Welcome to the University of Washington
Site of the 2014 Library Assessment Conference

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2014 Library Assessment Conference
Seattle, Washington

• It’s a fact – Seattle has the best summer weather in the USA [http://cliffmass.blogspot.com/2013/07/secret-revealed-northwest-has-best.html](http://cliffmass.blogspot.com/2013/07/secret-revealed-northwest-has-best.html)
• Workshops on Sunday afternoon August 3 and Thursday morning August 7
• Keynotes, papers, panels and lightening talks August 4–6
• Poster reception Monday evening August 4
• Conference reception Tuesday evening August 5
• Breakfast and lunch provided August 4 to 6
Conference Updates

• Added two new presentation formats:
  – Lightning talks
  – Panels
• Conference reception held outdoors
• Keynote speakers include Lorcan Dempsey (OCLC Research), Margie Jantti (Wollongong in Australia) and others
Proposal Received by Type 2012/2014

2012 (229 proposals)
- 72% Paper
- 28% Poster

2014 (254 proposals)
- 51% Paper
- 22% Poster
- 19% Panel
- 8% Lightning
Proposal Review and Registration Timeline

• Proposals reviewed by Conference Planning Committee and submitted to Program Committee by February 28
• Program Committee reviews and makes decisions on March 10.
• Submitters notified beginning March 17
• Registration opens in April
  – Expecting 550 registrants; hope to keep registration fee the same as in 2012 ($425)
Venues

The Conference will be held on the UW campus

- Husky Union Building (HUB) completely rebuilt in 2012
  - Keynote addresses
  - Paper presentations
  - Poster session and reception
  - Pick up breakfast/lunch
- Odegaard Undergraduate Library (OUGL), major renovation completed in 2013
  - Two active learning classrooms for lightning talks and some workshops
Lodging

There is no “on-campus’ lodging available, these are closest

• Alder Hall (new student housing). Closest to campus. 150 rooms all ensuite. Least expensive place.
• Silver Cloud Inn. Furthest from venues. Shuttle provided for small groups. Free parking.
  – 100 rooms
• Hotel Deca - 50 rooms
• Watertown Hotel – 50 rooms
• University Inn – 50 rooms
• Downtown Seattle is a 15-20 minute bus ride away
Thanks to Our Planning & Program Committees!

Planning Committee
• Nisa Bakkalbasi
• Jackie Belanger
• Rachel Besara
• Lisa Hinchliffe
• Lori Kloda
• Jennifer Nutefall
• Kathy Perry
• Stephen Town

Program Committee
(also on Planning Committee)
• Bob Fox
• Steve Hiller (co-chair)
• Martha Kyrillidou (co-chair)
• Megan Oakleaf
• Jim Self (co-chair emeritus)
• Joe Zucca
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Tentative Workshops

• Documenting library value through use of library and institutional data – Margie Jantti
• Library Value – Megan Oakleaf
• Learning Outcomes – Megan Oakleaf
• Library Space – Kim Duckett
• LibQual+® - Raynna Bowlby, Martha Kyrillidou
• Balanced Scorecard - Donna Tolson, Vivian Lewis, Liz Mengel