August 11, 2009

Dear ALLUNY Colleagues and Friends,

It’s about time. I invite you to attend the 55th Annual Meeting of the Association of Law Libraries of Upstate New York (ALLUNY) at the Genesee Grande Hotel in Syracuse, Sept. 11 through 13. Please join me to hear programs on the courts’ use of Wikipedia in legal opinions from Joe Gerken, followed by a panel presentation by the librarians at Syracuse University College of Law on the Sotomayor hearings and their part in the process - and that’s only Friday.

Saturday’s speakers include ALLUNY members Jean Callihan, Elaine Knecht and Jean-Paul Vivian, representing academic, firm and court law librarians doing more with less; attorney Timothy Hoover on the state Senate impasse, and a panel of speakers on aspects of the federal Recovery Act.

Like getting there, participation in ALLUNY Annual Meeting programs is more than half the fun. I encourage you to come to Syracuse next month for an action-packed slate of speakers and timely topics.

Laura Suttell
ALLUNY Vice President & Education Chair
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Name: ___________________________________________________________
(As you want printed on name tag)

Affiliation: ________________________________________________________

Address: _________________________________________________________

Full Registration:

Member Fee $100.00 _______   Friday registration only (members) $40____
Non-Member $120.00 _______   Friday registration only (non-members) $45____
Student $80.00 _______   Sat. & Sun. registration (members) $70___

Registration includes meals.  
Sat. & Sun registration (non-members) $80___

Additional Ticket for Opening Reception Lunch ________ @ $10.00 = _________

Additional Ticket for ALLUNY Banquet ________ @ $30.00 = _________

The ALLUNY Banquet (Saturday, Sept. 12, 2008) will be served buffet style with choices for vegetarians, carnivores and omnivores.

Total enclosed (or amount due): $___________________

Make checks payable to ALLUNY. Sorry, we cannot accept credit card payment. Mail or email the Registration form no later than September 4, 2009 to:

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The Genesee Grande has reserved rooms for us at a discount. Please reserve your room quickly.

You may call the hotel or submit your reservation requests via mail at the hotel’s web site:

http://www.geneseegrande.com/

(800) 365-4663

- Single Queen $109 (plus tax) or
- Standard Double/Double $129 (plus tax) or
- Deluxe Suite $129 (plus tax)

Make sure to mention the ALLUNY annual meeting when making your arrangements. For those arriving early and/or attending the Pro Se meeting, the discounted rate is available Sept. 10, also.

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1060 East Genesee St.
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Friday, September 11, 2009

11:00 – 1:00  Registration
11:00 – 5:00  Vendor Exhibits
12:00 – 1:30  Lunch
1:45 – 3:00  Courts’ Use of Wikipedia in Legal Opinions
3:00 – 3:30  Break
3:30 – 5:00  The Sotomayor-Syracuse Connection: Barclay Law Librarians’ Role, at Syracuse University College of Law
5:00 – 6:30  Reception at Syracuse Univ. College of Law, Barclay Library
6:30 - Dine-arounds

Saturday, September 12, 2009

8:00 – 3:00  Vendor Exhibits
8:00 – 9:00  Breakfast with the vendors
9:00 – 11:00  Registration
9:00 – 10:30  Panel: Doing More with Less: Librarians Tell All
10:30 – 10:45  Break
10:45–Noon  Legal and Constitutional Issues from the N.Y. State Senate Impasse
            Thoughts on Justice Sotomayor’s Impact on the Supreme Court
Noon – 12:15 Break

12:15 – 2:00  Lunch – Welcome to AALL representative Carol Bredemeyer
2:00 – 3:30   The Federal Recovery Act

3:30 – 6:30   Break

6:30 – 9:30   ALLUNY Banquet; Presentation of the Katie M. Deveau Volunteer Spirit Award

**Sunday, September 13, 2009**

8:00 – 10:00 Breakfast and business meeting, followed by board meeting