

Sheridan Park Association Library and Information Science Committee 2001-2002 Annual Report

Mission

To support the growth and creativity of our members and the Sheridan Science and Technology Park community by providing and facilitating access to information resources.

Strategic Objectives

- To develop our professional knowledge and skills through our programmes.
- To share our non-proprietary knowledge, experiences and resources in order to continue improving our services to our clients and organizations.
- To join forces as a consortium in order to maximize our influence on vendors, government and other relevant organizations.

Membership

Membership has remained at the same level for the year with one departure, NRC, and one new member, NPS Pharmaceuticals. The Committee has been in touch with other prospective members, some of whom have attended meetings as our guests.

Continuing Education and Professional Development Programmes

The Programme Committee arranged the following sessions in 2001-2002:

April 2001	Conflict Styles in the Workplace
May 2001	Special Libraries Working Together: Sheridan Park Library and Information Science Committee (Roundtable discussion based on presentation to the CLA Annual Conference)
June 2001	Dofasco Information Centre (Tour)
September 2001	ROI from an Information Centre (SLA Videoconference)
October 2001	The Invisible Web
November 2001	Marketing the Library
December 2001	Supervisory Skills
January 2002	Rowe.com K-Library/K-Store
February 2002	Writing a Résumé
March 2002	Competitive Intelligence

LISC Awards

This year the LISC award at the University of Toronto Faculty of Information Studies was presented to Trina Foster who graduated in June 2001.

Electronic Communications

As well as distributing meeting minutes and agendas electronically via the Sheridan Park Association web site, LISC continues to use a free Internet email group service for group messaging and calendaring.

Other Activities

LISC is pursuing a consortium arrangement with the Canadian Institute for Scientific and Technical Information (CISTI) under which participating libraries will receive a group discount on their CISTI document purchases.

Executive 2001-2002

Chairman	Lucille Green	Inco Technical Services Limited
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