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PREFACE

Compiling an annual report is a chore that most people would rather avoid. In a busy working situation we concentrate on the present concerns of our immediate environment. When we look beyond that we prefer to look ahead. But an annual report is an opportunity to reflect on where we want to go based on where we have been.

In many ways 2006 was a better year than 2005, both financially and operationally, but it was not without challenges. As recommended in the report on the externally facilitated business process review which had been conducted at IFLA Headquarters towards the end of 2005, we worked especially on improving our efficiency and on developing our capacity for advocacy.

An IT scoping study was carried out. It focussed on the modernisation of our website (IFLANET) and the use of IT in streamlining key business processes. For practical and financial reasons we started with the redevelopment of our membership system. This proved to be a tough nut to crack. We experienced setbacks and delays, but it was also a valuable learning experience.

We made progress with two aspects of advocacy. Conceptually, we clarified what advocacy IFLA should be engaged in, how it should be organised, and what resources it requires. Practically, we focussed on the follow-up of the World Summit on the Information Society (WSIS). We identified the WSIS "action lines" that are of greatest relevance to IFLA and our profession, and deployed staff and volunteers to represent us at international meetings held to pursue the action lines. To coordinate the advocacy work, the President-elect's Information Society Contact Group was set up.

This report reflects progress that was achieved in many other facets of our Federation: strategic planning; reviews of our professional structures, core activities and governance; multilingualism; regional offices; the organisation of congresses; partnerships; and the development and promotion of professional practice across the full spectrum of our profession, world-wide. If it seems sometimes that we are not advancing rapidly enough, it is because we are advancing on such a broad front.

This annual report reminds us of the wide range of IFLA's activities and impacts, and offers us an opportunity to celebrate our successes and take courage from what we have achieved, thanks to the work of our staff, our hardworking officers, and many hundreds of loyal members across the globe.

Peter Lor Secretary General

INTRODUCTION

This annual report covers the period of the calendar year 2006.

During this year IFLA held its general conference – the *IFLA* Wo*rld Library* and *Information Congress* - in Seoul, Korea. During a busy week in August it attracted thousands of participants.

This report reflects only the major activities during the period under review. Fuller reports on the activities of IFLA's professional units can be found in the reports of the Core Activities and Sections on IFLA's website IFLANET www.ifla.org

MEMBERSHIP

During this reporting period there was a substantial increase in membership of the Federation.

As of 31 December 2006, IFLA had a total of 1784 associations, institutions, persons and corporations (from 149 different countries) in membership. Details are provided in Annex 1.

COUNCIL MEETING, SEOUL

The IFLA Council held its meeting on 24 August. It was for the first time that this meeting was held at the end of the conference only (and not divided in two parts, at both the beginning and the end).

President Alex Byrne stated in his report that IFLA is in good shape. With more than 1700 members in nearly 150 nations, indirectly representing many hundreds of thousands of information professionals, and the interests of several billion users of our services, we are a large and influential professional association. He focused on the role that IFLA continues to play in following up the World Summit on the Information Society (2003, 2005). The formal Summit process has finished but the work continues. Librarians individually in their practice and through each of the library associations must continue to advocate the role of libraries and information services in the information society. We must use the declaration of the Summit and our own statements and declarations to influence the governments of our nations and regional groupings to invest in libraries and information services.

Secretary General, Peter Lor, presented his report in which he concluded that IFLA had a better year than the previous one, both financially and operationally. IFLA has consolidated its operations and is organising itself for working more effectively in its three pillars, delivering services to members, supporting a wide range of professional projects and activities, and promoting the contribution of libraries and information to making a better, more humane world. The Secretary General divided his report into two parts. Under the heading *Organising ourselves for action* he first described the business process review at IFLA Headquarters and under the heading *IFLA on the move* the Secretary General outlined some of the steps IFLA is taking to reach out more effectively to members, the profession and society worldwide.

On behalf of the Treasurer, Gunnar Sahlin, he also reported on the financial results for 2005 and the budget for 2006. The fiscal year 2005 showed a gain of 330,000 euros compared to 2004. The surplus from 2005 was added to the General Reserve. IFLA's Auditor issued an "unqualified opinion"; this was the first time that IFLA's Annual Accounts were without remarks.

Paul Sturges, Chair of IFLA's FAIFE Committee made a brief report. He urged IFLA and its members to ensure that legislative bodies should not be allowed to deny or damage the fundamental rights of freedom of opinion and expression. Particular circumstances may call for protest against surveillance of library users. Sturges called for vigilance and action.

Claudia Lux reported briefly on her President-elect Programme. Its theme is *Libraries on the Agenda!* A brainstorming session during the conference attracted 80 delegates. She mentioned some items out of many from that meeting, indicating methods that can be used for better advocacy: having strong and united library associations which are actively supported by their members; providing politicians with ideas for policy making; showing results, not only values; using statistics, storytelling, case studies; getting librarians in governmental positions.

GOVERNANCE

The Governing Board and its committees

A complete overview of the Governing Board membership, including its committees, is provided in Annex 3.

During the report period IFLA's Governing Board (GB) held meetings on 15 and 16 March (The Hague), 18 and 26 August (Seoul) and 6 and 7 December (The Hague). During the same weeks most of the subcommittees of the Board also held their meetings.

The main issues covered by the Governing Board during the report period were the financial situation of IFLA, the role that advocacy should play in IFLA's activities and the outcome of the review of business processes at IFLA Headquarters (HQ) that had been executed in 2005: recommending further IT development (IFLANET, as well as administration at HQ) and the establishment of a strong advocacy component within the IFLA Headquarters.

A special working group continued the evaluation of IFLA's governance structure, including its Statutes [2000] and Rules of Procedure [2001].

The GB decided to add Arabic and Chinese to the list of IFLA languages. As a consequence Chinese was used as one of the languages in which a selection of sessions during the conference in Seoul was served with simultaneous interpretation; a number of papers were translated into Chinese. Arabic will follow this path in the near future.

Milan was selected as the host city for the IFLA World Library and Information Congress in August 2009.

The GB also approved initiatives to establish new IFLA offices and during the report period searches started for a new IFLA Regional Office for Africa and for IFLA Language Centres for the Russian speaking, as well for the Arabic speaking professional communities.

After discussions during a number of consecutive meetings of the GB, the Board approved a *Strategic Plan* at its meeting in December. In addition a *Code of Ethics* and *Branding Guidelines* were approved. These key documents are available on IFLANET www.ifla.org in a growing number of language versions.

An overview of IFLA's consolidated accounts for 2006 is included as Annex 2. These accounts show a less favourable result than in 2005, but in part this is due to technical accounting reasons.

Professional Committee

During the report period, the Professional Committee (PC) met on 14 and 16 March (The Hague), 18 August (Seoul) and 5 and 7 December (The Hague).

An overview of the membership of the PC as of 31 December 2006 can be found in Annex 3.

Apart from a large number of items regarding the administrative part of the professional structure (financial allocations, project management), the main issues on the agenda of the PC throughout the year were the programme for the annual conference, and the review of IFLA's Sections.

A committee of former PC Chairs drafted a number of proposals, based on the outcome of the review of Sections during the preceding years. The restructuring proposals formed the subject of a hearing that was held during the Seoul conference. Approximately 250 members of all of IFLA's Sections' Standing Committees attended this session. The proposals were met with much appreciation. Comments were fed back into the Professional Committee and will lead to the development of further, more concrete and detailed plans for IFLA's future professional structure, to be presented to the membership at next year's conference.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Divisions and Sections

IFLA Sections can be considered as the main platforms for the professional work of the members. During the report period there were 45 Sections, grouped under 8 Divisions.

Three new Discussion Groups were approved: *E-Learning; Access to Information Network Africa; Women, Information and Libraries.*

The professional work includes the organisation of parts of the annual conference as well as specialised seminars, workshops and conferences. Moreover it includes research and publications. Most of the sections publish their own newsletters; more details can be found at www.ifla.org/act-serv.htm#sections

Publications

IFLA Journal continued to be published by Sage Publications (UK). Four issues were published during the report period.

Both the *IFLA Publications Series* and the *IFLA Series on Bibliographic Control* continued to be published by K.G. Saur Verlag (Germany). Together with a couple of titles in Saur's general Library and Information Studies Programme, a total of 10 new books were issued in 2006.

The *Professional Reports* series also continued to include new titles. Various new publications were issued by IFLA Core Activities and several statements were issued throughout the year.

IFLA's website, IFLANET, continued to be IFLA's main communication tool. A scoping study was undertaken to determine the future development of IFLANET and the integration of IFLA's membership and financial systems. Work commenced on the latter project.

An overview of Publications in 2006 is available as Annex 4.

ADVOCACY

To give impetus to IFLA's advocacy work, an advocacy workshop was held in The Hague immediately preceding the Governing Board meeting in March 2006.

It was attended by representatives of CLM, FAIFE, our WSIS advocacy team, the Governing Board and Headquarters staff. It endorsed the finding of the business process review that IFLA should concentrate of three main advocacy themes:

- Freedom: including such issues as freedom of access to information and freedom of expression, that are being dealt with by FAIFE
- Equity: including such issues as equitable information flows between nations and fair intellectual property regimes, that are being dealt with by CLM
- Inclusion: which covers two related aspects, the role of the library as an agency of social inclusion (combating the marginalisation and alienation of minorities and less powerful groups in society), and the inclusion of the library as a central agency in the Information Society a theme of our WSIS advocacy during 2003-2005

The workshop agreed that the three themes are interrelated and should not be confined each to its own silo.

Since the second World Summit on the Information Society, held in Tunis in November 2005, IFLA officers and representatives have spoken at a number of national and regional meetings of librarians and information workers to inform them about the Summits and the Summit outcomes, which include significant positive statements about the role of libraries in the development of

the Information Society. Library advocates can use these statements to improve the position of libraries in their own countries.

Worldwide, the Summit is being followed up by various actors and in various forums.

The "action lines" that were defined in the Geneva Plan of Action, following the first Summit in Geneva in 2003, have become important focal points for follow-up work. In June a post-WISIS advocacy workshop analysed the action lines, prioritised them from IFLA's perspective, and worked out strategies for follow-up. To coordinate the advocacy work, IFLA's President-elect's Working Group has been set up. It includes members of the Swiss Librarians for International Relations, who played such a key role in IFLA's very successful WSIS advocacy.

CORE ACTIVITIES

All Core Activities published their own annual reports for 2006 - the following are just some of the many highlights.

All Core Activities have their own Advisory Boards (see Annex 3).

ALP

The group of sponsors of the Action for Libraries through development Programme (ALP) consisted of 16 Nordic library associations and institutions, as well as the University of Uppsala (Sweden).

A review of the ALP Programme was set in motion by a self-assessment and will be followed by a peer review in 2007.

ALP, together with FAIFE continued to work with a large grant from the Swedish International Development Agency (Sida) for the period 2005 – 2009, developing a number of library and information projects in developing countries. In addition, those responsible for projects in the regions contributed with their own resources and raised considerable funds from external sources.

CLM

The membership of the Copyright and other Legal Matters Committee is representative of all regions of the world. CLM members represented IFLA in a series of international meetings.

Through CLM, IFLA participated in a broad debate concerning a Development Agenda for the *World Intellectual Property Organization* (WIPO), resulting in a statement issued jointly with sister organisations eIFL (Electronic Information for Libraries) and EBLIDA (European Bureau of Library Documentation and Information Associations). In addition lobbying activities were deployed at UNESCO and WTO (World Trade Organization).

FAIFE

In 2006 the Free Access to Information and Freedom of Expression Core Activity received support for a number of projects from the Swedish International Development Agency (Sida), together with IFLA/ALP (see above).

FAIFE launched its 2006 Theme Report entitled *Libraries and the Fight against HIV/AIDS*, *Poverty and Corruption* at a press conference during the Seoul conference.

Following a decision by IFLA's Governing Board, the FAIFE Office, which had for a number of years been housed at the Royal School of Librarianship in Copenhagen, Denmark, was closed at the end of December. As of January 2007 its duties and tasks have to be taken over by IFLA's Headquarters in The Hague.

PAC

Using its Regional Centres, the Preservation and Conservation Core Activity aims at having a presence worldwide. During the report period 12 of these regional centres were active.

In March PAC organised an international symposium at the Bibliothèque nationale de France under the title *The 3 D's of Preservation: Disasters, Displays, Digitization.* This event marked the retirement of the Director of the Programme, Marie-Thérèse Varlamoff.

IFLA/PAC co-represented IFLA in the International Committee of the Blue Shield (ICBS).

UNIMARC

The IFLA/UNIMARC Core Activity is hosted by the National Library of Portugal in Lisbon. Its purpose is to coordinate activities aimed at the development, maintenance and promotion of the Universal MARC format (UNIMARC), originally created by IFLA to facilitate the international exchange of bibliographic data. A successful conference was held in Lisbon in March, under the title *UNIMARC* and *Friends: Charting the New Landscape of Library Standards.*

ICABS

The IFLA-CDNL Alliance for Bibliographic Standards (ICABS) is a partnership between IFLA and the Conference of Directors of National Libraries to provide a platform for continuing IFLA's work on Universal Bibliographic Control and the work of a number of major national libraries in the fields of digital preservation and standards. The ICABS Advisory Board currently consists of six national library and two IFLA representatives.

IFLA CONGRESS

The *IFLA World Library and Information Congress,* IFLA's 72nd General Conference was held in Seoul from 20 – 24 August. More than 4,000 participants from 124 countries attended. The congress theme this year was *Libraries: Dynamic Engines for the Knowledge Society.*

As in other years, the host country had the largest contingent of representatives with 1367 delegates from Korea. Runners up were the United States (366), China (233) and Japan (228).

As part of the Professional Programme, approximately 380 papers (including translations), 85 posters and many other presentations were delivered during 215 meetings.

At the Opening session the Keynote Address *Libraries, the Prime Movers for the Age of Knowledge and Information* was given by His Excellency Kim Dae-Jung, the former President of the Republic of Korea and Nobel Prize Laureate. A Welcome Address was presented by the First Lady of the Republic of Korea, Yang-Suk Kwon.

The congress saw as Plenary Speakers: Dr Sang-Wan Han, President of the Korean Library Association on NGO-Government Partnership for the Dynamic Development of Korean Libraries and the Promotion of Reading and former Minister of Information and Communication, Dr Daeje Chin on The Current Status of the Korean ICT Industry; New Growth Engines for the Korean Economy.

The Seoul conference included too many professional highlights to mention here – they may be retrieved from the *Seoul* pages of *IFLANET*.

The IFLA/FAIFE Theme Report 2006, *Libraries and the Fight against HIV/AIDS, Poverty and Corruption* was launched.

Social events included an Exhibition Opening Party at the COEX Convention and Exhibition Centre, a Gala Dinner offered by the Minister of Culture and Tourism, a Cultural Evening at the Sejong Centre, as well as a Reception hosted by the Mayor of Seoul.

Other interesting facts and figures from the Congress in Seoul: a total of 11 new members joined IFLA. The exhibition brought together 89 stands covering a total floor space of 1.223 m². Some 35 delegates were able to attend the Congress thanks to support from various donors, including the government of South Korea which provided a substantial amount. Nearly two hundred volunteers were enrolled for the event.

Seven Satellite Meetings were organised immediately prior to the Seoul conference.

PRIZES AND AWARDS

The Hans-Peter Geh Grant, which is given annually to sponsor one librarian from the former Soviet Union, including the Baltic States, to attend an IFLA seminar or conference was awarded to Ms Vanda Berzina from Latvia.

With support from the Margreet Wijnstroom Fund for Regional Library Development, Dr Krassimira Anguelova from Bulgaria was assisted to attend the Seoul Conference.

The following recipients of the IFLA/OCLC Early Career Development Fellowships (for 2007) were selected: Kodjo Elolo Atisa (Ghana), Alicia Chavarria Esguerra (Philippines), Pauline Nicholas (Jamaica), Elisangela Alves Silva (Brazil), and Nevena Tomic (Serbia).

Mr Ibrahim Hassan Abu El-Khair from Egypt won the Shawky Salem Conference grant 2006.

The newsletter of the *School Libraries and Resource Centres Section* was judged Best IFLA Newsletter 2006.

A Study on the Use of Public Libraries by the Homeless People in Taipei, Taiwan by Ms Sheu-Fang Song and Ms Hui-Tzu Hung was the winner of the Best IFLA Poster 2006.

IFLA STAFF AND OFFICES

The following changes occurred to the IFLA/HQ Staff: Kelly Moore left on secondment to the National Library and Archives of Canada. In December she was succeeded as Membership Manager by Cynthia Mouanda.

Pensri Guaysuwan retired after a long range of years as IFLA's Regional Manager for Asia and Oceania. On this occasion the IFLA Regional Office in Bangkok was closed. After an open call of invitations among IFLA member institutions in the region, the National Library Board of Singapore was selected to host the Asia/Oceania Office with Ms Tan Keat Fong as the Regional Manager.

Fernanda Campos from the Portuguese National Library in Lisbon retired as Director of IFLA's UNIMARC Core Activity. Her successor is Ms Maria Inês Cordeiro from the same institution.

Marie-Thérèse Varlamoff retired from her post at the Bibliothèque nationale de France and therewith as the Director of the IFLA/PAC Core Activity; she was succeeded as PAC Director by Ms Christiane Baryla.

On the occasion of the retirement of Henri Sène as the Director of the Library of the University Cheikh Anta Diop in Dakar, Senegal, IFLA's Regional Office for Africa was closed at the end of 2006. At the end of the reporting period a search for a new Regional Office and Regional Manager was under way.

RELATIONS WITH OTHER BODIES

UNESCO: United Nations Educational Scientific and Cultural Organisation

During the annual Conference in Seoul in August UNESCO and IFLA announced their intent to establish a strategic alliance to implement the Plan of Action of the World Summit on the Information Society. IFLA was also involved in the review of UNESCO's *Information For All Programme* (IFAP) and serves on the Jury for the selection of the annual World Book Capital.

ICBS: International Committee for the Blue Shield

IFLA forms this permanent Committee together with the International Council on Archives (ICA), the International Council of Museums (ICOM) and the International Committee on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS).

During the report period three meetings were held. Several ICBS meetings were attended by Secretary General Peter Lor and IFLA/PAC Director Christiane Baryla. Sjoerd Koopman served as ICBS Secretary. More information is available in the IFLA/PAC Annual Report and on the Blue Shield pages on IFLANET www.ifla.org

IPA: International Publishers Association

IPA and IFLA maintain a joint IFLA/IPA Steering Group; Claudia Lux, Vinyet Panyella, Winston Tabb and Peter Lor represented IFLA. During the report period the Steering Group met three times. On the agenda were various issues relating to common interests of libraries and publishers.

WIPO: World Intellectual Property Organisation

The main contacts with WIPO were maintained by IFLA's *Copyright and other Legal Matters* (CLM) Core Activity. Members of this committee attended several WIPO meetings, helping with the drafting of appropriate treaties and legislative models which attempt to bring balance between the rights of copyright holders and the needs of users.

World Digital Library

In cooperation with the American *Library of Congress* and *UNESCO* IFLA worked on the development of *Guidelines for the World Digital Library*. This project will continue in 2007.

IFLA MEMBERSHIP AS OF END 2006

		End 2006	(End 2005)
1. 1.1 1.2 1.3	Association Members International Association Members National Association Members Other Association Members	16 137 4	16 135 4
2. 2.1 2.2 2.3 2.4	Institutional Members Institutional Members Institutional Sub-units One-person Library Centres School Libraries	1,122 95 2 2	1,085 5 5 1
3.	Personal Affiliates Student Affiliates	310 54	305 46
4.	Corporate Partners	26	25
5.	Bodies with Consultative Status	16	16
	Total	1,784	1,643
	(Total countries)	(149)	(145)

FINANCIAL SUMMARY

Statement of income and expenditure for 2006 and 2005.

	2006	2005
Income	EUR	EUR
Membership fees	752,069	769,393
Contributions Core Activities	547,668	635,835
General grants	36,927	43,255
Dutch government	15,883	15,882
Sales of publications	91,618	72,060
Share of conference	180,135	149,217
Interest and other financial income	17,831	49,254
Income Voucher scheme	40,763	36,317
Income UNESCO	28,918	30,356
IFLA Fund	38,429	12,822
Miscellaneous	16,126	11,064
	1,766,367	1,825,445
Expenditure		
Conferences, meetings	42,825	36,242
Professional programmes	471,390	340,183
Costs of publications	,	2 1 2 , 1 2 2
(incl. free publications to members)	97,821	107,515
Staff expenses	984,904	985,144
Office expenses	198,206	176,957
Expenses Voucher scheme	17,191	16,372
Expenses UNESCO	27,453	19,879
Interest and other financial expenses	10,652	0
Expenses IFLA Fund	11,221	5,207
Miscellaneous	17,475	20,957
	1,879,138	1,708,456
Result	-112,771	116.989
Determination of result		
Add (Charge) to Earmarked funds	-1,135	0
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GOVERNING BOARD AND ITS COMMITTEES AUGUST 2005 – AUGUST 2007

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IFLA PUBLICATIONS 2006

IFLA Publications (series)

International Newspaper Librarianship for the 21st Century. Edited by Hartmut Walravens. Munich: K.G. Saur, 2006. ISBN 978-3-598-21846-0. (No. 118).

Networking for Digital Preservation. Ingeborg Verheul. Munich: K.G. Saur, 2006. ISBN 978-3-598-21847-7. (No. 119).

Management, Marketing and Promotion of Library Services based on Statistics, Analysis and Evaluation. Edited by Trine Kolderup Flaten. Munich: K.G. Saur, 2006. ISBN 978-3-598-21848-4. (No. 120/121).

Newspapers of the World Online. U.S. and International Perspectives. Edited by Hartmut Walravens. Munich: K.G. Saur, 2006. ISBN 978-3-598-21849-1. (No. 122)

Changing Roles of NGOs in the Creation, Storage, and Dissemination of Information in Developing Countries. Edited by Steve W. Witt. Munich: K.G. Saur, 2006. ISBN 978-3-598-22030-2. (No. 123).

IFLA Series on Bibliographic Control

IFLA Cataloguing Principles: Steps towards an International Cataloguing Code, 3. Report from the 3rd Meeting of Experts on an International Cataloguing Code, Cairo, Egypt, 2054. Edited by Barbara B. Tillett, Khaled Mohamed Reyad, and Ana Lupe Cristán. Munich: K.G. Saur, 2006. ISBN 978-3-598-24278-6. (No. 29).

K.G. Saur Library and Information Science Programme

Two publications on behalf of IFLA appeared outside of the above Series:

Handbook on the International Exchange of Publications. Edited by Kristi Ekonen, Päivi Papoloski and Pentti Vattulainen. 5th completely revised edition. Munich: K.G. Saur, 2006. ISBN 978-3-598-11752-7.

Marketing Library and Information Services: International Perspectives Edited by Dinesh K. Gupta, Christie Koontz, Angels Massisimo and Réjean Savard. Munich: K.G. Saur, 2006. ISBN 978-3-598-11753-4.

IFLA Professional Reports (series)

Zugang zu Bibliotheken für Menschen mit Behinderungen - Prüfliste. Von Birgitta Irvall und Gyda Skat Nielsen. (German Translation of IFLA Professional Report 89). The Hague: IFLA, 2006. ISBN 978 - 90-77897-10-0 (No. 94).

Richtlinien für Gefangenenbüchereien (3. Ausgabe) Von Vibeke Lehmann and Joanne Locke. (German Translation of IFLA Professional Report 92). The Hague: IFLA, 2006. ISBN 978 - 90-77897-11-9 (No. 95)

Planung und Aufbau integrierter digitaler Bibliothekssysteme - Leitfaden. Von Bente Dahl Rathje, Margaret McGrory, Carol Pollit, Paivi Voutilainen unter der Federführung der IFLA Sektion der Blindenbibliotheken. (German Translation of IFLA Professional Report 90). The Hague: IFLA, 2006. ISBN 978-90-77897-12-7 (No. 96).

Recommandations a l'usage des bibliothèques de prison (3° édition). Par Vibeke Lehmann et Joanne Locke (French Translation of IFLA Professional Report 92). The Hague: IFLA, 2006. ISBN 978-90-77897-13-5 (No. 97).

Richtlinien für Patientenbibliotheken und Bibliotheken für Senioren und Behinderte in Langzeitpflegeeinrichtungen. Zusammengestellt von einer Arbeitsgruppe unter Vorsitz von Nancy Mary Panella unter Schirmherrschaft der Sektion Bibliotheken für Benachteiligte Menschen. (German Translation of IFLA Professional Report 61). The Hague: IFLA, 2006. ISBN 978-90-77897-14-3 (No. 98).

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Joint statement by IFLA and IPA on Retraction or Removal of Journal Articles from the Web.

http://www.ifla.org/VI/4/admin/joint-ifla_ipa-statementJuly2006.htm

IFLA Copyright and other Legal Matters (CLM) Core Activity

Joint statement by IFLA, EIFL and EBLIDA related to a WIPO Development Agenda http://www.ifla.org/III/clm/p1/A2K-7.htm

IFLA Free Access to Information and Freedom of Expression (FAIFE) Core Activity

Libraries and the Fight against HIV/AIDS, Poverty and Corruption http://www.ifla.org/faife/report/FAIFE-ThemeReport2006.pdf

IFLA/UNESCO Internet Manifesto Guidelines http://www.ifla.org/faife/policy/iflastat/Internet-ManifestoGuidelines.pdf

IFLA Preservation and Conservation (PAC) Core Activity

The 3 D's of Preservation: Disasters, Displays, Digitization - Proceedings of the International Symposium held at the Bibliothèque nationale de France, Paris 8-10 March 2006. Edited by Corine Koch. http://www.ifla.org/VI/4/news/ipi7-en.pdf

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