

# Extending the Life of Books With Mass Deacidification



Photo: Carol Highsmith

Many libraries have books that are deteriorating and may soon become too brittle to be used just because they are printed on acidic paper. Recent technology advantages now make it possible to economically, effectively and safely treat these at-risk books to neutralize the acids contained in their paper.

Join your colleagues for a discussion about the Bookkeeper Mass Deacidification Process with preservation professionals from the Library of Congress and the University of Maryland as they describe their mass deacidification programs. Following the program, attendees will tour the deacidification facilities at the Library of Congress.

## Date

Thursday, November 18, 2004

## Time

9:00 a.m. — 11:00 a.m. (Registration begins at 8:30 a.m. There is no entry to the Library of Congress prior to 8:30 a.m.)

## Place

Mary Pickford Theater, 3rd floor, Madison Building, The Library of Congress, 101 Independence Avenue, S.E., Washington, D.C. 20540.

## Sponsor

FLICC Preservation and Binding Working Group

## Registration

Free, but advance registration is required. Visit the FLICC Educational Programs Web site at <http://www.loc.gov/flicc/feveform.html> to register online or call the FLICC office at (202) 707-4800.

Request ADA accommodations five business days in advance at (202) 707-6362 TTY or [ADA@loc.gov](mailto:ADA@loc.gov).

## Information

Call FLICC (202) 707-4800; TTY (202) 707-4995

## Cancellations

Please notify FLICC (202) 707-4800 if you are unable to attend to allow those on the waiting list a chance to register.

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