

Monthly Feature

James T. Callow Folklore Archive University of Detroit Mercy

The archive is comprised of over 42,000 folklore traditions taken from field notes covering traditions gathered between 1964 and 1993. The online Folklore Archive can be searched for such subjects as: urban legends, songs from fratemities, sororities, and scouts, drinking games, graffiti, supersitions, customs, and more.

View Online



New Resources Access for Free Online

Best of both worlds: museums, libraries, and archives in a digital age

View in Catalog

FAST (Faceted Application of Subject Terminology) Users View in Catalog

Proportion of open access: Peerreviewed papers at the European and World levels

View in Catalog



Corrections made this month for commonly misspelled words in the union catalog:

assocation / association (7 times)

electornic / electronic (4 times)

jornal / journal (2 times) ("jornal" is correct in Portuguese)











DALNET Details Newsletter

The e-newsletter of the Detroit Area Library Network

OCTOBER 2013

Committee Planning

DALNET will be forming committees to begin planning for migration to a new shared system. One committee will be charged with organizing groups to help define the future system needs of the various areas to be supported by the new system. Another group will be examining current expenditures and aligning them with anticipated plans for future spending. Both committees will have access to information recently gathered from members with an online survey about current member investments. Please consider if you may be interested in serving on one of these groups or on a sub-committee. We are hoping that all the various sizes and types of DALNET libraries will be well represented. More information and formal charges coming this fall.

New Member Website Access

The DALNET member website logins and passwords will be changing this month. Members will receive the updated information via e-mail.

Good Luck Daria!



Daria Drobny, Director of the Learning Resources Center at DMC's Rehabilitation Institute of Michigan, is retiring after 43 years! Her last day is October 25th. Daria has served as a DALNET board member for many years and we will miss her!

MLA Annual Conference This Month

Don't miss the presentations of several DALNET member colleagues at the MLA Annual Conference!

Enjoy the President's Reception at the Broad Art Museum, hosted by MLA President Cathy Wolford. Proceeds benefit MLA scholarships. Get your tickets here: Tickets

Volunteer an hour of your time at the conference; sign up here: Volunteer

DALNET is proud to sponsor the MLA Annual Poster Sessions, featuring work from several DALNET member colleagues;

Augmenting the Library: The Mobile Future of Print Rebecca Karils, Marygrove College Library

Building a Scholarly Communications Brand: The Scholars Cooperative at Wayne State University Damecia Donahue and Michael Priehs, Wayne State University

Detroit's Population Decline: A Look at the Regional Data Monique Andrews, Wayne State University

Digital Preservation of Pornography Adam Mosseri, Wayne State University

Going For Broke: Combining Three Deselection Projects Into One Mike Hawthome, Wayne State University

Mapping the Guide:

How Concept Maps Can Ease Resource Guide Design Zorlan Sasyk, Wayne State University

The SLIS Diversity Graduate Student Assistantship Matt Fredericks, Dr. Kafi Kumasi and Nichole Manlove, Wayne State University, School of Library and Information Science

We Collect America: Special Collections at The Henry Ford Linda Choo and Nardina Mein, The Henry Ford

Did You Know?

DALNET FY2013-2014 meeting dates are now online here: http://www.dainet.lib.mi.us/docs/calendar/2014FY/meetings.pdf

Events Calendar

Friday, October 11, 2013 MUG Meeting Location: Beker College, Flint 8:30AM - 3:30PM Register by Oct. 5th

Monday, October 21, 2013 Project Manager Meeting Location: WSU UGL, 3rd Floor Community Room 1:30 - 4:00PM

Monday, October 28, 2013
Executive Committee Meeting
Location: Detroit Institute of Art
9:30AM - 12:00PM

Of Note

Libraries: At the Epicenter of the Digital Disruption

The Library Resource Gulde Benchmark Study on 2013-2014 Library Spending Plans

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