



IFLA Core Activity on Preservation and Conservation (PAC)

Mid-year conference

SALVAGE IN CASE OF DISASTER IN LIBRARIES AND ARCHIVES: HOW **RFID** AND REGULAR PRACTICAL TRAINING CAN HELP TO BE EFFICIENT

More information and registration:

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Organizers: COSADOCA (COnsortium de SAuvetage des DOcuments en cas de CAstrophe) and Bibliothèque cantonale et universitaire de Lausanne – Unithèque – 1015 Lausanne – Switzerland

<http://www.cosadoca.ch/>

Place: University of Lausanne – Switzerland – Amphimax, Room 350 – Simultaneous interpretation: English – French

<http://www.unil.ch/acces/page36436.html>

Registration fees: 200 CHF including coffee breaks, lunches and cultural evening.

Accommodation: 16 hotels in Lausanne

Single 100 CHF - 233 CHF per night

Double 140 CHF - 264.40 CHF per night

PROGRAMME

Wednesday 26th March 2008: R.F.I.D. and Collections Salvage

8h30-9h15: Registration and welcome coffee

9h20 - 10h: The use of R.F.I.D. in libraries

- RFID definition and current utilization in libraries

10h00-10h15: Coffee break

10h15-12h30: Identification and follow-up needs for the documents in case of disaster

- The circuit for damaged documents evacuated from a disaster area
- Round table and debates:
 - When do we need to identify a document during the salvage process?
 - What kind of information concerning the document do we need during the salvage operations?
 - For how long the document has to be followed up?
 - What kind of tools do we need to follow-up the damaged documents?

Summary and synthesis of the round tables

12h30-14h: Lunch at Dorigny's Restaurant

14h-15h30: From idea to realization

- RFID strength of materials
- RFID respect of privacy problems
- What kind of link between catalogues and RFID chips? What kind of information inside the chips? In which form?

For a global concept of cultural heritage with RFID assistance

- The Swiss Project « Notre patrimoine se raconte » (“Our heritage talks about itself”)

15h30-16h: Coffee break

16h – 17h30: Concept of practical training

- Introduction: the Swiss Protection for Cultural heritage
- Differences between a casually tested disaster plan and a consistent training programme
- COSADOCA: an example of cooperation for training and response in case of disaster in libraries and archives

20h: Cultural evening

Discovery of Canton de Vaud culinary heritage

Taste the recipes from 17th to 20th century in Palais de Rumine!

Thursday 27th March: Exercises: Utility of a regular training to save our collections

8h30: Registration and coffee

8h45 -10h00: Training

- Design of an exercise: methodology
- Role of the partners and relation with archives and libraries staff
- The Civil Protection
- The Fire Department
- Attendees' safety

10h00-10h20: Coffee break

10h 20-11h: Transfer to Gollion, place for the civil protection exercises in Canton de Vaud (civil protection busses)

11h-13h: Drinks and Lunch at the Restaurant near the Civil Protection Center in Gollion

13h -16h30 Training and exercises

- Presentation of the different stages
- Attendees' equipment: distribution of helmets. Safety code presentation.
- Sight-seeing tour of the different zones following the course of damaged documents
- Exercises in each zone:
 - o The buffer area
 - o The urgent sorting area
 - o The air dry area
 - o The Front Headquarter
 - o The Back Headquarter

16h30-16h45: Restitution of helmets

17h00: Debriefing and drinks

17h30: Departure for Lausanne

Friday 28th March: Meeting of the IFLA-PAC Section standing Committee

8h30-12h: Standing Committee of IFLA PAC Section in BCU Dorigny conference room

12h-13h: Lunch at the Restaurant in Dorigny

13h09: Metro TSOL to Renens, then train to Geneva, and bus to Coligny

15h-17h: Visit of the Bodmer Foundation in Coligny Geneva
(French and English visit)

Open to all the participants with special registration