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GPO's FDsys: America's Authentic Government Information

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FLICC Education Event



Date

Tuesday, February 15, 2011

Time

1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Place

Mumford Room, 6th Floor,
James Madison Building
The Library of Congress
Washington, D.C. 20540

Metro and Directions

Capitol South
(Orange & Blue Lines)

Sponsor

FLICC Preservation
Working Group

Information

Call Anne Harrison (202)
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Accommodations five
business days in advance
at ADA@loc.gov.

Registration

Free but registration is
required. Contact Anne
Harrison (202) 707-4834.

Cancellations

Please call Anne Harrison
at (202) 707-4834 if you
cannot attend to allow
those on the waiting list
an opportunity to register.



The FLICC Preservation Working Group is pleased to sponsor a program on the Government Printing Office's (GPO) Federal Digital System (FDsys).

In June 1994, GPO launched GPO Access, which provides online access to information from all three branches of the Federal Government. For more than 15 years, GPO Access has been America's source for Government information online, but in 2009 GPO unveiled the next generation of Government information online with the Federal Digital System (FDsys).

FDsys provides free online access to official Federal Government publications. Through FDsys, users can

- ∞ perform advanced searches and refine and narrow searches for quick access
- ∞ browse for documents and publications by collection, Congressional committee and date
- ∞ access metadata about documents and publications in standard XML formats, and
- ∞ download documents and publications in multiple renditions or file formats.

Join Kate Zwaard, lead program planner for digital preservation, and David Walls, GPO's Preservation Librarian, as they delve into the details of the system design, authentication, auditing (using TRAC - trusted repositories audit and certification), and assessing user communities.

Zwaard is the lead program planner for the digital preservation features of FDsys, a state-of-the-art content repository and public access system. Her areas of focus include metadata management, content authentication, and IT project management.

Walls is the Preservation Librarian for GPO, responsible for developing preservation initiatives for the Federal Depository Library Program, including an internal audit of GPO's FDsys. Prior to coming to GPO, he was the Preservation Librarian for Yale University where he developed and managed the Reformatting and Media Preservation Program.