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The Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) is calling for papers to be read at its first national conference in Boston, November 8 - 11, 1978.

The conference will focus on the future prospects for academic and research librarianship in the United States. There will be a variety of program meetings, exhibits by publishers and library equipment suppliers, special functions at other area institutions, and organized tours to various libraries in the greater Boston area, and a job placement service.

The conference will be held in the Boston-Sheraton Hotel, centrally located in Boston's Prudential Center.

A major feature of the conference will be the sessions for contributed papers. These papers should relate broadly to the major theme of the conference--the future of academic and research librarianship. Possible topics include, but are not limited to, the following:

- Administration and Management of Libraries
- Economic Support for Libraries
- Technology and Libraries
- Cooperation and Networking
- The Role of the Library in the College and the University
- The Role of the Academic Librarian
- Resources and Services

All papers submitted will be refereed, and those accepted will be scheduled for presentation at the conference. Authors must be present to deliver their papers. Authors who plan to submit papers may use the form attached. They will

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receive instructions for preparing their manuscripts.

Deadlines are as follows:

Notice of Intent to Submit	November 30, 1977
Submission of Completed Manuscript	February 28, 1978
Notification of Acceptance	May 31, 1978

I intend to submit a paper for the ACRL National Conference in Boston.

Name, Title, and Institutional Address:

Mail to:

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Attach a brief description of the proposed paper (no more than 200 words).

Return this statement of intent by November 30, 1977.
