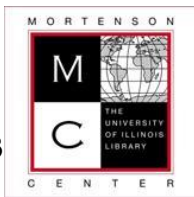


2013
July



Mortenson Center for International Library Programs

Russian Librarians

1-July 13, 2013

DRAFT 6/03/13

Schedule is subject to change.

Program Objectives:

1. To gain a better understanding of how public libraries are managed in the U.S.
2. To understand how youth services are organized and managed in public libraries
3. To learn how to market library services
4. To hear about the latest trends in library services
5. To visit a variety of public libraries
6. To become familiar with new technologies used in public libraries

Calendar of Events:

Monday 01 July 2013

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Arrival in Chicago

A Mortenson Center staff member will meet you at the airport. A Peoria Charter bus will take you to your lodgings in Urbana, IL. This trip will take approximately 2.5 hours.

Tuesday 02 July 2013

NOTE: Please bring your passport and DS-2019 with you for the Paperwork session.

8:00 am

Meet in Lobby of Sherman Hall

Stephanie Chung will meet you in the lobby of Sherman Hall to walk to the ACES Library together.

8:00 – 8:30 am

Continental Breakfast

(ACES Heritage Room)

A light continental breakfast, coffee, and other beverages will be served.

8:30 – 11:00 am

Welcome & Introduction

(ACES Heritage Room)

Barbara Ford, Director, Mortenson Center

Susan Schnuer, Associate Director, Mortenson Center

Lindy Wheatley, Office Support Specialist, Mortenson Center

Susan Harum, Project Coordinator, Mortenson Center

Stephanie Chung, Graduate Student Project Coordinator, Mortenson Center

We will introduce ourselves to each other. Each person will very briefly (~2 minutes)

which library they are from and what they do in their position. Over the course of the program, we hope to get to know you much better.

Program Overview & Schedule

(ACES Heritage Room)

Mortenson Center Team

We will go through the program's schedule day-by-day and describe the sessions. This will be an excellent opportunity to ask any questions you have so that the whole group can benefit from the answers. You are welcome and encouraged to ask questions at any time during the program. The Mortenson Team is here to help you. We will also ask you for questions for our session with the University Librarian next week.

11:00 - 12:00 pm **Fill out DisC Profiles** *(ACES 509)*

12:00 - 1:00 pm **Lunch (provided at ACES)**

1:00 - 2:00 pm **Tour of the Center for Children's Books**
Deborah Stevenson Director, Center for Children's Books

Wednesday 03 July 2013

9:00 - 12:00 noon **Public Library Overview** *(Grainger Commons)*
Bob Burger, Lecturer

12:00 - 1:15 pm **Lunch (on your own)**

1:15 pm **Meet Stephanie Chung at Mortenson Center**

1:45 - 5:00 pm **Tour of Urbana Free Library**
Deb Lissak, Director
Joel Spencer, Adult Services Librarian

Thursday 04 July 2013 - Independence Day

An annual American Federal Holiday celebrating the Signing of the Declaration of Independence on July 4, 1776.

11:00- 2:00 pm **July 4th Parade (on your own)**
Starts near First & Florida Avenue. Continues East on Florida to Lincoln Ave. then proceeds North on Lincoln Ave to California.

6:00 pm **Meet in Lobby of Sherman Hall for Transportation**

6:30 - 8:30 pm **Dinner at the home of Richard and Susan Schnuer**
2303 Savanna Drive, Champaign

8:30 pm **Return to Campus**

9:00 - 11:00 pm **Fireworks at Memorial Stadium Field (on your own)**

Friday 05 July 2013

- 8:15 am **Meet at Mortenson Center for Walk to Illini Union**
- 8:30 - 12:00 pm **Libraries Supporting Development**
Susan Schnuer, Associate Director, Mortenson Center (*Illini Union - Room 209*)
- 12:00 - 1:00 pm **Lunch (on your own)**
- 1:00 – 5:00 pm **Youth Librarianship in the U.S.** (*Illini Union - Room 209*)
Frances Harris, University High School Librarian

Saturday 06 July 2013

- 9:25am **Meet in Lobby of Sherman Hall for Transportation to Arthur**
- 9:30 am **Leave for Amish Country**
This activity will give you a look at a small rural American town and the diversity of people that can be found in even a small population. You will also have lunch with an Amish family. Please be aware that Amish people do not want their pictures taken.
- 10:00 – 11:15 am **Tour of Amish Museum and Rockome Gardens**
127 N County Road 425E Arcola, IL
- 11:45 – 1:00 pm **Lunch in an Amish Home**
- 1:00 - 3:00 pm **The Great Pumpkin Patch**
1749A CR 1900 N Arthur, IL 61911
- 3:00 - 5:00 pm **Shopping in Tuscola Outlets**

Sunday 07 July 2013

Free Day

Monday 08 July 2013

NOTE: If you are traveling on a J-1 Visa, please bring your passport and DS-2019 with you for the J-1 Visa Orientation Session.

- 8:30 - 9:30 am **ISSS J-1 Visa Orientation** (*UGL 291*)
Briaunna Z. Ponder, Assistant Director, International Student and Scholar Services
Participants will fill out the ISSS electronic check-in form using their DS-2019 and passport information. A brief orientation session on the requirements of the J-1 visa will follow.

- 9:30 - 11:00 am **Current Topics in Youth Services** *(UGL 291)*
 Carol Tilley, Assistant Professor, The Graduate School of Library and Information
 Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; Affiliate Faculty, The Center for
 Children's Books (CCB); Co-Editor, School Library Research
- 11:00 - 12:15 pm **Lunch (on your own)**
- 12:30 pm **Meet at Mortenson Center to Walk to the Grainger Library**
- 1:00 - 4:00 pm **FISH!: A Customer Service Philosophy** *(Grainger Commons)*
 Jan Ison, Consultant
 The FISH! Philosophy is a set of simple, practical tools to help you create the work
 culture you've been looking for. It's a way to build stronger relationships that equip you
 to face your challenges more effectively. The FISH! Philosophy fulfills the most basic
 needs of human beings who, in turn, fulfill the needs of the organization - more
 connected teams, better communication, extraordinary service and higher retention.

Tuesday **09 July 2013**

- 9:00 am – 12:00 pm **DiSC Communications Workshop** *(Grainger Commons)*
 Shirley Stelbrink, Learning Alliances Company
 This workshop will assist you in learning how communication styles
 and preferences influence work relationships.
- 12:00 – 1:00 pm **Lunch (provided at Grainger) - Ordered**
- 1:00 - 4:30 pm **DiSC Communications Workshop** *(Grainger Commons)*
 Shirley Stelbrink, Learning Alliances Company

Wednesday **10 July 2013**

- 8:45 am **Youth Librarians - Meet at Mortenson Center for Walk to YMCA
 Directors - Meet at Grainger Commons**
- 9:00 - 12:00 am **America's History Through** *(Lutzer Hall - University YMCA)*
Culture and Music - for the Youth Librarians
 Scott Schwartz, Archivist, Sousa Archives
 Martin Stromberg, Curator
- 12:00 - 1:00 pm **Lunch (on your own)**
- 1:00 - 4:00 pm **Marketing for Public Libraries** *(Grainger Commons)*
 Meg Edwards, Advising Coordinator, Graduate School of Library and Information
 Science
- 6:00 - 8:00 pm **Graduation/Farewell Dinner** *(Illini Union - Colonial Room)*
 Congratulations! You did it! We will have a farewell dinner together to celebrate
 the end of the program and all your hard work.

Thursday 11 July 2013

6:30 am **Meet in Lobby of Sherman Hall for Transportation to Evanston and Chicago, IL**

10:00 - 11:00 **Presentation by Mariana Tax Choldin**
(Evanston Public Library Meeting Room)
Mariana Tax Choldin, Former Distinguished Professor and Director of the Mortenson Center.

11:00 am - 12:00 pm **Tour of the Evanston Public Library Teen Loft**
Renee Neumeier, Young Adult Librarian, Evanston Public Library

12:00 - 12:30 pm **Travel to ALA (American Library Association) Headquarters**

12:30 - 1:30 pm **Luncheon provided at ALA**
(Carnegie Room)

1:30 - 5:00 pm **Tour of ALA Headquarters**

Overview of ALA
Michael Dowling, International Relations Office

YALSA Initiatives
Beth Yoke, Executive Director, Young Adult Library Services Librarian

Trends in Public Libraries
Barb Macikas, Executive Director, Public Library Association

5:00 pm **Meet for Transportation to Club Quarters**

Friday 12 July 2013

Chicago Public Library

12:30 - 1:45 pm **Lunch** *(Reception Hall)*

Saturday 13 July 2013

Departures