futures"; Tucson, Arizona. Theme: "Library/Information-Service Technologies: Promises of the '70's, Prospects of the '80's." Contact: CIC-11 Registrar, Information Futures, 2217 College Sta., Pullman, WA 99163; (509) 332-5726. ■■

Thefts of Books and MSS

An Ad Hoc Committee on Security established by the Rare Books and Manuscripts Section (RBMS) is now compiling information about recent thefts of valuable books and manuscripts from libraries, archives, and booksellers.

The committee will also explore existing procedures for theft alert and recovery and work toward the development of guidelines for libraries and antiquarian bookselling firms.

Terry Belanger (assistant dean, School of Library Service, Columbia University, New York, NY 10027) asks persons with recent experience of a theft (or attempted theft) to send him any published or other available information about the theft. All information provided will be kept confidential.

Other members of the ad hoc committee are Thomas D. Burney (Library of Congress), Peter Hanff (University of California, Berkeley), Carolyn Harris (University of Texas at Austin), Paul S. Koda (University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill), Daniel Traister (New York Public Library), and David Zeidberg (George Washington University).