

- Guelph University Library
- University of Toronto Mississauga Library
- Fort Frances Public Library (CEO search)
- Ulla deStricker, non-traditional career options
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#### **THE HUMAN LIBRARY**

Books may be reserved for '30-minute reads'! Drop in to the Career Centre to see the full list of books and availability! Examples include:

- Meg Ecclestone "Going Over to the Dark Side: Life as a Vendor Rep"
- Mary Ann Mavirnac "A for Academic Library Administration"
- Eva Dodsworth "Marking a Mark: Adventures of a GIS Librarian"
- Krista Godfrey "An Accidental Techy"
- Ulla de Stricker "Thinking of Setting up Shop as an Independent? Practicalities to Consider"
- Joel E Sutherland "The Barbarian Librarian"
- Stephen Abram "The View From the Lighthouse"
- Mike Ridley "Geek and Dork: IT and Library Leader"

## **OLA AND OLA DIVISIONAL AWARDS**

Each year OLA honours the outstanding work of members and member institutions that further the ideals and values of the library and information sector. Throughout the conference, over two dozen awards will be presented at AGMs, and all-conference events. Please see page 117 for a complete list.

# MINISTRY OF TOURISM, CULTURE AND SPORT AWARDS

These awards are presented at the Public Library Awards Dinner on Thursday evening — a ticketed event.

#### **OLA FOREST OF READING®**

The Forest welcomes S&B Books as the official wholesaler and supporter. Visit them in booth 511 at EXPO 2012. Visit the OLA Forest of Reading® in booth #340 to chat about the program with one of the Selection and/or Steering Committee members.

- Attend the Forest of Reading® Winners Showcase –
  Session #301 on Thursday at 9:05 AM in MTCC 203
  A/B. OLA welcomes the winners of the 2011 programs
  (Blue Spruce, Silver Birch, Red Maple and White Pine).
- Purchase bookmarks in the OLAStore listing the 2012 nominees!
- Attend the Evergreen<sup>™</sup> Award Session #1200 on Friday at 2:10 PM in MTCC 104C

### THE MASSAGE ZONE

Ahhhh!!!! Enjoy a 5-minute chair massage by Massage on Wheels during your hectic day at the OLA Super Conference on Thursday or Friday between 10:00 AM — 4:00 PM. Optional donations are being accepted towards the Larry Moore Challenge, awarded tri-annually to encourage and foster leadership in innovation in librarianship and libraries in Canada. The Ontario Library Association has led innovation in Canada by supporting and investing in some of the country's most ambitious projects.

The Larry Moore Fund wishes to encourage this kind of seminal thinking and to provide a catalyst for the generation of ideas that will keep library and information centres relevant and useful to everyone who would use them, virtually or in person. Apply in Fall 2012 for next year's award. Information about timelines and criteria is available online at www.accessola.com.

Tax receipts will not be issued for donations through this venue due to administrative complexity. If you wish to make a larger donation and receive a tax receipt please contact the OLA Office or visit www.accessola.com

## **SUPER CONFERENCE APP**

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## **OLA ADVOCACY COMMITTEE**

You are so lucky that you work in a library because you get to read all day. You don't? What do you do then? Delegates, the OLA Advocacy Committee is developing a strategy to showcase our value and what we do. You are invited to write about what you do in your job on a pillar in the main foyer of the MTCC, or tweet using the following tag: #whatidolibrary

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