

# to Your Desktop:

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participate, and the charge is by the site. With a data projector, the opportunities for you and your local colleagues are limitless!

## Tips for getting the most out of the Education Institute:

- ◆ take a thorough look at the course offerings, either in the booklet received through the mail, or on the Education Institute or OLA Web sites. Sessions aimed at teacher-librarians will likely be the first to catch your attention, but have a good look at programs from other library sectors, too. Extending our learning beyond the world of the school can only enhance our professional knowledge and make us better teachers.
- ◆ talk to your local colleagues and plan to participate in audio conferences and Web conferences together at one site. Not only will this save you money, but your learning experience will be enhanced by your own discussions and opportunities for local planning.
- ◆ spread the word. Tell your teaching colleagues and school administrators about sessions of particular interest. Partnering for learning with your peers can only enhance opportunities for collaborative teaching and broaden understanding of the importance of the school library program.
- ◆ voice your needs. If you are looking for professional help on a topic not offered or you have an idea for an Education Institute session, please contact your OSLA Continuing Education Committee. ■

Your OSLA Continuing Education Committee:  
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## Upcoming Education Institute Sessions

February 20, 2007 4:00 pm  
**Histori.ca:  
The Richness of Canada's History!**  
Tanya Zaritsky  
Web Conference

February 27, 2007 3:00 pm  
**Mother Goose on the Loose**  
Betsy Diamont Cohen  
Audio Conference

March 1, 2007 4:00 pm  
**The Novel Museum:  
A Hands-on Link to Literacy**  
Pat Elliott  
Audio Conference

March 20, 2007 4:00 pm  
**Web 2.0 Tools for  
Teaching and Learning**  
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Web Conference

21 Mars 2007 4:00 pm  
**L'Encyclopedie canadienne  
et Histori.ca!**  
Claire Citeau  
Web Conference

March 22, 2007 4:00 pm  
**Developing Critical Thinking  
Skills Through Media Literacy**  
Belinha DeAbreau  
Audio Conference

March 27, 2007 4:00 pm  
**Rethinking School Library  
Connections: Canadian History**  
Myra Junyk  
Audio Conference

**Watch for the  
EDUCATION INSTITUTE  
Spring 2007 catalogue coming in  
February!**