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GL16 Chair and Moderators

Sixteenth International Conference on Grey Literature
Grey Literature Lobby, Engines and Requesters for Change
Library of Congress, Washington DC, USA on 8-9 December 2014

Moderator Day One

Amanda J. Wilson, Director
National Transportation Library
U.S. Department of Transportation

Amanda became Director of the National Transportation Library (NTL), an all-digital library, in December 2006. In her time at NTL, Ms. Wilson has focused on building collections, increasing awareness of NTL collections and services, and building a national network of transportation libraries. Under her leadership, NTL has engaged in new initiatives in pursuit of these goals, establishing the Transportation Librarians Roundtable (a monthly webinar series for transportation librarians), providing national coordination of projects between and among regional library networks in transportation, engaging in federal science and technology information leadership through CENDI, and expanding NTL's data programs, including development of a USDOT data catalog and National Transportation Data Archive, and active involvement in the Research Data Alliance and the Federal Statistical Community of Practice and Engagement.

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Program Chairman

Blane K. Dessy,
Deputy Associate Librarian
Library of Congress

Blane is a Deputy Associate Librarian with a focus on Planning and Project Management in Library Services at the Library of Congress. He was the former Executive Director of the Federal Library Information Network at the Library of Congress and was instrumental in establishing the FedGrey Working Group. In 2010, Blane delivered the Keynote Address and at the 12th International Conference on Grey Literature. Prior to his appointment at the Library of Congress, Blane had been Director of Libraries at the United States Department of Justice and the first Executive Director of the National Library of Education. Blane came to the Federal Government after working as a State Librarian, Deputy State Librarian, library consultant, and public library director. He was also an adjunct instructor in Management at the Catholic University, School of Library and Information Science.

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Moderator Day Two

Michele Masias,
Chief Librarian, Justice Libraries
U.S. Department of Justice

Michele serves as the Chief Librarian for the Civil and Criminal Divisions, managing four Justice Libraries. She has over 20 years of library experience in positions that have included serving as the Law Librarian at the Executive Office of the President, the Library Manager at the Defense Technical Information Center, and as a Technical Information Specialist at the Department of Interior Bureau of Reclamation Library. She is currently an elected member of the Fedlink Advisory Board and a Lecturer at the Catholic University of America. She has authored several articles for library publications such as Colorado Libraries, Law Library Lights, Information Outlook, and the U.S. Attorneys' Bulletin. Michele received her MLS from Emporia State University. She's a member of the American Association of Law Libraries and the Law Librarians Society of Washington, D.C.

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Pisa Declaration

on

Policy Development for Grey Literature Resources

May 16, 2014

Introduction

A wealth of knowledge and information is produced by organizations, governments and industry, covering a wide range of subject areas and professional fields, not controlled by commercial publishing. These publications, data and other materials known as grey literature, are an essential resource in scholarly communication, research, and policy making for business, industry, professional practice, and civil society. Grey literature is recognized as a key source of evidence, argument, innovation, and understanding in many disciplines including science, engineering, health, social sciences, education, the arts and humanities.

Grey literature document types in print or electronic formats include among others: research and technical reports, briefings and reviews, evaluations, working papers, conference papers, theses, and multimedia content, representing an important and valuable part of research and information.

In order to realize the benefits of research and information for scholarship, government, civil society, education and the economy, We, the signatories to this declaration, call for increased recognition of grey literature's role and value by governments, academics and all stakeholders, particularly its importance for open access to research, open science, innovation, evidence-based policy, and knowledge transfer.

To achieve the full benefits of grey literature for local, national and global communities we call for and encourage the following:

Organizational

1. Greater commitment to open access by governments and organizations.
2. Greater cooperation and coordination among organizations engaged in the production, use, collection and management of grey literature.
3. The use of persistent identifiers and open metadata standards for grey literature.

Research/Educational

4. New forms of recognition and reward for quality grey literature materials by governments, universities and other institutions.
5. Improved standards in the production and bibliographic control of grey literature.
6. Development and implementation of interoperable standards in the management of grey literature.
7. Development of good practice guides for the production, dissemination, and evaluation of grey literature.

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Legal

8. Changes to legal deposit and copyright law that enhance the capacities of libraries, collecting services and educational institutions and programs to collect and provide access to grey literature, particularly non-commercial public interest materials.

9. Addressing legal obstacles to the dissemination of grey literature.

10. Further strides in licensing grey content for both commercial and non-commercial purposes.

Financial/Sustainable

11. Identifying available funding for research involving grey literature.

12. Increased support for collection development and long term preservation of grey literature.

13. Increased investment in infrastructure and new technologies for accessing and using print and digital grey literature.

Technical

14. Strategies to tackle link rot and enhance the stability and accessibility of online content.

15. Systems for linking data and other non-textual content to their grey literature publications together with interoperability standards for sharing grey literature.

Endorse the *'Pisa Declaration on Policy Development for Grey Literature Resources'*

Guide to Good Practices and Resources in Grey Literature

In December 2013, the GreyGuide was formerly launched as an online forum and repository of good practice in grey literature. The project partners then turned to the acquisition of both proposed and published good practices. During this same timeframe, GreyNet – one of the project partners – welcomed far reaching developments in its infrastructure. Three new committees were established in line with its fourfold mission dedicated to research, publication, open access, and education in the field of grey literature. In the process of coordinating and facilitating the work of these new committees, it became clear that a multitude of web-based content, which is currently maintained on both GreyNet's website and Conference site, should be made accessible via a unique web portal. This then would allow for browse, search, and retrieval across collections. The GreyGuide was tested for this purpose and it was decided to select and migrate content to the GreyGuide. While the web origins of four such collections have been identified ● GreySource Index ● Who's Who in Grey Literature ● International Directory of Organizations in Grey Literature, and ● GL Conference Proposals, the work of defining the metadata for these collections, their subsequent data entry, and additional cross-linking indicate the work that will be undertaken in the coming months. It is anticipated that just as GL15 provided the occasion for the launch of the GreyGuide Repository, GL16 will demonstrate its enhanced function as a web access portal. http://greyguide.isti.cnr.it/

Sixteenth International Conference on Grey Literature

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The Library of Congress, Washington DC, USA

Federal Library Information Network, December 8-9, 2014

Conference Program – Day 1

Moderator Day One - Amanda Wilson, U.S. Department of Transportation, United States

OPENING SESSION

Welcome Address *Blane Dessy, Library of Congress, United States*

Opening Address *Mary Alice Baish, U.S. Government Printing Office, United States*

Keynote Address *Amanda Lawrence, Institute for Social Research, Swinburne University of Technology, Australia*

SESSION 1 – PUBLIC AWARENESS OF GREY LITERATURE

The Intersect of Cultural Studies with other focus areas in the HDIAC Database
June Crowe and Crystal Sherline, Information International Associates Inc., United States

Mapping Italian Grey Communities: What Is There Beyond The Academy?
Silvia Giannini and Stefania Biagioni, Istituto di Scienza e Tecnologie dell'Informazione;
Sara Goggi and Gabriella Pardelli, Istituto di Linguistica Computazionale; CNR, Italy

Shades of Grey: Integrating Metadata for Discovery in a Mixed-Content Single-Subject Library
Genevieve Podleski, Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, United States

How Grey Literature Informs Policy and Decision Making: The Necessity to Understand the Processes
Bertrum H. MacDonald, James D. Ross, Suzuette S. Soomai, and Peter G. Wells, Dalhousie University, Canada

SESSION 2 – PUBLISHING AND LICENSING GREY LITERATURE

Is the Licensing of Grey Literature Using the Full Palette of "Contractual" Colors?
Tomas A. Lipinski, School of Library and Information Science, Kent State University;
Andrea J. Copeland, School of Informatics and Computing Indiana University, United States

Publishing Geodesy, Topography and Cartography Research via Invenio
Jiří Drozda and Veronika Synková, Research Institute of Geodesy, Topography and Cartography;
Petra Pejšová, National Library of Technology, Czech Republic

Free Licences and Creative Commons: A Powerful Tool for Open Access Publishing in Grey Literature
Petra Pejšová, National Library of Technology, Czech Republic
Marcus Vaska, Knowledge Resource Service, University of Calgary, Canada

Degrees of Openness: Grey Literature in Institutional Repositories
Joachim Schöpfel, Charles de Gaulle University Lille 3;
Hélène Prost, CNRS, Associate member GERiiCO, France

INTRODUCTION TO CONFERENCE POSTERS

• Think Tanks • Advocacy Groups • Research Teams • NGOs • IGOs • Foundations • Coalitions • Lobbyists • Etc.

On the afternoon of Day One, each person presenting a poster will have the opportunity to introduce their work in the Main Forum. The Poster Session will continue in adjoining conference rooms on the morning of Day Two, where the presenters will be able to meet with conference delegates and participants in an informal setting.

Note

GL16 will be held in the Madison Building of the Library of Congress located at 101 Independence Avenue SE. Plenary Sessions will take place in the Montpellier Room (6th Floor). The Poster Session and Sponsor Showcase will be held in rooms directly adjoining the Montpellier Room.

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Conference Program – Day 2

Moderator Day Two - Michele Masias, U.S. Department of Justice, United States

POSTER SESSION AND SPONSOR SHOWCASE

GL16 will accommodate up to 20 conference posters.
Timely registration is your guarantee of placement on the program!

Call for Posters, http://www.textrelease.com/gl16callforposters.html

SESSION 3 – OPEN ACCESS TO RESEARCH DATA

Data: Is it Grey, Maligned or Malignant?
Julia Gelfand and Daniel Tsang, University of California, Irvine, United States

Big data availability and full exploitation: A 'wide screen' overview on potential opportunities and current criticalities
Luisa De Biagi, Massimiliano Saccone, Roberto Puccinelli, National Research Council, Central Library, Italy

Introduction to a "data flagging" system for utilizing Internet information containing a tremendous amount of numerical data: The case of Fukushima Archive at the JAEA Library
Kiyoshi Ikeda, Mayuki Gonda, Shun Nagaya, Misa Hayakawa, Yukinobu Mineo, Katsuhiko Kuni, Minoru Yonezawa, Keizo Itabashi, Japan Atomic Energy Agency, Japan

Moving towards Open Access to research data in health sciences: a changing landscape for Grey Literature
Paola De Castro, Istituto Superiore di Sanità, Italy

GREYFORUM –MANAGING CHANGE IN GREY LITERATURE

Driving policy development for grey literature – The Pisa Declaration
Herbert Gruttemeier, Inist-CNRS, National Centre of Scientific Research, France

Federating European Grey Literature through OpenGrey
Christiane Stock, Inist-CNRS, National Centre of Scientific Research, France

GreyGuide, GreyNet's web access portal and lobby for Grey Literature
Dominic Farace and Jerry Frantzen, GreyNet International, Netherlands
Stefania Biagioni and Carlo Carlesi, ISTI-CNR, National Research Council, Italy
Christiane Stock, Inist-CNRS, National Centre of Scientific Research, France

Grey Lit Tutorials
Rachel Smiley, Sarah Davis, and Debbie Rabina;
Pratt Institute, School of Information and Library Science, United States

Publishing and Communication: The GreyNet Community Management Committee
Joachim Schöpfel, Charles de Gaulle University Lille 3, France

CLOSING SESSION – REPORT CONFERENCE MODERATORS, CONFERENCE HANDOFF, AND FAREWELL

Group Tours

To be announced

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Guidelines for Abstracts

Title of Poster:	Topic/Theme:
Author Name(s):	Telephone:
Organization(s):	Fax:
Address/P.O. Box:	Email:
Postal Code - City - Country:	URL:

Participants who seek to present a poster during GL16 are invited to submit an English abstract between 300-350 words. The abstract should describe the project and/or related information products and services. The abstract should likewise include a title, name(s) of the presenter(s) and their full address information. Abstracts are an important source of information available prior to the conference that is accessible to both delegates and conference participants.

GL16 Conference Themes
☐ Public Awareness of Grey Literature
☐ Publishing and Licensing Grey Literature
☐ Open Access to Research Data
☐ Managing Change in Grey Literature
☐ Other Poster Topics/Themes:

Due Date and Format for Submission

Abstracts in MS Word should be emailed to conference@textrelease.com on or before **October 15th 2014**. The author will receive verification upon receipt. This will be accompanied by further guidelines for submission of PowerPoint slides, Conference Registration, etc. ***GL16 will accommodate up to 20 posters, timely registration is a guarantee of your placement on the program.***

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The Conference Registration Fee includes attendance during the Sessions, a copy of the GL16 Program Book, the full-text of the Conference Papers and PowerPoint Slides, as well as the conference pouch and participant badge. Also included are the lunches and refreshments during the breaks, and the post-conference tour.

Payment after October 1st 2014 add a $75 surcharge

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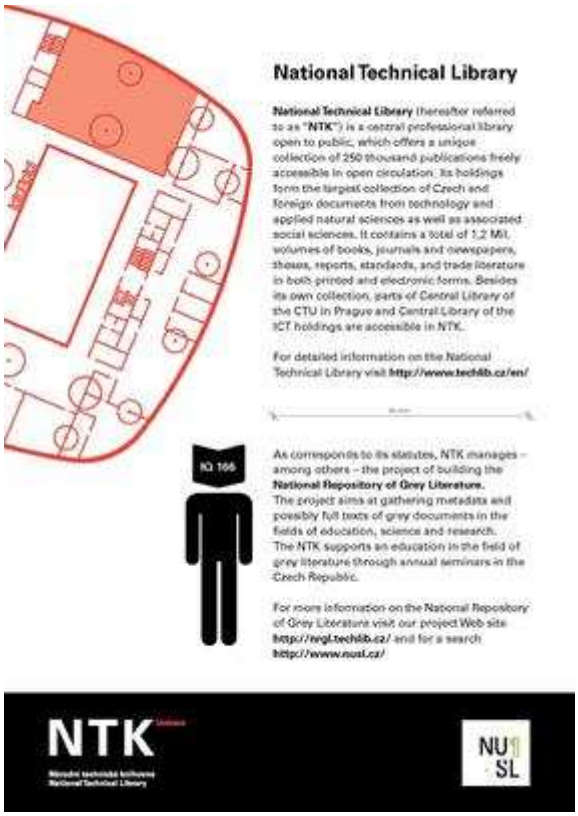

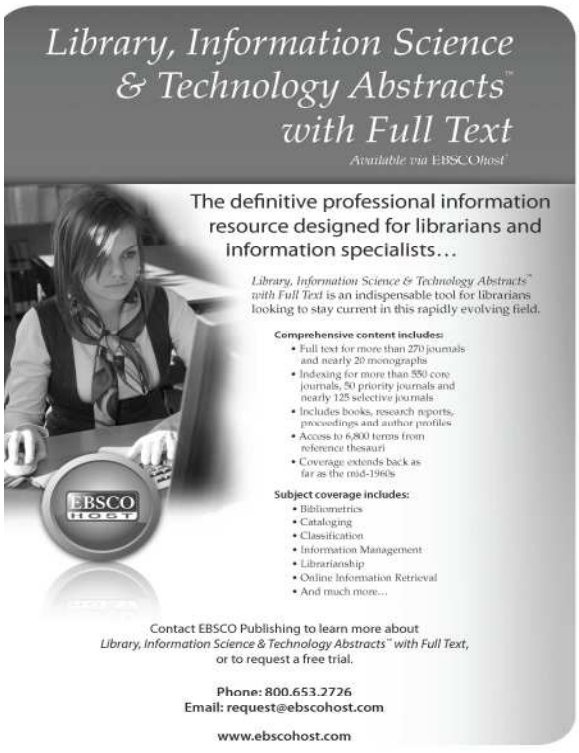

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