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[Chair's Column]

It may seem that now that the excitement of the holidays are behind us, along with our annual Holiday and CISTA Programs, that LACASIS would be enjoying some hard-earned R & R. But the LACASIS Board never rests (thank God we are working with such enthusiastic, hardworking members!).

- **Time to update your bookmarks!** The big announcement for this month is the change of our website's location to <http://www.lacasist.org> . The new domain name reflects the addition of the "T" for "Technology" that ASIST National membership agreed to several years ago. It also allows us to be more autonomous in maintaining our site.
- **Upcoming Virtual Program** Upcoming Virtual Program We're currently working out the logistics for a virtual program that would allow us to present the same high quality programs that you've come to expect from LACASIS without the hassles of finding a parking spot or traveling across town. We plan to present a follow-up to the very successful Working With Wikis Program held last Fall. Our angle this time will be from a wiki administrator's perspective. This is in response to several members' earnest

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pleas for more technical details about installing and hosting a wiki on your own servers. Look for more information on this event in the near future.

- **McKinley Memorial Scholarship Competition** McKinley Memorial Scholarship Competition If you're a LIS/IS student or know one, remember to check out the 2007 Margaret McKinley Memorial Student Scholarship Essay Competition rules at http://www.lacasist.org/announce/mckinley_07.htm (and below in this newsletter). The first place winner will receive up to \$1,000 towards expenses to attend the ASIST Annual conference, to be held this year in the beautiful city of Milwaukee. Two runners-up will receive a one-year ASIST membership. We hope to have the usual high quality of entrants this year although, of course this will make our jobs as essay judges much harder.

Contributed by Christina Salazar with Aura Lippincott, LACASIS Co-Chairs '06-'07

[Upcoming LACASIS Board Meetings]

LACASIS board meetings are held monthly from 9:30 to 11:30 on the first Saturday of each month (with the exception of holidays) and are open to all members. Unless otherwise stated, meetings are held at the [Panini Cafe](#) in Marina Del Rey, 4325 Glencoe Avenue, Marina Del Rey, CA 09292 Telephone: (310) 823-4446. During the summer months of June, July and August board meetings are held virtually via email.

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Date	Location	Time
May 5th	This meeting will be held at Zorana Ercegovac's Please contact zercegov@ gmail.com for directions	9:30-11:30
June 2nd	Panini Cafe, Marina Del Rey	9:30-11:30
July 7th	Virtual Meeting	9:30-11:30
August 4th	Virtual Meeting	9:30-11:30
September 8th	Panini Cafe, Marina Del Rey	9:30-11:30
October 6th	Panini Cafe, Marina Del Rey	9:30-11:30

[Save the Date! Upcoming LACASIST & Information Professional Events]

LACASIST Events

- **June:** Michael Buckland to speak about his new book [Emanuel Goldberg and His Knowledge Machine](#) at the June Business Meeting - Wednesday, June 13th (tentative)

Information Professional Events

- **May 9:** ACRL is offering a new Webcast, "The Classroom Will Now Be Podcast: Podcasting in Higher Education and Implications for Academic Libraries." For complete information, including a link to registration, go to: <http://www.ala.org/ala/acrl/acrlproftools/podcasting.htm> ↗
- **August 6-10:** SAA Sponsored Electronic Records Summer Camp, early registration ends May 6th, for more information and to register, go to: <http://www.archivists.org/prof-education/summercamp.asp> ↗

[New Member Welcome]

A big welcome to our new (or newly transferred) members!

- Inger Lund
- Jonathan Bieleley
- Ross Stuart
- Kristen Johansen
- Chris Seraidaris

[Student Chapter News]

Reporting from the ASIST Student Chapter at UCLA, Grace and Monique came back from the IA Summit last Monday with even more ideas for the Spring quarter. The theme for Spring quarter is: "ASIS&T: Connecting people, not computers." We've found that most students associate ASIS&T with computers and technology rather than a network of technology specialists bridging the gap between people and computers the empowering quality of technology to connect people.

- **Journal Group Meetings** The Journal Group meetings continue this Spring quarter as a separate series. The meetings will focus on the academic aspect of ASIS&T. We are seeking faculty, PhD students, and maybe adjunct faculty in informatics to lead the journal group discussions. We intend to broaden our perspective on Informatics and stay current on trends in museum informatics, cultural informatics, medical informatics, and social informatics. If you're interested in leading a discussion, please contact Jill Detrick (jdetrick@ucla.edu) or Ashley Burdick (aburdick@ucla.edu).
- **Topic Sessions**
 1. Intro to user-centered design, part 1.
 2. Enterprise applications for user-centered design, part 2.
- **Web Projects**

1. **UCLA Informatics Wiki** Currently, the wiki resides at <http://uclainformatics.pbwiki.com>. We need to migrate the content over to its new home on the GSEIS server. We'd like to encourage students and interested ASIS&T members to spearhead this migration. We also seek contributions to this growing domain of knowledge. If interested, please contact asist@ucla.edu.
2. **Usability testing for SLA Student Chapter website** The SLA Student Chapter at UCLA is redesigning their website. ASIS&T has been asked to validate their design with some usability testing before they launch in June.
3. **Usability testing for ASIST Student Chapter website** The ASIST Student Chapter website was redesigned at the beginning of the school year in September, but has not been thoroughly tested. We're looking to evaluate the current site and prepare it for next year.
4. **Fast track usability and web design for the ARTiFACTS** ARTiFACTS is a new student group that started last year. ASIS&T student members are designing a more professional-looking website in time for the ARLIS conference on April 25.

These projects will provide student members with experience in project management, web design, and communication with team players of various skillsets. Students will be able to present real-life project deliverables in their portfolios, gain leadership skills, and amass job experience.

- **Next Events**

1. The first general/student meeting of Spring will be on April 10 during the lunch break (12:30-1:30) in the GSE&IS Commons. Refreshments will be provided.
2. The student chapter is also collaborating with six (6) student groups in preparation for student group officer elections. The purpose of the event is to provide a venue for socializing, mentorship, and recruitment between first and second-year students in the program. Give Back/Get Involved is a major social/mentoring/recruitment/share experience with ice cream and root beer floats event with other IS student groups in the UCLA Dept of Information Studies. To be scheduled for late April/early May.

Contributed by Grace Lau with Jill Detrick & Monique Escamilla

**[Margaret McKinley Memorial Student Scholarship Essay
Competition: Announcement]**

2007 Margaret McKinley Memorial Student Scholarship Essay Competition - Deadline: July 1, 2007

The Los Angeles Chapter of the American Society for Information Science and Technology (LACASIS) is sponsoring the Fifteenth Annual Student Scholarship Essay Competition. This Competition, first established in 1992, and renamed in memory of the late Margaret McKinley in 1993, is intended to encourage students in Library and Information Science Programs to consider the benefits of participation in the activities of professional societies.

AWARD: The winner will receive reimbursement funding up to US \$1,000 for registration, airfare, and hotel expenses to attend the ASIST 2007 Annual Meeting, "Joining Research and Practice: Social Computing and Information Science" and a one-year membership in ASIST. Two runners-up will receive one-year memberships in ASIST.

ELIGIBILITY:

- All students (including those graduating in spring 2007) enrolled in Library and Information Science Programs (in-person or distance education) at universities within the areas represented by the Los Angeles Chapter of ASIST (Hawaii, California, Australia, and New Zealand) are eligible to enter.
- Students residing in one of the areas represented by the LACASIS (Hawaii, California, Australia, and New Zealand) and attending Library and Information Science Programs (LIS) distance education programs outside of the areas represented by LACASIS are eligible to enter.
- Students enrolled in graduate programs (at universities within the areas represented by the Los Angeles Chapter of ASIST) not identified as LIS programs may be eligible. Interested students in non-LIS programs must include in the essay submission (in addition to other essay requirements below), a statement explaining how the program mission relates to ASIST and how ASIST membership and conference attendance would be beneficial.

Membership in ASIST is not required to enter the Competition.

TO ENTER: Compose an essay that addresses the following:

1. What specific benefits do I expect to derive from attending the ASIST 2007 Annual meeting?
2. How will I integrate these benefits into the start of my new career?
3. How might LACASIS or ASIST benefit from you receiving this scholarship?

For details about the theme of the ASIST 2007 Annual meeting, visit the ASIST website <http://www.asis.org/>

Essays should not exceed 500 words or two typed, double spaced pages. Do not identify yourself or your school in the essay. Submit the essay with a separate cover sheet listing your name, address, email, telephone number, and school by the **deadline of July 1, 2007**. Essays may be submitted by email to:

Andrea Lynch andlynch@yahoo.com

A panel of LACASIS members will judge the essays. Winners will be notified by July 31, 2007.

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[Members in the News]

Please send us your news! Have you (or another LACASIS member you know) recently been promoted, changed jobs, won an award or acknowledgement? We'd like to hear about it and publicize your successes! Email the OASIS newsletter editor Louisa Verma Iverscaaa@gmail.com.

[Want to Write for OASIS?]

We are currently looking for content providers for the OASIS newsletter wiki! Do you have an idea for a column (it can be a one time article, ongoing or occasional column)? Do you want to write a short summary on a recent LACASIS event that you attended? Do you want to be an OASIS photographer? We are looking for all of the above and more! Want to write but don't have an idea of what to do, here are some new column ideas that might grab you:

- **ASIST Insider: News from HQ** - browse the ASIST website for news and tidbits from HQ, other Chapters or SIGS
- **Student Chapter News** - must be a student and involved with the UCLA or SJSU Student chapters; report on what your chapters are doing - events, gatherings, internships wanted, etc.
- **Library/Technology humor** - (ongoing or occasional column) - find humorous anecdotes about our profession and report on them
- **OASIS Photographer** - (must have a digital camera) take digital

photos of LACASIS events and get permission from the people
photographed to publish them in the newsletter

If you are interested, please email OASIS Editor, Louisa Verma
(lverscaa @ gmail.com)

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- ACRL Webcast on Podcasting: [http://www.ala.org/ala/acrl
/acrlproftools/podcasting.htm](http://www.ala.org/ala/acrl/acrlproftools/podcasting.htm) ↗
- SAA Electronic Records Summer Camp:
<http://www.archivists.org/prof-education/summercamp.asp> ↗
- UCLA Informatics Wiki: <http://uclainformatics.pbwiki.com> ↗
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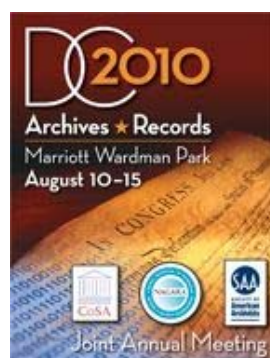
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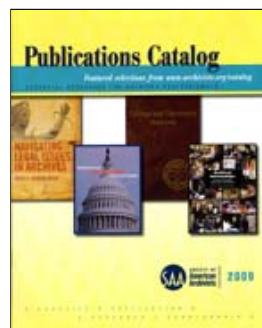
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July 7-11, 2008—#0901

University of California, San Diego (UCSD)

La Jolla, California

Registration Fees:

Early bird (on or before April 7, 2008)

SAA Members—\$285; Non members—\$365

Regular (after April 7, 2008)

SAA Members—\$335; Non members—\$415;

Housing Fee:

\$636 for 6 nights (includes 3 meals/day, parking and internet connection in dorm)

After April 7, 2008: Campus Housing is no longer guaranteed.

Both fees are due upon registration!

To register: Please download the **Electronic Records "Summer Camp" Registration Form (PDF)** and fax to SAA Headquarters.

"Summer Camp" begins with an introduction to electronic records and the components of an electronic records program. Day 1 concludes with a demonstration of technologies used to establish archival repositories and digital libraries around the world. On Days 2 through 4, you'll discuss each major archival function - appraisal and disposition, accessioning, arrangement, description, preservation, and access - and view a demonstration of some of the relevant technologies, discuss the archival implications of what you just saw, and participate in hands-on exercises using the demonstrated technologies with electronic records from your home institution. Before you leave "Summer Camp" you'll develop a plan for the next steps to take when you return to your institution.

Upon completion of Summer Camp, you'll be able to:

- Understand what electronic records are and some of the challenges they pose;
- Recognize components of an electronic records program;
- Discuss and examine various technical and organizational issues;
- Select from available tools/technologies what's needed to help you address electronic records issues;
- Demonstrate a preservation environment based on your hands-on experience working with electronic records;
- Leave SummerCamp with a functioning preservation environment that enforces preservation policies.

To ensure maximum gains from Summer Camp, please:

- Read the advanced reading material.
- Bring a laptop to the Camp that runs either Linux (Redhat, Ubuntu), Solaris, or Mac operating system. If you don't have a laptop, we'll provide use of a PC. We expect we'll be able to also support Windows systems.
- Have familiarity with web browsers (Internet Explorer, Safari, Firefox, etc.).
- Select a small collection of electronic records from your own institution (roughly 20 items) that can be preserved during the Summer Camp. The collection should be accessible through a web browser or brought on a CD-ROM, thumb drive, or USB drive.
- Be comfortable with Windows, Mac, Solaris, or Linux desktop environments.

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Who should attend? Archivists with a good understanding of archival principles and techniques who need basic, practical, hands-on training to apply those principles to records in electronic form.

Enrollment is limited to 25.

Presenters:

Reagan Moore, Richard Marciano, and Chien-Yi Hou, San Diego Supercomputer Center; Mike Smorul, University of Maryland; Mark Conrad, National Archives and Records Administration (NARA), Electronic Records Archives (ERA) Program. [[Click here to view the presenters' bios.](#)]

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Welcome to the UCLA Informatics Wiki!

The era of blogs and wikis is upon us... Blogs, wikis, and other forms of online social networking act as valuable information channels as well as virtual "places" to interact with like-minded individuals. And though we live in an age of information abundance, even we, as information professionals, struggle to define "informatics". **What better communication forum than a wiki to engage in the debate surrounding a definition of our own community?** So if you find yourself either asking or answering the question "What exactly is informatics?" you've come to the right place!

You can use the right *SideBar* to navigate through content. Check out [Related Disciplines \(Related Disciplines\)](#) to find **academic programs, journals and associations** organized by informatics-related fields.

Participate in our Informatics Wiki!

Use the Comments tag!

This wiki is a community of practice. We welcome your thoughts and opinions. We invite you to help grow our resources by contributing content highlighting informatics programs, classes, journals, professional organizations, conferences, jobs, and scholars. Help us define informatics by adding to any page.

Please feel free to add/edit/delete these pages if you have joined our group or offer suggestions to uclainformatics@googlegroups.com (<mailto:uclainformatics@googlegroups.com>)

Have fun!

General Disclaimer: the ideas and opinions expressed on this wiki are those of collaborating graduate students involved in the project. Though generally supported by the Information Studies department at UCLA, this wiki is not meant to represent the UCLA Information Studies faculty or administration in any official manner.

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at 1:03 pm on Jun 30, 2006

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mescamilla@... said

at 3:46 pm on Jul 6, 2006

I love this wiki so far!!!!



Jill said

at 3:51 pm on Jul 16, 2006

I love this wiki so far also!

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