Conference

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Vice-president's Report

"Explore the Possibilities", the 2010 MPLA/OLA Conference to be held April 19-21 in Oklahoma City, is coming along nicely. The program and other details can be seen at <u>http://www.oklibs.org/modx/assets/files/Conferences/2010ConferencePreview2.pdf</u>

The registration form should be available soon. The budget is tight so please promote it within your states. The program opportunities look really good. Thank you to Wayne and the Oklahoma librarians for all their help.

Leadership Institute

MPLA and the Pacific Northwest Library Association have been approached by the Western Council of State Librarians regarding the possibility of joining forces to provide a leadership institute rather than have WCSL develop one of their own. I will be attending a discussion of this at the Public Library Association Conference March 23.

Committees

I am currently working on committee appointments using member profiles for input. If you know anyone who has a burning desire to be a part of an MPLA committee, please let me know soon, as I hope to have this completed by the end of February.

Strategic Plan

Despite a minor setback, we will be working on the completion of this plan at our April Board meeting.

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