

"The Millennials: Facilitating a Library Environment that works for the NET Generation"

Friday, March 10, 2006

8:30 am-2:30 pm

Morningside College

Sioux City, Iowa

- ❖ Please join us for the annual IPAL conference! We'll spend the morning discussing this generation of students, "The Millennials" and our role in creating a library environment that works for, not against student learning. A delicious buffet lunch will be followed by updates from State Librarian Mary Wegner, and Timothy Heiges, Regional Sales Manager from EBSCO Publishing. We will conclude the day with our annual business meeting.
- ❖ Those arriving on Thursday evening are invited to join fellow librarians and deans at a local restaurant followed by desserts and coffee at the Hickman-Johnson-Furrow Learning Center's new Spoonholder Café. Information about the dinner is on the registration form.
- ❖ Please share this information with your staff, especially those who might not subscribe to the IPAL-L listserv.
- ❖ For more info, go to <http://www.ipalgroup.org/2006ipal.html>
- ❖ Guest Speaker, Dr. Scott Bennett, Librarian Emeritus, Yale University. Prior readings and more information: <http://www.libraryspaceplanning.com/>

Iowa Private Academic Libraries
Morningside College, Sioux City, Iowa
10 March 2006

Conference Schedule

- 8:30-9:00 Registration and coffee/rolls in Lincoln Center – Main Lobby
- 9:00-9:15 Welcome by President and Academic Dean / Lincoln Center Auditorium
- 9:15-10:00 Introduction and presentation by Dr. Scott Bennett
- “The Choice for Learning”
 - Dr. Bennett will identify three significant obstacles to receiving a better return on our investment in library space.
- 10:00-10:30 Break – Lincoln Center—Main Lobby
- 10:30-11:45 Dr. Scott Bennett facilitating/ Lincoln Center Auditorium
- "First Questions for Designing Learning Space."
 - Group work (six teams)*
- 11:45-12:15 Panel reaction/Concluding comments and thoughts
- Joyce Meldrem , Loras College; James Kapoun, Waldorf College; Jill Gremmels, Wartburg College; Rod Henshaw, Drake University
- 12:15-1:00 Lunch / Olsen Student Center – Randolph Room
- 1:00 -1:30 Update from Mary Wegner followed by EBSCO rep., Tim Heiges, Randolph Room, Olsen Student Center. (Deans will be excused following Mary Wegner’s update.)
- 1:30-2:30 Annual Business Meeting, Randolph Room, Olsen Student Center
- 1:15-2:30 Dr. Bennett will meet with the deans and provosts in the Hickman Dining Room, Olsen Student Center
- 2:30 pm Refreshments and cookies for the road, Olsen Student Center lounge

Drive safely!

Tours of the newly remodeled *Hickman-Johnson-Furrow Learning Center* are available before and after the conference. Contact Daria Bossman if interested.

*** 10:30 a.m. FIRST QUESTIONS FOR DESIGNING LEARNING SPACE**

Jeanne Narum, Director of Project Kaleidoscope, argues that "questions about the nature of the educational experience [that is desired in a given renovation or construction project] . . . are questions that must be asked first and asked persistently throughout the [planning] process." In this session, conference participants will explore with one another how they would answer six "first questions" with regard to the design of an information commons at a hypothetical baccalaureate college.

The six "first questions" are posed in a draft paper by Scott Bennett, available at his Web site: <http://www.libraryspaceplanning.com> under the "*Current Projects*" tab. Those attending the IPAL conference are urged to read this paper **before** coming to Sioux City.

Conference Readings: Specifications for hypothetical learning commons are available for review at: <http://www.ipalgroup.org>

Copies of these specifications will also be available at the IPAL conference. A summary of the issues involved in each of the six "first questions" will be available at the conference for the members of the six groups considering one each of the questions.

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Business Meeting Agenda

Call to Order Daria Bossman

Approval of Minutes of March 16, 2005 Meeting (see attached minutes)

Treasurer's Report given by Linda Scarth

Old Business: By-Law Change/Online Voting
 EBSCO Late Fee
 IPAL History

New Business: *OCLC WorldCat Analysis*
 Elections (see attached Nominating Committee Report for slate)

Reports: IPAL Stats- Jim Kennedy

Other Business

Recognition of Service IPAL Steering Committee members
 IPAL Retirees

Announcements New IPAL Directors
 Librarians new to IPAL

Welcome to New Chair Richard Doyle, Coe College

Adjournment

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Nominating Committee Report

Slate of Officers for 2006-2007

Vice-Chair/Chair Elect: Mary Heinzman, St. Ambrose University

Secretary/Treasurer: Linda Scarth, Mount Mercy College

Steering Committee: Karen Lehmann, Wartburg College
Liz Grimsbo, Simpson College

Continuing Members

Chair: Richard Doyle, Coe College – continuing for 2 years (1 year as chair; 1 year as past-chair)

Past Chair: Daria Bossman, Morningside College—continuing for 1 year

Steering Committee: Nancy Carroll, Clarke College ---continuing for 1 year
Joyce Meldrem, Loras College---continuing for 1 year

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By-Laws Change as if November 2005

Officers of the Consortium

Section 4.01. Designation and Election. The Members shall elect the officers of the Consortium which shall consist of a chairperson, a vice-chairperson, and a secretary-treasurer and such other officers and assistant officers as may from time to time be determined by the membership. The officers shall be elected from representatives of the membership at the annual meeting, and shall serve for a term of one year ~~from June 1 through May 31~~ ***effective upon the conclusion of the annual business meeting.*** A nominating committee appointed by the steering committee shall submit a slate of nominees to the membership. The list of those nominated for officers shall be made known to the membership at least two weeks prior to the annual meeting of the Members. The officers of the Consortium may be re-elected. The Members by a two-thirds majority shall have the right at any time to remove any one or more of the officers with or without cause.

Minutes
Iowa Private Academic Libraries
Annual Meeting
Wed. March 16, 2005
Dordt College, Sioux Center, Iowa

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The meeting was called to order by Sheryl Taylor.

The Minutes of the March 24, 2004 meetings were approved.

The treasurer reported \$3629.03 in checking, \$9.45 in savings and \$2094.29 in the money market acct. for a total \$5,732.77.

Old Business:

The EBSCO database contract was discussed. Linda Scarth asked that member libraries encourage their college business offices to pay promptly as EBSCO starts expecting payments. Kevin will be asked to negotiate a longer grace period while IPAL collects the money to pay. If payments are not received by IPAL so that we can pay EBSCO by the required date, then a late fee will be assessed.

The steering committee reported that the \$100 annual IPAL assessment for member libraries will be included on the same invoice as the EBSCO payments.

Sheryl Taylor reported on the history of the recent ICF grant application. The project was led by John Pollitz. The library part of the project was well produced. Member institutions did not have adequate plans for the computer technology portion so the grant application was rejected.

New Business:

The IPAL web site was described. Member institutions are encouraged to use it. The URL is <http://www.ipalgroup.org>. The login is: libraries and the password is: 34ipals.

The steering committee reported on their meeting with the State Library Staff. It was a useful exchange of ideas and information.

The nominating committee presented its slate of steering committee members for the coming year. The vice-chair/chair elect is Richard Doyle of Coe College. The secretary-treasurer is Linda Scarth of Mount Mercy College. Committee members are Nancy Carroll of Clarke College and Joyce Meldrem of Loras College. The slate was approved.

Continuing members of the steering committee are: Daria Bossman, 2005/06 chair of Morningside College, Sheryl Taylor, past chair of Dordt College, and members, Julie Hansen of William Penn College and Mary Heinzman of St. Ambrose University.

The by-laws change was not able to be voted on because of the lack of the necessary quorum. Another attempt will be made at the ILA-ACRL meeting in Ames in May.

The Consortial Purchasing Coordinator position was discussed. Attendees received a printed description. (see attached)

It was mentioned that IPAL could widen its purchasing consortia to include Community Colleges. No action was taken.

The Iowa Virtual Reference Desk Project was briefly discussed. There is mixed interest in such an endeavor.

Daria Bossman was welcomed as the new chair. She announced the date of the 2006 meeting – March 10 at Morningside College in Sioux City.

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Linda L. Scarth

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Local Hotel Information

Days Inn

3000 Singing Hills Blvd.
Sioux City, IA 51106
(712) 258-8000
(800) 329-7466

Comfort Inn at Southern Hills Mall

4202 S. Lakeport St.
Sioux City, IA 51106
(712) 274-1300
(800) 228-5150

Fairfield Inn

4716 Southern Hills Dr.
Sioux City, IA 51106
(712) 276-5600
(800) 228-2800

Baymont Inn

101 Singing Hills Blvd.
Sioux City, IA 51106
(712) 233-2302
(800) 301-0200

Holiday Inn Express

4230 Lakeport St.
Sioux City, IA 51106
(712) 274-1400
(800) 465-4329

Marina Inn

4th and B St.
South Sioux City, NE 68776
(402) 494-4000
(800) 798-7980

Directions to Morningside College

Directions to Campus

The campus of Morningside College is located at 1501 Morningside Avenue in Sioux City, Iowa; off Interstate Hwy 29, 90 miles north of Omaha, NE, and 75 miles south of Sioux Falls, SD.

Driving North on I-29::

- Follow I-29 and take exit #144A "Highway 20 – East Fort Dodge Exit".
- Follow **Hwy. 20** until you see the 1st exit, **Lakeport Road**. Take this exit.
- At the stoplight turn left on **South Lakeport Road**.
- Stay on **South Lakeport Road** approx. 2 miles and through 7 stoplights. At the 8th stoplight turn left on **Morningside Ave.**
- Go approx. 5 blocks. You will want to merge into the right lane. Just past McDonalds, **Morningside Ave.** turns to the right. Follow **Morningside Ave.** to the second stoplight (approx. 3 blocks).
- Turn left on **Peters Ave.** You will then see the campus entrance to your left.

Driving South on I-29:

- Follow **I-29** (move to right lane) and take exit #147B – Business Hwy 20/Gordon Drive.
- At the stop sign at the end of the exit ramp, take a right onto **Busn. 20 East/Gordon Drive**.
- Follow **Busn. 20 East/Gordon Drive** through 2 stoplights and cross the viaduct.
- At the end of the viaduct, exit right on **So. Lewis Blvd.**
- Follow **Lewis Blvd.** south to the **Transit Ave.** exit.
- At the end of the exit ramp, turn left at the stoplight. Go under the bridge and turn right at the stoplight onto **Transit Ave.** Stay on this road for just over a mile until you reach the 2nd stoplight.
- Turn left onto **Morningside Ave.**
- Follow **Morningside Ave.** to the second stoplight (approx. 3 blocks).
- Turn left on **Peters Ave.** You will then see the campus entrance to your left.

Driving North on Highway 75:

- From **Hwy. 75**, take the **Transit Ave.** exit.
- Turn right at the stop sign.
- At the stoplight, turn right onto **Transit Ave.** Stay on this road for just over a mile until you reach the 2nd stoplight. Turn left at the stoplight onto **Morningside Ave.**
- Follow **Morningside Ave.** to the second stoplight (approx. 3 blocks).
- Turn left on **Peters Ave.** You will then see the campus entrance to your left.

DRIVING SOUTH ON HIGHWAY 75:

- Follow **Highway 75 – S. Sioux City** bypass.
- Take **Exit 93 – Ft. Dodge-Gordon Dr.**
- At the stop sign turn right. [Follow **Busn. 20** into Sioux City]. You will pass K-Mart and Menards. Merge into the left lane and go 1.5 miles or to the 4th stoplight and turn left on **Stone Ave.** (Burger King will be on the right side of the street.)

- Follow **Stone Ave.** for 6 blocks to the first stop sign. Turn left at the stop sign onto **Morningside Ave.** Continue on **Morningside Ave.** for 3 blocks to the 2nd stoplight.
- At the 2nd stoplight turn right on **Peters Ave.** The entrance to campus is on your left.

Driving West on Highway 20:

- Follow **Business Hwy 20** into Sioux City. You will pass K-mart and Menards (merge into left lane). Follow **Busn. 20/Gordon Drive** until you reach the 4th stoplight at which you will turn left onto **Stone Ave.** (Burger King will be on the right-hand side.)
- Follow **Stone Ave.** approx. 6 blocks until you reach the first stop sign. Turn left at the stop sign onto **Morningside Ave.**
- You will continue on **Morningside Ave.** for approx. 3 blocks until you reach the 2nd stoplight.
- Turn right at the second stoplight on **Peters Ave.** You will then see the campus entrance to your left.

Driving East on Highway 20 (from Nebraska):

- Follow **Hwy 20** into Iowa to exit #1 **Lakeport Road.** Take this exit.
- At the stoplight turn left on **South Lakeport Road.**
- Stay on **South Lakeport Road** approx. 2 miles and through 7 stoplights. At the 8th stoplight turn left on **Morningside Ave.**
- Go approx. 5 blocks. You will want to merge into the right lane. Just past McDonalds, **Morningside Ave.** turns to the right. Follow **Morningside Ave.** to the second stoplight (approx. 3 blocks).
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Morningside College campus

Sioux City is located in the northwest corner of Iowa.

Once here, parking is available in any of our campus parking lots. However, the most convenient parking might be in the lot behind Lincoln and Olsen off of VINE Street (behind the Dairy Queen which is on Morningside Avenue). The Hickman-Johnson-Furrow Learning Center (library) is located in the center of campus facing Morningside Avenue.

Registration will take place in the Lincoln Center on Peters Avenue (parking off Vine).