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Congratulations to Kristi Palmer, Metadata Librarian and liaison to the History Department, IUPUI University Library, for being named as one of the Library Journal 2009 Movers & Shakers. Kristi's achievements are highlighted in the Tech Evangelist category. We applaud her work with the institutional repository, the Open Journal System and the digital collections at IUPUI. Kristi is a 2003 IU MLIS graduate. Read more here.

Submitted by: Robin Crumrin, Associate Dean, Collections & Information Access, IUPUI University Library

Library News and Events

Deadline for Research Incentive Grants Extended

The next deadline for the Research Incentive Grants has been extended to April 15 (the deadline was originally April 1). So there is still time to apply! To do so, go to www.indiana.edu/~inula and click on the link for 'Grants & Scholarship Opportunities', then click on the link for the 'Application Form for the Research Incentive Fund'.

Submitted by: Keith Cochran, Music Collection Development Librarian/Associate Director, William & Gayle Cook Music Library

Indiana Online Users Group (IOLUG) Spring 2009 Program

Registration is now open for the IOLUG Spring 2009 Program, Next-Generation Catalogs: New Worlds to Explore.

Join your IOLUG colleagues for a day of programming centered on "Next-Generation Catalogs." Learn about the next-gen catalog movement and features of these new interfaces, from user reviews and images to more intuitive searching. Through keynotes and other sessions hear from librarians who have managed these solutions hands-on—their successes and challenges, as well as attempts to meet user needs and expectations using this new set of tools.

Eric Lease Morgan (University of Notre Dame), noted library trend-watcher and next-gen catalog expert, will be the keynote speaker. Other sessions include procurement and management of next-generation catalogs, an introduction to WorldCat Local, an open source ILS update, and lightning presentations and demos of eighteen different software solutions! In the closing keynote, Sean Robinson (Allen County Public Library) will focus on the user experience of next-gen catalogs and touch on ACPL's use of LibraryThing in their system. Come to IOLUG Spring '09 and explore these new worlds!

When: May 15, 2009

Where: Indiana Wesleyan University Indianapolis Education Center, North

Registration: \$30 for current IOLUG members or \$50 for non-members. This includes breaks, lunch, and speakers' handouts. For a complete schedule, directions, and to register online visit: <http://www.iolug.org/2009spring.php>

Submitted by: IOLUG Program Committee

2009 IU Circle of Life Mini Marathon

The IU Circle of Life Mini Marathon and 5K races are set for April 4th 2009. These 13.1 mile and 5K races raise funds for scholarships for cancer survivors. Pre race ceremonies will start at 7:30 am in the IU Athletics complex parking lot at 17th St. and Fee Lane. The Mini Marathon starts at 8am and the 5K at 8:10 am.

Race Participants can register, pick up packets, and visit an expo in the Harry Gladstein Fieldhouse from 4p.m. to 8 p.m. on April 3rd and from 6:15 a.m. to 7:45 a.m. on April 4th. Check out www.iumini.com to register or for more information.

Submitted by: Health, Wellness, and Ergonomics Group