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Announcements

Minitex Staff at Fall Conferences

Sara Ring, Minitex/BATS

Staff from the Bibliographic and Technical Services (BATS) Unit, the Minitex director, Bill DeJohn, and Minitex Resource Sharing staff will be attending and presenting at fall conferences in South Dakota, North Dakota, and Minnesota. As this year is the Minitex 40th Anniversary (1971-2011), we'll also be sponsoring a break at each state conference. Help us celebrate 40 years of collaboration by visiting us at a session, celebration, or our Minitex booth. See below for the full schedule.

North Dakota Library Association Annual Conference, Minot, September 21-24, 2011

RDA: Walking through the New Cataloging Code
(Preconference)
Presented by: Mark Ehlert
Wednesday, Sept. 21, 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.
The Library of Congress has agreed to employ the Resource Description and Access (RDA) guidelines beginning next year. With this change from AACR2 comes the requisite training and orientation catalogers require to fully exploit the new cataloging rules. This pre-conference session will introduce experienced catalogers to some of the finer points of RDA, concentrating on the general process of describing library resources and applying access points. Opportunities for hands-on exercises and discussion will be provided.

September 21-24 Grand International Inn Minot, ND

40 Years of Collaboration: Minitex and North Dakota Libraries Then and Now
Presented by: Bill DeJohn and Minitex staff
Friday, Sept.23, 10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.

For some attendees, this will be a stroll down memory lane, while for others, it may be a glimpse into the distant past. As part of the Minitex 40th anniversary celebration, we'll share fun resources we've pulled together, like a timeline, oral history interviews with founders and other movers and shakers, and then-and-now images, to address questions like: How did Minitex come to be? What has collaboration via Minitex looked like and meant for North Dakota libraries over the years? What is the status of Minitex services today and going forward? Join us to celebrate all that we have accomplished together over these past 40

years.

Cataloging, OCLC, and Minitex: Past, Present, and Future
Presented by: Mark Wilhelmi and Mark Ehlert
Friday, Sept. 23, 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

This year marks 40 years of collaboration between Minitex and participating libraries! We'll reflect on how things have changed in cataloging, OCLC, and your libraries since 1971 and look at how far we've come! As we return to the present, Minitex BATS staff will review current and upcoming cataloging and OCLC product and service enhancements and discuss possible ways you can save time or money in your cataloging workflow. This portion will also include information about the decision to implement Resource Description and Access (RDA) by the Library of Congress. We will share tips on how to prepare and implement RDA at your own institution and discuss training opportunities in the region.

In addition, join us on Thursday (Sept. 23) afternoon during the break for a Minitex 40th Anniversary celebration. The complete NDLA Annual Conference schedule can be found at:

http://ndla.info/Conference/11conf.htm

South Dakota Library Association Annual Conference, Spearfish, October 5-7, 2011

40 Years of Collaboration: Minitex and South Dakota Libraries Then and Now
Presented by: Bill DeJohn and Minitex staff
Thursday, Oct. 6, 1:40 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

For some attendees, this will be a stroll down memory lane, while for others, it may be a glimpse into the distant past. As part of the Minitex 40th anniversary celebration, we'll share fun resources we've pulled together, like a timeline, oral history interviews with founders and other movers and shakers, and then-and-now images, to address questions like: How did Minitex come to be? What has collaboration via Minitex looked like and meant for South Dakota libraries over the years? What is the status of Minitex services today and going forward? Join us to celebrate all that we have accomplished together over these past 40 years.

Cataloging, OCLC, and Minitex: Past, Present and Future
Presented by: Carla Dewey Urban
Friday, Oct. 7, 9:00 a.m. - 9:50 a.m.
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upcoming cataloging and OCLC product and service enhancements and discuss possible ways you can save time or money in your cataloging workflow.   This portion will also include information about the decision to implement Resource Description and Access (RDA) by the Library of Congress. We will share tips on how to prepare and implement RDA at your own institution and discuss training opportunities in the region.

In addition, please join us on Thursday (Oct 6) afternoon during the break for a Minitex 40th Anniversary celebration. The complete SDLA Annual Conference schedule can be found at:

http://www.sdlibraryassociation.org/displaycommon.cfm?an=1&subarticlenbr=24

Minnesota Library Association Annual Conference, October 12-14, 2011 – Duluth, MN

Cataloging, OCLC, & Minitex: Past, Present, Future
Presented by: Minitex BATS Staff
Wednesday, Oct. 12, 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

This year marks 40 years of collaboration between Minitex and participating libraries! We'll reflect on how things have changed in cataloging, OCLC, and your libraries since 1971 and look at how far we've come! As we return to the present, Minitex BATS staff will review current and upcoming cataloging

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and OCLC product and service enhancements and discuss possible ways you can save time or money in your cataloging workflow.   This portion will also include information about the decision to implement Resource Description and Access (RDA) by the Library of Congress. We will share tips on how to prepare and implement RDA at your own institution and discuss training opportunities in the region.

40 Years of Collaboration: Minitex and Minnesota Libraries Then and Now
Presented by: Bill DeJohn and Minitex staff
Wednesday, Oct. 12, 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

For some attendees, this will be a stroll down memory lane, while for others, it may be a glimpse into the distant past. As part of the Minitex 40th anniversary celebration, we'll share fun resources we've pulled

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together, like a timeline, oral history interviews with founders and other movers and shakers, and then-and-now images, to address questions like: How did Minitex come to be? What has collaboration via Minitex looked like and meant for Minnesota libraries over the years? What is the status of Minitex services today and going forward? Join us to celebrate all that we have accomplished together over these past 40 years.

Minitex 40th Anniversary Reception
Wednesday, Oct. 12, 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

The complete MLA Annual Conference schedule can be found at:

http://mnlibraryassociation.org/2011-agenda ■

General

OCLC Research Launches New Publication & Report

OCLC; edited

OCLC Research has launched Quarterly Highlights, a periodic bulletin with news from the previous quarter of work in OCLC Research, the OCLC Innovation Lab, and the OCLC Research Library Partnership.
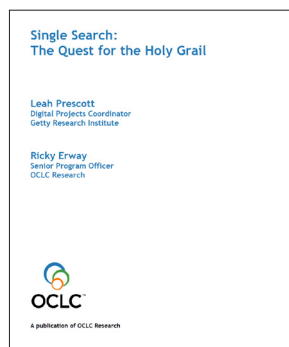
The new Quarterly Highlights provides an overview of recent activity, as well as an occasional look ahead. The hope is that this snapshot will capture things that readers might have missed during the quarter itself. OCLC Research's agenda is to work on behalf of, and in collaboration with, libraries and archives. The goal of the Quarterly Highlights is to provide a quick update and overview of these activities, in a way that respects readers' time and interests.

http://www.oclc.org/research/publications/newsletters/quarterlyhighlights/current.htm

In addition, OCLC Research published a new report *Single Search: The Quest for the Holy Grail*:

http://www.oclc.org/research/publications/library/2011/2011-17r.htm

This report highlights successful strategies in providing a single point of access to library, archive and museum collections. In the era of

Single Search:
The Quest for the Holy Grail

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global search engines, users are often puzzled by the realization that they can search the Internet through a single interface, yet the resources of universities and other institutions are often compartmentalized in a plethora of informational silos, each with its own dedicated system, search categories and user interfaces. Many institutions want to make the breadth of their local resources easily discoverable regardless of where and how the resources are managed. ■

General

Changes to OCLC's Electronic Collections Online

OCLC; edited

OCLC is no longer accepting new or renewal subscriptions to Electronic Collections Online e-journals. On February 1, 2012, the service will transition to archive-only access that will provide ongoing access to content included in past subscriptions.

This change supports OCLC's strategy, announced in March 2010, to stop hosting and reselling electronic content in order to focus its efforts on providing vendor-neutral discovery services from which libraries can delivery content in their collections to their users.

Subscribers to Electronic Collections Online e-journals may continue to provide access to the content from their past e-journal subscriptions by maintaining an access account to the service archive. Contact OCLC Order Services at orders@oclc.org to initiate your library's access to the Electronic Collections Online archive.

Authenticated users may continue to search the Electronic Collections Online bibliographic database on FirstSearch, WorldCat.org, WorldCat Local and WorldCat Local "quick start" and link to the full-text articles they identify through their searches. Articles from past subscribers' e-journal subscriptions will continue to be available to authenticated users as a source of full-text within those services.

As they continue with the development of cloud-based service, OCLC staff will work to provide access to as much content as possible through these services. To stay informed about access to additional content through services such as WorldCat Local and WorldCat.org, register to receive email updates at:

http://www.oclc.org/us/en/email/subscribe.htm ■

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Deadline To Upgrade to Connexion Client 2.3

Sara Ring, Minitex/BATS

Remember to upgrade to Connexion client version 2.30 before November 1. On November 1, you will not be able to log on to the OCLC system with versions 2.10 or 2.20.

An upgrade warning message will begin appearing when you start Connexion version 2.10 or 2.20 beginning this month.

View the upgrade instructions before installing version 2.30:

http://www.oclc.org/us/en/support/documentation/connexion/client/gettingstarted/gettingstarted/#update_client.fm

If you have Windows 7 Professional (64-bit), Windows 7 Enterprise (32-bit), or other newer versions, you may need to move your macro directory after upgrading or installing Connexion client 2.30. ■

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Reminder: Minitex RDA E-mail Discussion List Proposal and Survey

Mark K. Ehlert, Minitex/BATS

As you may know by now, the Library of Congress and other U.S. national libraries have set January 2013 as the date on which they will adopt RDA—barring any last minute complications. And, as goes LC, so goes the rest of the nation's libraries. The Minitex BATS unit is exploring the idea of establishing an e-mail discussion list on RDA for library staff and institutions in the Minitex region (primarily Minnesota, North Dakota, and South Dakota). To gather feedback on this proposal, we have set up a five-question survey at the following site:

http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/mtxRDAlist

Several folks have already responded, and to them I offer my thanks. If you know of any others on your staff or at other institutions who may be interested in putting in their two cents, please pass on to them the link to the survey. Also, please have them read over a short article on the proposed discussion list found in the August 2011 issue of the *Minitex/OCLC Mailing*:

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Communications/Oclc

This survey ends on Sunday, September 25. Results of the feedback will be summarized in the October issue of the *Mailing*. ■

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OCLC's "Good Practices" Event Series Recordings Available

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In October 2010, OCLC's Member Services team kicked off an event series, *Good Practices for Great Outcomes: Cataloging Efficiencies that Make a Difference*. These in-person meetings are designed to highlight practical approaches and ideas that increase efficiency. Each features several member librarians, who discuss workflow changes and tools like WorldCat Cataloging Partners. These member librarians also share how their approach to getting work done has changed.

Visit OCLC's online portal for *Good Practices for Great Outcomes* to view video and slide presentations from the previous events and to learn more about future events:

http://www.oclc.org/us/en/news/events/goodpractices/past.htm

University of Houston Libraries, Houston, TX
July 29, 2011
Dana Rooks, Dean of University of Houston Libraries, welcomed more than 75 participants to this event. Generously hosted by the University of Houston Libraries, this event featured keynote speakers Stefanie Wittenbach, University Librarian, Texas A&M–San Antonio library, and Glenn Patton, Director, WorldCat Quality Management, OCLC. This event also featured speakers from the OCLC member community.

ALA Annual, New Orleans, LA
June 27, 2011
Chris Martire, Director, Member Services, OCLC, welcomed 75 participants to a session during the ALA Annual Conference, which included lively roundtable discussions. Bradford Lee Eden, Associate University Librarian for Technical Services & Scholarly Communication, University of California, Santa Barbara, provided an informative keynote presentation, "Transforming Collection Management and Technical Services Operations: the Next-Generation Technical Services (NGTS) Initiative of the University of California Libraries."

Wayne State University, Detroit, MI
June 17, 2011

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Speakers at this event included:

- Dr. Sandra Yee, Dean, University Library System, Wayne State University
- Roy Tennant, OCLC Research
- Steven Bowers, Executive Director of the Detroit Area Library Network
- Carole Myles, OCLC Member Services Consultant
- Jody Harnish, Ann Arbor District Library
- Beth Callahan, Wayne State University ■

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Upcoming ALCTS Webinars and E-Forums

Sara Ring, Minitex/BATS

New ALCTS Webinars

All webinars listed below are one hour in length and begin at 1 p. m. Central.

ISSN and You: Using ISSN SuperNumber in the Digital Environment (Nov. 9)

Learn about the work of the U.S. ISSN Center and ways the International Standard Serial Number (ISSN) contributes to identification, access, and data linking in print and digital environments worldwide. ISSN is the premier international identifier for serials and other continuing resources in all formats. ISSN was ahead of its time in anticipating the crucial role of identifiers in the digital environment and has evolved well beyond its early role as a number displayed on print journals. Demand for ISSN continues to increase because of its ability to identify and facilitate linking to current, long-dead, or yet-to-be published continuing resources today and in the future semantic web.

Audience: Any library staff members who work with any aspect of serials and other continuing resources (acquisitions, cataloging, ERMs, Open URLs), systems librarians, reference librarians, publishers, subscription agents, online platform providers, and fulltext data.

Cooperative Collection Development—We Really Mean it This Time (Nov. 16)

While not a new topic, cooperative collection development continues to be of interest in independent liberal arts college libraries. Topics in this webinar will include:

- A review of the current state of cooperative collection development efforts among independent liberal arts college libraries.

- A synopsis of cooperative collection development program undertaken by two Oberlin Group College Libraries, Carleton College and St. Olaf in Northfield, MN, to work towards two collections that operate as one by taking steps toward developing cooperative collection policies and agreements.

Audience: Anyone with an interest in the topic can benefit from this session and is welcome to participate.

NOTE: The presenter of this session is local—Kathy Tezla, Head of Collection Development, Carleton College.

New E-Forums

Below is a list of the most recently announced E-forums. The full list of upcoming E-forums can be found here:

http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/alcts/confevents/upcoming/e-forum/index.cfm

Aren't familiar with ALCTS E-forums? Jump to the section at the end of this article to find out more.

Current Issues in In-Kind Materials Donations (Sept. 21-22)

In a context of reduced budgets, more and more libraries find themselves examining existing policies and procedures for the acceptance, evaluation, and processing of in-kind materials donations. A number of factors and considerations necessarily accompany any such examination, particularly if changes to existing policies, procedures, and workflows are proposed. Such considerations might include:

- Criteria for accepting material
- Actual costs of gift donation
- Changing format priorities for collections
- Managing donor relations and expectations
- Existing mechanisms for the disposition of unwanted materials
- Relationships between Friends groups and libraries
- The future of in-kind gifts operations in libraries

Telecommuting in Libraries (Dec. 14-15)

Library work is ever more mobile, with both technical and public services work often easily done from a laptop at any location. For those of us who often work at home in the evenings anyway, we know that there is plenty to be done that does not require that we ever set foot in our library's building. In fact, it is often easier to accomplish some work away from the distractions and intrusions of the workplace. At the same time, societal changes such as increased commuting time, the pollution that long commutes generate, the rise in the numbers of dual working-parents or other caretakers, and the generally increased pace of modern life make working from home (or some other location) more desirable than ever. Employers often cannot offer wage increases and many employees are even

seeing an erosion of their benefits; however, telecommuting allows employers to provide an appealing benefit to their employees in tight budgetary times.

This e-forum will be an open discussion about how to use telecommuting to best manage work-life stress. We will discuss topics such as: arguments supporting telecommuting in general as well as specifically within the library profession; the support for flextime within your institutional environment and how to self-advocate; how to manage your own expectations as well as those of your colleagues and your patrons; the limitations and challenges of working from afar; the importance of face time; time management; and best suggestions for successful telecommuting that facilitates work-life balance. Please be prepared to share your own ideas and solutions.

More About E-Forums

An ALCTS e-forum provides an opportunity for librarians to discuss matters of interest, led by a moderator, through the e-forum discussion list. The e-forum discussion list works like an email listserv: register your email address with the list, and then you will receive messages and communicate with other participants through an email discussion. Most e-forums last two to three days. Each day, sessions begin at 10 a.m. and end at 6 p.m. (Central) Registration is necessary to participate, but it's free. Instructions for registration are available at:

http://z.umn.edu/4hi

Once you have registered for one e-forum, you do not need to register again, unless you choose to leave the email list. Participation is free and open to anyone. ∎

Resource Sharing

WorldCat Resource Sharing Update

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WorldCat Resource Sharing Enhancements

Every three months OCLC Delivery Services installs member-requested enhancements to the WorldCat Resource Sharing (WCRS) service. The next round of enhancements is scheduled for November. If you have any suggestions for small enhancements that would improve your workflow on OCLC WCRS let OCLC know by sending a message to Tony Melvyn: melvynt@oclc.org

What is new from the last round of enhancements that were rolled out in August? A brief description is provided below.

New Lender String report

This report provides details about your library's interactions with specific lenders up to one year in the past.

Custom Holdings symbol searcher

Provides a new way to quickly identify which Custom Holdings groups contain a specific symbol (up to 10 symbols) so you can modify your custom holdings groups as needed when changes occur.

Expanded Custom Holding Group Name Limit

Previous limit of 8 characters is expanded to 20 characters.

New ILL Workform Fields to Support Article Sharing

These fields provide the PubMed number (PMID) and the Digital Object Identifier (DOI).

Email From Anywhere

Allows your staff to send an email to another library from anywhere in an interlibrary loan workform.

Improvements to *Not Received* Feature

Now libraries can alert the lender that an item has not been received at any time after the lender updates the request to SHIPPED.

Improvements to OCLC Usage Statistics

New date format, *Direct Request* data, additional data fields in some reports.

Fall Webinars

OCLC will be offering free webinars on article sharing in both WorldCat Resource Sharing and ILLiad, both of which use the WorldCat Knowledge Base. In these webinars, you will learn about resource sharing enhancements based on data in the WorldCat knowledge base that can help you put e-books, articles and open access resources into the hands of your users faster and more efficiently. See how to fill article requests in hours rather than days. Direct Request processing for e-books lets you set up profiles that will alert your library staff when requests are made from both open access e-content and subscription-based e-content. New options for synchronizing local knowledge base data with the WorldCat knowledge base minimize set-up time, enabling you and your users to benefit from online article sharing quickly.

ILLiad Users

- September 29, 2011, 10am – 11 am Central
- October 20, 2011, 12 p.m. – 1 p.m. Central
- November 17, 2011, 12 p.m. – 1 p.m. Central

WorldCat Resource Sharing Users

- September 29, 2011, 12 p.m. – 1 p.m. Central
- October 20, 2011, 2 p.m. – 3 p.m. Central
- November 17, 2011, 2 p.m. – 3 p.m. Central ∎

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Digitization and Preservation

Upcoming OCLC Research Webinar: Scan and Deliver

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OCLC Research will host the webinar "Scan and Deliver: Creative User-initiated Digitization in Special Collections and Archives" on September 22, 1 p.m. "Yes, we scan!" Attend OCLC's webinar to learn more about streamlined methods for scanning and delivering digital copies of special collections materials at the request of the users.

Changes in technology and the increased visibility of special collections have resulted in a deluge of requests for digital copies of special collections materials. A steady stream of digitization requests for one item here, two pages there can be labor-intensive, and policies for user requests vary widely across institutions.

To address these issues, OCLC Research and the OCLC Research Library Partnership's Working Group on

Streamlining Photography and Scanning sought methods for reducing cumbersome digitization-on-demand workflows and policy obstacles. The Scan and Deliver report concludes that a flexible, tiered approach to delivering digitized copies acknowledges differences in user needs, collections, institutional policies, and resources.

This webinar will feature creative experiments aimed at scanning and delivering user-requested digital copies of special collections materials. San Diego State University offers self-serve scanning in their reading room. At the University of Chicago, special collections and interlibrary loan (ILL) colleagues are working together to use existing infrastructure and expertise. The Getty Research Institute developed a tiered approach to capture and post digital files created by fulfilling user requests. Speakers will discuss workflows-in-progress, lessons learned, and how they learned to stop worrying and love digital copy requests. Webinar participation is free and open to all but advanced registration is required. For the full article or to register, visit:

http://www.oclc.org/research/news/2011-08-18.htm ■

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Come See Us At Fall Conferences!

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This calendar primarily lists events scheduled by Minitex, although other events are included. This is an informational posting only, registration materials are sent separately. If you would like your event included in the calendar, please call Kay Kirscht at 612-624-3532.

SEPTEMBER

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Connexion Client Module 10: Basic Batch Processing
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=298

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ELM Databases for Grades K-5
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon, CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=233

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Making ELM Access Easy
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=358

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NDLA Annual Conference, Minot, ND
Conference
http://www.ndlaonline.org/Conference/11conf.htm

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Everything You Ever Wanted to Know about AskMN: The Librarian is In!
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=340

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Helping Teachers Work Smarter, Not Harder: ELM for K-12 Academic Standards
3:00 p.m. – 3:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=359

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RDA for the Seasoned Copy Cataloger Webinar Series: Print Monographs
9:30 a.m. - 12 Noon, CST
Online, 2-part training session series
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=329

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ELM Databases for Grades K-5
8:30 a.m. – 9:30 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=233

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Cataloging Options: When Full-Level Records Are Too Much
10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=153

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New ELM Portal Overview
9:00 a.m. – 9:30 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=361

OCTOBER

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History Day Resources in ELM
3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=147

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CatExpress
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=244

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ELM for Everyday Research
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=363

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Helping Teachers Work Smarter, Not Harder: ELM for K-12 Academic Standards
1:00 p.m. – 1:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=359

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SDLA Annual Conference

Spearfish Holiday Inn and Convention Center, Spearfish, SD

Conference

http://www.sdlibraryassociation.org/displaycommon.cfm?an=1&subarticlenbr=24

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ELM: The Big Picture (All 4 Weeks) - All About EBSCO

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m., CST

Online Reference Outreach & Instruction Training

For entire series: https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=353

For Week 1 only: https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=354

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ELM: More Than Just Articles

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m., CST

Online Training Session

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=362

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Connexion Client Client, Module 2: Basic Searching 2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m., CST

Online Training Session

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=249

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Everything You Ever Wanted to Know about AskMN: The Librarian is In!

10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST

Online Training Session

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=340

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NISO Webinar – Data: Supplemental Materials (Part 1)

12:00 Noon – 1:30 p.m., CST

15 Andersen Library, Minitex Conference Room

Teleconference

https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Events/Niso/#data1

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MLA Annual Conference

Duluth Entertainment Convention Center, Duluth, MN

Conference

http://mnlibraryassociation.org/mla-annual-conference/mlaconference2011

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2011 Ex Libris Upper MidWest User Group Meeting

Ramada Plaza & Suites, Fargo, ND

Conference

http://umwug.odin.nodak.edu/2011Conference

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NISO Webinar – Data: Supplemental Materials (Part 2)

12:00 Noon – 1:30 p.m., CST

15 Andersen Library, Minitex Conference Room

Teleconference

https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Events/Niso/#data2

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Connexion Browser, Module 2: Basic Searching

1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m., CST

Online Training Session

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=240

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RDA for the Seasoned Copy Cataloger Webinar Series: Continuing Resources

9:30 a.m. - 12 Noon, CST

Online, 4-part training session series

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=352

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ELM: The Big Picture (All 4 Weeks) - All About GALE / Cengage Learning

1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m., CST

Online Reference Outreach & Instruction Training

For entire series: https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=353

For Week 2 only: https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=355

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Connexion Client, Modules 3, 4, and 5: Basic Editing, Record Processing, and Save File Management

10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m., CST

Online Training Session

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=248

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The All-New ProQuest

12:00 Noon – 1:00 p.m., CST

Online Training Session

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=318

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History Day Resources in ELM

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m., CST

Online Training Session

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=147

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ELM Databases for Grades 6-12

3:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m., CST

Online Training Session

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=360

NOVEMBER

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Everything You Ever Wanted to Know about AskMN: The Librarian is In!

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m., CST

Online Training Session

http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=340

3

ELM: The Big Picture (All 4 Weeks) - All About Britannica / OCLC
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m., CST
Online Reference Outreach & Instruction Training
For entire series: https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=353
For Week 3 only: https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=356

3

Tools for Original Cataloging with Connexion Client
1:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=98

4

The All-New ProQuest
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=318

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Making ELM Access Easy
12:00 Noon – 12:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=358

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ELM for Everyday Research
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon, CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=363

9 & 22

RDA for the Seasoned Copy Cataloger Webinar Series: Audiovisual Materials
9:30 a.m. - 12 Noon, CST
Online, 2-part training session series
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=330

9

NISO Webinar – New Discovery Tools
12:00 Noon – 1:30 p.m., CST
15 Andersen Library, Minitex Conference Room
Teleconference
https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Events/Niso/#discovery

9

History Day Resources in ELM
2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=147

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Advanced Copy Cataloging Tools in Connexion Client
10:00 p.m. – 11:30 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=264

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ELM: More Than Just Articles
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=362

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ELM Databases for Grades 6-12
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=258

14 - 15

4th Annual Upper Midwest CONTENTdm User Group Meeting
Continuing Education & Conference Center,
University of Minnesota, St. Paul Campus,
Conference
https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Events/Conferences/ContentDm2011.aspx

15

Business Databases in ELM
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=279

16

EBSCOhost and MasterFILE Premier: Week 1 ELM Spotlight Series
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=343

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Connexion Client Module 10: Basic Batch Processing
2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=298

16 - 18

FRBR and FRAD: Keys to RDA
9:30 a.m. - 12 Noon, CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=350

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ELM: The Big Picture (All 4 Weeks) - All About ProQuest
1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m., CST
Online Reference Outreach & Instruction Training
For entire series: https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=353
For Week 4 only: https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=357

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ELM Databases for Grades 6-12
3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=258

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Consumer Health Complete: Week 2 ELM Spotlight Series
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=344

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ELM Databases for Grades 6-12
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=360

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CatExpress
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=244

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Britannica Online Library Edition: Week 3 ELM Spotlight Series
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=345

DECEMBER

1 - 14

RDA for the Seasoned Copy Cataloger Webinar Series: Music Materials
9:30 a.m. - 12 Noon, CST
Online, 2-part training session series
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=331

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WorldCat Collection Analysis
2:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=76

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WorldCat: Week 4 ELM Spotlight Series
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=345

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Business Databases in ELM
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=279

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Connexion Browser, Module 2: Basic Searching
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon, CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=240

9

ELM for Everyday Research
1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=363

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ELM Databases for Grades 6-12
11:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon, CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=360

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The All-New ProQuest
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=318

14

Student Resources in Context: Week 5 ELM Spotlight Series
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=347

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NISO Webinar – Assessment Metrics
12:00 Noon – 1:30 p.m., CST
15 Andersen Library, Minitex Conference Room
Teleconference
https://www.minitex.umn.edu/Events/Niso/#assessment

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ELM: More Than Just Articles
11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=362

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FRBR and FRAD: Keys to RDA
9:30 a.m. - 12 Noon, CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=350

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Pro Newsstand Complete: Week 6 ELM Spotlight Series
10:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m., CST
Online Training Session
http://www.minitex.umn.edu/Training/Details.aspx?SessionID=348