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Asia-Pacific Library and Information Conference 2018

Call for abstracts

The Asia-Pacific Library and Information Conference 2018 program committee invites proposals relating to the conference theme: **Roar | Leap | Dare**.

The Australian Library and Information Association (ALIA), Library and Information Association of New Zealand Aotearoa (LIANZA), and Library Association of Singapore (LAS) are delighted to announce the first joint conference between the three associations. APLIC 2018 will be an opportunity to join delegates from Australia, New Zealand, Singapore and beyond as we connect over common interests, explore future trends and learn from the experiences of libraries engaged in a diverse range of cultural contexts.

Inspired by motifs and imagery commonly associated with Australia, New Zealand and Singapore, the theme challenges delegates to:

ROAR – make some noise

Advocate for our communities, industries and ourselves. Promote and demonstrate the value of what we do.

Keywords: Influence & advocacy| Partnerships | Demonstrating value | Measuring quality & success |Using evidence | Funding & revenue | Marketing – traditional & new strategies |Networking |Collaboration |Storytelling |Activism.

LEAP – one small step, one giant leap

Surge forward and build momentum. What are the innovations and connections in technology, service delivery and content that are shaping our services, environments and work?

Keywords: Innovation| Transformation | Library spaces - physical & digital | Service delivery models | Staff roles and skills | Connecting with communities |Connecting outside the profession | Connecting across the Asia-Pacific region |User experience (UX) & design thinking | Big data &

analytics | Open data, open access, open education, open research | Linked content | Creation, curation and preservation | Sustainability.

DARE – taking chances

Share the stories of revolution or evolution, success or failure, in your library, industry, country or career? What risks are we taking in our organisations and work lives?

Keywords: Risk taking & risk management | FAIL – first attempts in learning | Career development | Workforce capacity | Leadership |Ideas & initiatives| Diversity & inclusivity | Disruption | Privacy & security | Future predictions.

Submitting your abstract

Please review the submission guidelines before submitting your abstract. All abstracts should be submitted prior to 6 November 2017.

Proposals should be submitted via the online portal.

Enquiries regarding abstract submissions can be directed to ALIA at events@alia.org.au.