

May 2010

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ICFL / WebJunction

May 13 @ 1 p.m. Mountain | 12 p.m. Pacific: Organization 2.0

How do organizations need to be structured to successfully implement 2.0 initiatives? Why do so many 2.0 initiatives fail? Explore what it takes for libraries to implement 2.0 technologies successfully and what common mistakes/pitfalls to avoid. [Register now!](#)

May 26 @ 3 p.m. Mountain / 2 p.m. Pacific: Mission Critical: Services to Spanish Speakers

Now more than ever, programs for Spanish speakers at libraries around the country are seeing record attendance and positive feedback from participants. Come hear practical, successful examples of library services targeted to new immigrants, including English Language Learning (ELL), computer instruction, children's concurrent programming, Life Skills workshops and resources, GED workshops, family literacy programming, and how to successfully communicate with library decision-makers, staff, community leaders and officials. [Register Now!](#)

Idaho Regional WebJunction Idaho Workshops!! Register Today! Your Library May Be Eligible to Earn a FlipCam by Attending!!

Idaho Commission for Libraries will be providing a full day of hands on activities working with WebJunction Idaho at seven sites throughout Idaho. If you have been procrastinating, this is your chance to learn about navigating the site, social networking tools, and continuing education opportunities -- all of which are available to you at no cost via WebJunction Idaho. WebJunction Idaho offers the opportunity to connect with other librarians throughout the world as well as discover valuable tools to assist in your daily workflow. The morning and afternoon sessions will each be different -- you may choose to attend either or both sessions.

AM: Mining for Information in WebJunction Idaho: 9 AM - 12 PM [AGENDA](#)

PM: The Potential of Self-Directed Learning: 1 PM - 4 PM [AGENDA](#)

Training Sites include **Boise, Caldwell, Blackfoot, Post Falls, Burley, Gooding, and Lewiston.**

To Register click: <http://libraries.idaho.gov/webjunction>

Note: While computer seating is limited at some sites, wifi is available so you are welcome to bring your laptop and participate.

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College of DuPage: April Archive Link: "Technology Trends in Libraries" teleconference:

<http://www.dupagepress.com/index.php?id=4256>

Idaho Commission for Libraries

For more information on training go to the Continuing Education page of the Idaho Commission for Libraries website: <http://libraries.idaho.gov/landing/continuing-education>

InfoPeople

Tuesday, May 4, 2010, 12 pm – 1:00 pm PDT; 2:00 pm MDT

George and Joan on Successful Middle Management. For more information and to participate in the May 4 webinar, go to http://infopeople.org/training/webcasts/webcast_data/365/index.html

Recommended for library directors, middle managers or anyone with supervisory responsibilities.

May 25

CORE Reference Fundamentals <http://infopeople.org/workshop/424>

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May 19, 12 pm – 1:00 pm PDT; 1 PM – 2 PM MDT

Digital Photo Management for Libraries

For more information and to participate, go to

http://infopeople.org/training/webcasts/webcast_data/350/index.html

June 1: *Getting Drupal off the Ground* <http://infopeople.org/workshop/451>

Amigos

May 10 & 17, 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 p.m. MDT : *Tools for the Reference Desk*

Register at <http://bit.ly/2EH5Eq>

May 11 - 14, 9:30 a.m. - 11:30 p.m. MDT: *Project Management for Digital Imaging*

Register at <http://bit.ly/21mWOc>

Lyrasis -- <http://www.lyrasis.org/Classes-and-Events/Search.aspx> (BCR and Lyrasis have recently merged services. Idaho library community is eligible to register for Lyrasis courses as members)

May 11

FRBR, FRAD and FRISAD: A New Model for Cataloging

Turning Community Partnerships into Dollars

Mass Digitization Collaborative Information Session

Managing Student Assistants in Academic Libraries

Making the Most of Social Bookmarking in Your Library

RFID in the Library

Government Resources on the Web and Beyond

Status Discarded: The Who, What, When, Where and How of Weeding

May 12:

Online Cataloging Resources and Tools

Interactive Information Literacy Teaching Methods

20 Questions: Education Resources

Drupal: Beyond the Basic

Cataloging for Non-Catalogers

May 13:

Historical and Inspirational Fiction Reader's Advisory: More than Wagon Trains

Web Tools for Reference Librarians: Widgets and Toolbars

Green Your Operations 15 Ways

May 18:

Collaborating with Faculty in Information Literacy Programs

Classroom Management for Librarians

Getting Graphic: Sequential Art

Basic Surveys for Librarians

OCLC/Library Journal

May 20: 11 AM – 2 PM (MDT) *The future is mobile. Is your library ready?* [More Information and](#)

[Registration](#): The future of information services and mobile technology is tightly intertwined.

That's why OCLC and Library Journal have come together to present a free online symposium on the future of mobile. Join our panel of mobile industry experts and librarians to find out how upcoming mobile trends will impact your library, your users and our culture.

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Nebraska Library Commission -- [Register and Discover Archive Links](#)

May 5: *Great Summer Reading Program Reads with Sally Snyder*

The Summer Reading Program theme for 2010 is "Make a Splash - READ!". Join Sally Snyder, the NLC's Coordinator of Children and Young Adult Library Services, as she presents book reviews on this year's theme.

May 12: *Cataloging with RDA: An Overview*

Resource Description and Access (RDA), the cataloging standard developed to replace AACR2, will be released in June 2010, and a period of testing and evaluation of the new rules will begin. Join Emily Nimsakont, the NLC's Cataloging Librarian, to learn the basics of RDA. Topics of discussion will include the goals and basic concepts of RDA, ways in which the new rules will differ from the current rules, and changes to MARC format related to RDA.

June 23: *Communication--Getting the Word Out: Does your audience hear what you mean?*

The library has a lot to offer, as a provider of information and entertainment, and as a partner in the cultural, economic, and civic life of the community. But it can be difficult to compose the message and to find channels to deliver it that will make sure that the message gets through. Mary Jo Ryan, Nebraska Library Commission Communications Coordinator will offer some techniques for improving communications with the community.

Other Tools

Highly Recommended Resource: Study Guides and Strategies: <http://www.studygs.net/index.htm>

Not Free But Good Training:

RUSA Summer Schedule (Reference and Readers Advisory):

<http://rusa.ala.org/blog/2010/03/30/onlinece-sprinsummer2010/>

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[Cost Effective Staff Training through ALA](#)