

sALA Meeting Minutes – 11/14/08

Agenda

- Introduction to sALA & officers
- Book Arts event
- Career panel possibilities
- Suggestions for future events

Book Arts event - December 3rd

- Time: Start at 5:15pm
- Pizza afterwards, (i.e. 6:45)
- Content: mini book magnets (Anne can show some examples of cool book arts she's created or been given and maybe do a 2 min history of book arts too)
- Room is reserved from 5-8
- Who can:
 - 1. **Food** - order pizza, pay/sign for pizza the night of, buy soda/bring soda
 - maybe Cadi or Erin or Renee
 - 2. Renee will: get a parking voucher for Anne -
 - will: create a 1 question catalyst survey for participants (max 20)
 - will: take care of publicity for the event, i.e. email - maybe a few flyers
 - will: create handouts, i.e. instructions for the book arts

Career panel possibilities - Thursday 3:30

- HR representatives - process of applying to different jobs (public, private libraries)

Suggestions for future events

- future of cataloging panel in spring quarter (beginning)
 - Allyson, someone from SPL
 - how to gain interest from 1st years who haven't taken cataloging yet ("the case for cataloging")
- intellectual freedom panel?
 - what would be a good supplement for 1st years who will be in 550 at the time
 - tie in practical applications?
 - maybe wait until 550
- regional library conferences: Matt and Erin
 - needs and wants for conferences
- conferencing 101 - March 5th (how to network, how to meet people, how to decide what to go to)
 - go through and plan out what to do at the conference
 - talk about what's being offered at the conference (look at tentative schedule for the conference)
- Matt and Erin - working on a centralized document that has all conferences/deadlines, etc
- DFW info - find out from Marie if they are doing another one, that everyone can come to
 - with people who have done it before (social hour)
 - if they are not planning one, we can plan one
 - where people are working now (what current practical experience)
- list of names/contact info for professionals who are willing to be contacted
 - potential project to be started by us, completed by others
 - Silverfish
 - Marie might have information