



August 31, 2014

Dear ALLUNY Colleagues and Friends:

On behalf of the officers and board of directors, it is my pleasure to invite you the **60th ALLUNY Annual Meeting** beginning Friday, October 17th and ending Sunday, October 19th. The meeting will be held at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Syracuse, New York. The theme of our diamond anniversary year conference will be "ALLUNY: A Foot in the Past, an Eye to the Future."

The registration form, tentative annual meeting agenda, and hotel information are included with this invitation. The deadline to book a hotel room at the conference rate of (\$109) is Friday, September 26th and the deadline to register for the meeting itself is Friday October 10th.

The Annual Conference is a great opportunity for education and networking, and this year as we celebrate our anniversary year we can remember our past and look to the future together. Maintaining connections with others in the profession who understand your successes and frustrations and can offer proven advice is imperative to success in any profession, including ours. The Annual Meeting is a great opportunity to build, maintain and reestablish such connections.

The cast of presenters for October is varied and impressive. A listing of the presentations is available in the included Tentative Agenda. Please note that the Banquet dinner has been moved to Friday night this year, and on Friday night we will hear from Chuck D'Imerio, award winning radio host and author of "Unknown Museums of Upstate New York." Mr. D'Imperio will be sharing his knowledge and experiences of lesser-known museums from our region.

Please let me know if you have any questions or need assistance. I look forward to seeing you in Syracuse in October.

Sincerely,

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60th ANNUAL MEETING
 October 17 – October 19, 2014
 Crowne Plaza Hotel
 Syracuse NY

TENTATIVE AGENDA
 (as of 8/29/14)

FRIDAY, October 17:

- 10am- 11am Outgoing Board Meeting
- 10am-12pm Registration
- 12-1:30 Opening Luncheon & Meet with Vendors
- 1:30-2:30 **Timothy W. Hoover**, Partner, Phillips Lytle, LLP, **“The Legal Profession: Where We Are and Where We Are Headed”**
- 2:30-2:45 BREAK
- 2:45-3:45 **Emily Feltren**, Director of Government Relations, AALL and **Amy Emerson**, Associate Director for Administration & Access Services, Lecturer in Law, Cornell University Law School, **“The Uniform Electronic Legal Material Act: What It Is and Why It Matters”**
- 3:45-5 BREAK
- 5:00-6:00 Cocktails
- 6:00-7:00 **Chuck D’Imperio**, Radio Host and Author of **“Unknown Museums of Upstate New York”**
- 7:00-8:30 Annual Banquet Dinner

SATURDAY, October 18:

- 8:00-9:00 Breakfast
- 9:00-10:00 **Ian Gallacher**, Professor of Law, Director Legal Communication and Research, Syracuse University College of Law, **“Thoughts on the Future of Legal Research and Publishing”**
- 10:00-10:15 BREAK
- 10:15-11:15 **Janis L. McDonald**, Professor of Law, Syracuse University College of Law, **“Cold Case Justice Initiative: Investigating Civil Rights Era Cases and Reopening the Door to Justice”**
- 11:15-12:30 **Elaine Knecht**, Director of Information Resources, Hiscock & Barclay, LLP, **Jay Deveau**, Branch Librarian, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, and **Margaret Jane Ambrose**, Access & Research Services Librarian, Lecturer in Law, Cornell University Law School, **“Are We Teaching What They Need?”**
- 12:30 – 2 Lunch & Vendor Raffle
- 2-2:30 Break & Travel to Syracuse University College of Law
- 2:30-3:30 **Jan Fleckenstein** , Associate Director and Head of Library Information Systems, Syracuse University Law Library and **Mark Burns**, Reference/Educational Technology Librarian, Syracuse University Law Library, **“Moving a Mountain....of Books: Lessons Learned During the Move to Our New Law School”**
- 3:30-5:00 Syracuse Law Library Tours & Reception
- 5:00 - Dinner on Your Own

SUNDAY, October 19:

- 9:00-11:00 Breakfast and Business Meeting

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Syracuse, NY



HOTEL INFORMATION

We have arranged for a block room rate for those wishing to stay overnight for the Annual Meeting. Our programs will be held at the Crowne Plaza in Syracuse except for Saturday afternoon, when we will move to Dineen Hall - the brand new home of Syracuse University College of Law for a program, tour and reception.

To reserve a room for the Annual Meeting, please use the following link before September 25, 2014:

[ALLUNY Annual Meeting Room Block](http://www.crowneplaza.com/redirect?path=hd&brandCode=cp&localeCode=en&hotelCode=SYRCP& PMID=99801505&GPC=LLC)

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Those who would like to reserve an overnight room through the link above will need to:

- 1.) Click on the booking link
- 2.) The booking link will directly connect you to our reservations website, www.ichotelsgroup.com , (It will automatically pull up your group block code. You will just need to select the date of stay(s)- left side of page). Your group code is LLC and the date of stay selected is October 16-19, 2014.
- 3.) Click the search button, which will then connect you to the rooms available to reserve with the ALLUNY Annual Meeting Room Block rate of \$109.00.
- 4.) You will then be able to input your booking information (name, credit card information ,etc.) and receive your confirmation number.

Guests may also call the hotel directly to have an overnight reservation created as well: 315.479.7000.

If you are a government employee and choose to book a room at the government rate, please call the hotel at the number above to book and alert the hotel that you are with the ALLUNY Group.