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**LITA schedules several programs during ALA Annual Conference**

The Library Information and Technology Association (LITA) has scheduled a number of programs during the American Library Association (ALA) Annual Conference in New Orleans.

Automation Product Review: Part I will be hosted by the LITA Program Planning Committee on Saturday, June 26, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Part II of the program will take place on Sunday, June 27, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

"Managing the Impact of Z39.50 on Your Library" will be held on Saturday, June 26, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Hosted by the LITA Technical Standards for Library Automation Committee and the Library Administration and Management Association (LAMA), the program will feature Mark Hinnebusch of the Florida Center for Library Automation, James J. Michael of Data Research Association and Sara Randall of NOTIS Systems, Inc.

The LITA Desktop Publishing Interest Group will present "Data With a Kinder Face" on Saturday, June 26, from 2 to 4 p.m. It will feature LITA President Walt Crawford of Research Libraries Group and Gerald Furi of the Farmington Community Library, Farmington Hills, Mich.

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"Designing Hypertext: Practical Guidance from Experts in the Construction of Hypertext Documents," hosted by the LITA Hypertext/Hypermedia Interest Group, will be held on Saturday, June 26, from 2 to 4 p.m. Speakers will include Neil Larson of MaxThink, Clifford Uit of James Martin & Company and Jane Niemi and Lou Weitherbee of Text on Demand.

"Off-the-Shelf and Into Productivity: Making Your Software Work for You" will be held on Monday, June 28, from 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. with Nancy Zimmerman of the State University of New York-Buffalo as guest speaker. The program is hosted by the LITA Customized Applications for Library Microcomputers Interest Group and the Young Adult Library Services Association (YALSA) Computer Applications for Young Adult Services.

The LITA/Association for Library Collections & Technical Services (ALCTS) International Relations Committee will present "Global Bridges, Global Markets: The Role of Communications Networks" on Saturday, June 26, from 2 to 4 p.m.

"Libraries Without Walls: Teleservices for Americans with Disabilities" will be held on Sunday, June 27, from 2 to 4 p.m. It is hosted by the LITA Adaptive Technologies Interest Group, the Association of Specialized and Cooperative Library Agencies (ASCLA) Library Services for the Deaf Forum and the ASCLA Library Services for the Visually and Physically Handicapped Forum.

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