

**TO:** ALA Executive Board

**RE:** ACRL 15<sup>th</sup> National Conference, Philadelphia, April 7-10, 2011  
ACRL 16<sup>th</sup> National Conference, Indianapolis, April 4-7, 2013

**ACTION REQUESTED/INFORMATION/REPORT:**

The Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) Board of Directors has approved Philadelphia as the official location for the ACRL 15th National Conference on the dates of April 7-10, 2011. The ACRL Board has also approved Indianapolis as the official location for the ACRL 16th National Conference on the dates of April 4-7, 2013.

Per ACRL Policies and Procedures 10.8, the ACRL Executive Director and President are submitting these decisions to the ALA Executive Board for approval.

**ACTION REQUESTED BY:**

Camila Alire, ACRL President  
Mary Ellen Davis, ACRL Executive Director

**CONTACT PERSON:**

Mary Ellen Davis, ACRL Executive Director  
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**DRAFT OF MOTION:**

The ALA Executive Board approve Philadelphia as the official location for the ACRL 15th National Conference on the dates of April 7-10, 2011, and Indianapolis as the official location for the ACRL 16th National Conference on the dates of April 4-7, 2013.

**DATE:** June 9, 2006

**BACKGROUND:**

ACRL has a strong 28-year history of successful National Conferences, beginning with our first conference in Boston in 1978 and most recently with our 12th National Conference in Minneapolis, April 2005. More than 9 out of 10 attendees (97.4%) characterized their experience at the 2005 ACRL National Conference as either "very" or "somewhat positive." Selected comments from the 12th National Conference evaluation and the ACRL 2005 Membership Survey are below:

- "I am very impressed with the ACRL conferences. I have learned more while attending them than from any other conference."
- "I find ACRL conferences to be a great experience - a blend of theoretical issues and practical application. ACRL conferences directly apply to my work."

- “The information presented and networking with other academic librarians are the two best aspects of this conference. The conference has an overall good feeling and is well organized, so it is a pleasure to attend.”
- “A very worthwhile experience It made me proud to be a librarian!”

Requests for proposals to host ACRL’s National Conferences for 2011 and 2013 were issued last October. Per ACRL’s Guide to Policies and Procedures, staff researched sites that have the appropriate meeting and exhibit space, adequate hotel rooms close to the convention center, easy accessibility for air and ground transportation, reasonable rates for meeting space and hotel rooms, and date availability.

Based on each city’s proposal, site visits by ACRL staff, availability, and costs, Philadelphia was recommended to the ACRL Board of Directors as the official location for the ACRL 15th National Conference and Indianapolis was recommended to the ACRL board as the official location for the ACRL 16th National Conference. The ACRL Board of Directors approved these recommendations during their meeting at the 2006 Annual Conference.

ACRL is committed to a geographic rotation of its conference location to afford more members the opportunity to attend. In addition, ACRL looks for conference dates in March or April that avoid all major holidays and similar conferences while avoiding scheduling too closely ALA and other major division’s conference locations. As demonstrated by the chart below, this motion meets those requirements.

ALA	ACRL	PLA	AASL
2007 Midwinter, Seattle 2007 Annual, Washington D.C.	2007 Baltimore		2007 Reno
2008 Midwinter, Indianapolis 2008 Annual, Anaheim		2008 Minneapolis	
2009 Midwinter, Denver 2009 Annual, Chicago	2009 Seattle		2009 TBD
2010 Midwinter, Boston 2010 Annual, New York		2010 Portland	
2011 Midwinter, Chicago 2011 Annual, New Orleans	2011 Philadelphia (proposed)		2013 TBD
2012 Midwinter, San Antonio 2012 Annual, Anaheim		2012 Eastern city TBD	
2013 Midwinter, Seattle 2013 Annual, Washington D.C.	2013 Indianapolis (proposed)		2013 TBD
2014 Midwinter, Indianapolis 2014 Annual, Las Vegas		2014 Midwest city TBD	

In accordance with ALA's "Organizational and Operational Practices," Policy 6.4.1, Section VIII, ACRL contacted in writing ALA state and regional chapters in the geographical areas of the proposed conferences and sought the cooperation of these chapters in respect to programming and scheduling. The following chapters responded positively to ACRL holding a conference in their region and provided letters of support (*see attachments*).

#### Letters of Support received for ACRL in Philadelphia, 2011

	ALA Chapters	ACRL Chapters
<b>Pennsylvania</b>	Pennsylvania Library Association	Western Pennsylvania/West Virginia ACRL Chapter *
		Delaware Valley Chapter, ACRL (includes Eastern Pennsylvania & Delaware)
<b>New York</b>	New York Library Association	Eastern New York ACRL Chapter *
		ACRL/NY The Greater New York Metropolitan Chapter
		ACRL Western New York/Ontario Chapter *
<b>New Jersey</b>	New Jersey Library Association	New Jersey ACRL Chapter
<b>Delaware</b>	Delaware Library Association	Delaware Valley Chapter, ACRL (includes Eastern Pennsylvania & Delaware)
<b>Maryland</b>	Maryland Library Association	Maryland ARLD
<b>West Virginia</b>	West Virginia Library Association	West Virginia/Western Pennsylvania ACRL Chapter*
<b>Ohio</b>	Ohio Library Council (deferred letter of support to the Academic Library Association of Ohio)	Academic Library Association of Ohio

#### Letters of Support received for ACRL in Indianapolis, 2013

	ALA Chapters	ACRL Chapters
<b>Indiana</b>	Indiana Library Federation	Indiana Academic Library Association
<b>Michigan</b>	Michigan Library Association	MLA, Academic and Research Library Division *
<b>Ohio</b>	Ohio Library Council (deferred letter of support to the Academic Library Association of Ohio)	Academic Library Association of Ohio
<b>Kentucky</b>	Kentucky Library Association	Kentucky Library Association, Academic Library Section
<b>Illinois</b>	Illinois Library Association	Illinois Association of College and Research Libraries

(\* forthcoming)

ACRL members value ACRL's National Conference and we look forward to the ALA Executive Board's approval of the proposed 2011 and 2013 locations and dates so that ACRL can continue to deliver this important program.

June 7, 2006

Margot Sutton  
American Library Association  
50 E. Huron St.  
Chicago, Ill. 60611

Dear Margot,

On behalf of the Board of Directors, staff and membership of the Pennsylvania Library Association, I wholeheartedly support the proposal to welcome the ACRL Conference to Philadelphia in 2011.

Philadelphia has experienced an extraordinary cultural and entertainment renaissance over the past ten years. South Broad Street, or *the Avenue of the Arts* is lined with theaters, restaurants, galleries, and the Kimmel Performing Arts Center. Ben Franklin Parkway is anchored by the Philadelphia Museum of Art, the Rodin Museum, the Franklin Institute and the Free Library of Philadelphia. In the next five years construction is planned for a new Calder Museum, the relocation of the famous Barnes Museum, and the stunning new Free Library of Philadelphia designed by world-class architect, Moshe Safdie.

With an unparalleled selection of restaurants, cafes and bistros, Philadelphia is fast gaining a reputation as a destination for fine dining.

Thank you so much for considering our wonderful city,

Evelyn C. Minick  
President

# *Delaware Valley*

ACRL Chapter

11 May 2006

Mary Ellen Davis  
Executive Director, ACRL  
American Library Association  
Chicago, IL

Dear Ms. Davis,

On behalf of the Delaware Valley Chapter (DVC) of the Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL), I write to convey the chapter board of director's enthusiastic support for Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, to be the host-city for ACRL's 15<sup>th</sup> National Conference in 2011. The DVC is the "state" chapter in which Philadelphia is located.

The DVC supports Philadelphia as an ACRL conference site for several reasons. The chapter has hosted multiple educational programs for our membership at various sites in Philadelphia. These events have been well attended, and were produced at reasonable cost. There are many transportation options in and around the Philadelphia area, making it a readily accessible location. The chapter's membership is quite active, as many members attend and present at regional, state and national conferences. Chapter members would most likely take full advantage of an ACRL national conference hosted in the chapter's geographic area. Lastly, board members who are past and current residents of Philadelphia attest to the abundance of historical and cultural places of interest near the "center city" hotel and convention center area.

The DVC's experiences with Philadelphia indicate the city would be an ideal conference location. Please contact me if you would like further information regarding support for Philadelphia as an ACRL conference site.

Sincerely,

*Lisa Stillwell*

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President, Delaware Valley Chapter, ACRL  
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New York Library Association

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June 14, 2006

Mary Ellen Davis  
Executive Director  
ACRL  
50 East Huron Street  
Chicago, IL 60611

Dear Ms. Davis:

The New York Library Association gives it support for the Association of College and Research Libraries to hold its 15<sup>th</sup> National Conference in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, April 7-10, 2011.

If you need any further information or need to contact the Association again, feel free to contact me via the information listed on our letterhead.

Sincerely yours,

MICHAEL J. BORGES  
Executive Director

**From:** "Dona McDermott" <Dona.McDermott@liu.edu>  
**To:** <msutton@ala.org>  
**Date:** 5/12/2006 9:52:13 AM  
**Subject:** 15th ACRL National Conference

Dear Ms. Conahan, ACRL National Conference,

As the President of ACRL/NY The Greater New York Metropolitan Chapter, I am writing to support the choice of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania as the site for the ACRL 15th National Conference to be held in 2011. Philadelphia's close proximity to the metropolitan New York area would enable many of the our members to attend. Not only is Philadelphia close to New York City but it is also extremely easy to reach by train as many members in New York City do not drive. In addition to providing easy access for members of ACRL/NY to attend, Philadelphia is a wonderful city. It has great restaurants, museums and other historic places to visit. I have been there several times and am always happy to have an opportunity to vist this city again. It would be an excellent choice for the conference.

Dona McDermott  
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May 31, 2006

Ms. Margot Sutton Conahan  
Manager, Professional Development  
Association of College and Research Libraries  
ALA  
50 E. Huron Street  
Chicago, IL 60611

Dear ACRL Board of Directors:

The New Jersey Library Association strongly supports the choice of Philadelphia, PA for the ACRL 2011 National Conference. The close proximity of Philadelphia to New Jersey would provide convenient access for over 300 libraries who work in academic environments throughout the state to easily attend this conference. NJLA members who have attended library related events in the City of Brotherly Love enthusiastically embrace the city because the location is excellent, the downtown area is walkable and there are many delicious dining venues as well as hundreds of cultural events to add on to one's conference attendance. NJLA members find Philadelphia high quality place for a conference due to its accommodating meeting and exhibit space and its many choices of quality hotels.

I personally have attended several ALA Midwinter Conferences in Philadelphia as well as last year's Arbuthnot Lecture and find it a very visitor friendly place.

NJLA would be honored if Philadelphia was chosen as the host city for the 2011 ACRL Conference.

Sincerely yours,

April L. Judge  
President  
New Jersey Library Association



**From:** Margot Sutton  
**To:** Margot Sutton  
**Date:** 6/8/2006 11:52:28 AM  
**Subject:** Re: Fwd: Request of support of NJ ACRL Chapter for ACRL National Conference

>>> Marc Meola <meolam@tcnj.edu> 6/8/2006 11:07 AM >>>

The ACRL-NJ Chapter supports the choice of Philadelphia for the 2011 ACRL conference enthusiastically and without reservation. Philadelphia would provide convenient access for the more than 300 academic librarians who are members of our section. Whenever our members attend events in Philadelphia, they rave about its superb location, walkable downtown, and exciting dining and cultural attractions. NJLA has nothing but love for Philadelphia. If chosen as a host city, we'd be counting the days till 2011!

Marc Meola  
ACRL-NJ Chapter

June 20, 2007

Mary Ellen Davis,  
ACRL Executive Director

Dear Ma. Davis:

The Delaware Library Association is enthusiastic in its support of the Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) 15th National Conference to be held April 7 - 10, 2011. It is wonderful to have the conference in Philadelphia where it will be very convenient for Delaware Librarians. I look forward to attending.

Sincerely,

Paul Anderson, President  
Delaware Library Association

Assistant Director for Library Administrative Services  
University of Delaware Library  
(302) 831-6910

From: "Margaret Carty" <mcarty@carr.org>  
To: "Margot Sutton" <msutton@ala.org>,  
<kay.bowman@montgomerycountymd.gov>  
Date: 5/30/2006 10:45:52 AM  
Subject: RE: Request for support of Maryland Library Association for ACRL  
National Conference

Margot,

I am so sorry I have not responded sooner. We had our annual conference in May and I have been sidetracked with that since.

MLA supports ACRL holding its conference in Philadelphia in 2011. Because of our proximity to Philadelphia, academic librarians in Maryland, who might not otherwise attend, will be given an opportunity to participate.

We look forward to welcoming you to Baltimore in 2007.

Margaret Carty  
Executive Director

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From: Margot Sutton [mailto:msutton@ala.org]  
Sent: Tue 5/30/2006 11:25 AM  
To: kay.bowman@montgomerycountymd.gov  
Cc: Margaret Carty  
Subject: Fwd: Request for support of Maryland Library Association for ACRL  
National Conference

Dear Kay,

I'm writing to follow up on our message from last month. ACRL is in the process of finalizing the host city for our 2011 National Conference and Philadelphia is under consideration to serve as host. ACRL is requesting a letter of support from the Maryland Library Association in support for ACRL holding its 2011 conference in Philadelphia. Complete details are below. Please let me know if you have questions. I look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience!

Sincerely,  
Margot

Margot Sutton Conahan  
Manager, Professional Development  
Association of College and Research Libraries  
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Librarians Rebuild Communities...In New Orleans  
Attend the ALA Annual Conference, June 22-28, 2006

Margot Sutton Conahan  
Association of College and Research Libraries  
50 E. Huron St.  
Chicago, IL, 60611

Dear Margot,

As the current President of the Maryland Chapter of ACRL, also known as the Academic and Research Libraries Division of the Maryland Library Association, I am writing to you to show my support for the choice of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania as the ACRL 15<sup>th</sup> National Conference host city.

I believe that Philadelphia has the necessary qualities to make it a successful host for such a conference. In Maryland, Philadelphia has a reputation for being a vibrant, inviting city that is well worth a visit. Philadelphia is thought of as having a large number of cultural and historical destinations, a great variety of restaurants and places to stay, and excellent public transport. I strongly believe a large number of Maryland librarians would attend an ACRL conference in the city of Philadelphia.

As current president and a longtime active member of the Maryland Chapter of ACRL, I would greatly encourage Maryland academic librarians to participate in a Philadelphia conference.

Sincerely,

*Katy Sullivan*

Katy Sullivan  
President, Maryland Chapter of the Association of College and Research Libraries

**From:** "Martha Yancey" <myancey@wvu.edu>  
**To:** <msutton@ala.org>  
**Date:** 6/13/2006 3:31:32 PM  
**Subject:** WVLA votes yes to ACRL in Philadelphia

The executive board voted to support your request. I will fax a letter to you hopefully tomorrow, no later than Friday. Thanks, M. Yancey



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June 16, 2006

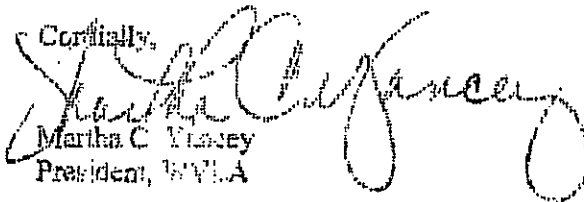
Ms. Margot Sutton Conahan  
Manager, Professional Development  
Association of College and Research Libraries  
50 E. Huron St., Chicago, IL 60611

Dear Ms. Conahan,

The Executive Board of the West Virginia Library Association met June 9, 2006 and unanimously agreed to support holding the 2011 ACRL Conference in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

We look forward to ACRL holding this event. Please let me know if any additional information is required.

Cordially,

  
Martha C. Yancey  
President, WVLA

**From:** "Doug Evans" <DEvans@olc.org>  
**To:** "'Margot Sutton'" <msutton@ala.org>  
**Date:** 5/25/2006 6:49:58 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Request of support of Ohio Library Council for ACRLNational - 2011

Margot -

Yes, the Ohio Library Council Board of Directors has deferred the request.

Doug Evans  
Ohio Library Council

-----Original Message-----

**From:** Margot Sutton [mailto:msutton@ala.org]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, May 24, 2006 3:19 PM  
**To:** Doug Evans  
**Subject:** Re: Request of support of Ohio Library Council for ACRLNational - 2011

Dear Doug,

Thanks for your message. We have contacted the Academic Library Association of Ohio (ALAO) regarding support of the 2011 and 2013 ACRL National Conferences. Can you just confirm that the Ohio Library Council is deferring this request for support to the ACRL chapter? We would appreciate having this documented for the ACRL and ALA Board of Directors.

Sincerely,  
Margot

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>>> "Doug Evans" <DEvans@olc.org> 5/18/2006 9:26:33 AM >>>  
Ms. Sutton -

At its meeting on May 12, the Ohio Library Council Board of Directors considered your request for a letter of support for the ACRL to host its National Conference in Philadelphia in Spring 2011. Since the Ohio Library Council only represents the interests of Ohio's public libraries, the ACRL conference is not germane to our members' interests and, therefore, the OLC Board chose not to respond to your request. It was suggested that you contact the Academic Library Association of Ohio (ALAO) and request



*Academic Library Association of Ohio*  
A Chapter of ACRL  
A Section of OCA

June 6, 2006

ACRL National Conference  
Attn: Margot Conahan  
50 E. Huron St.  
Chicago, IL, 60611

ACRL Board of Directors:

The Ohio chapter of ACRL, Academic Library Association of Ohio (ALAO), supports ACRL holding its 2011 conference in Philadelphia.

Members of the ALAO Executive Board voted on June 6, 2006 to lend their support.

If Philadelphia is selected to host the 2011 Annual Conference, please contact our organization (<http://alaoweb.org/>) during the planning stages when there might be specific tasks identified a neighbor organization might help with.

This letter offers only verbal support at this time and implies no monetary support of any kind.

Good luck Philadelphia.

Susan D. Scott

ALAO Past-President



**From:** "Linda Kolb" <lkolb@ilfonline.org>  
**To:** "'Margot Sutton'" <msutton@ala.org>, <medavis@ala.org>  
**Date:** 5/12/2006 3:25:17 PM  
**Subject:** FW: 2013 ACRL Conference

May 12, 2006

Mary Ellen Davis  
ACRL Executive Director  
50 East Huron Street  
Chicago, Illinois 60611

Dear Mary Ellen,

I am writing to confirm that the Indiana Library Federation is pleased to host the 16th National Conference of the American College of Research Libraries in 2013. The Federation's Board of Directors and the Indiana Academic Library Association, an association of the Federation, enthusiastically support your selection of Indianapolis as the site for ACRL's 16th National Conference.

The opportunity to welcome a national audience of 4,000 academic and research librarians and related professionals to Indianapolis for a national conference is in concert with the Federation's mission --to promote all libraries in Indiana and foster the professional growth of its members.

We will look forward to providing the "Hoosier Hospitality" for which Indiana is famous. Indianapolis is a vibrant site for the ACRL National Conference. The city offers a thriving downtown with a vital economy. The renovation of the Indiana Convention Center is scheduled to be completed in 2010. This facility will offer the best in meeting space with the convenience of adjoining hotel accommodations.

Thank you for the opportunity to host this important educational event. We look forward to working with you as plans develop.

Sincerely,

Sara Laughlin

cc: Scott Opasik, IALA President

CC: <sopasik@iusb.edu>, <wphillips@carmel.lib.in.us>

April 26, 2006

Mary Ellen Davis  
Executive Director  
ACRL

Subject: 16th National Conference of the Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL)

Dear Mary:

The Indiana Academic Library Association, Indiana's chapter of the Association of College and Research Libraries, strongly supports holding the 16th National Conference of ACRL in Indianapolis during April of 2013. We look forward to helping you host an outstanding conference in an outstanding city. Please let me know if there is any additional information that you require.

Sincerely,  
Scott A. Opasik  
Chair, IALA

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Associate Librarian  
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cc: Margot Sutton Conahan

TO: Mary Ellen Davis, ACRL Executive Director

FROM: Leah Black, President 2006/07  
Michigan Library Association

DATE: June 19, 2006

The Michigan Library Association gives its support for the Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) to hold its 2013 conference in Indianapolis, Indiana.

As President and representative of our association, I can be contacted via the information listed below should there be any questions.

Leah Black, President  
Michigan Library Association

Head of Current Processing  
Michigan State University Libraries  
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East Lansing, Michigan 48824

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517-353-8969 (fax)  
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**From:** "Doug Evans" <DEvans@olc.org>  
**To:** "'Margot Sutton'" <msutton@ala.org>  
**Date:** 5/25/2006 6:49:58 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Request of support of Ohio Library Council for ACRLNational - 2011

Margot -

Yes, the Ohio Library Council Board of Directors has deferred the request.

Doug Evans  
Ohio Library Council

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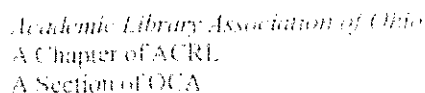
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ACRL National Conference  
Attn: Margot Conahan  
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Susan D. Scott

ALAO Past-President

**From:** "Mcintosh, Christine - STC"  
<Christine.Mcintosh@Bullitt.kyschools.us>  
**To:** "Margot Sutton" <msutton@ala.org>  
**Date:** 5/17/2006 3:17:31 PM  
**Subject:** RE: Request for support from KLA for ACRL National Conference

To Whom It May Concern:

The Kentucky Library Association gives its support for the Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) to hold its 2013 conference in Indianapolis, Indiana. As president and representative of our association, I can be contacted via the information listed below should there be any questions.

Respectfully submitted,


Christine McIntosh, Ed.D.  
President  
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## Mail Message

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**From:** "Mary Margaret Lowe" <MaryMargaret\_Lowe@georgetowncollege.edu>  
**To:** Margot Sutton  
**Date:** Thursday - June 22, 2006 8:49 AM  
**Subject:** RE: Request for support of KLA Academic Library Section for ACRL National Conference  
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Dear Margot-

This email is to confirm the support of the Kentucky Chapter of ACRL and the Academic Library Section of the Kentucky Library Association for Indianapolis, Indiana to host the 16th National Conference of ACRL in 2013.

Mary Margaret Lowe  
Chair, Academic Library Section of KLA and  
Kentucky Chapter President of ACRL

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-----Original Message-----

From: Margot Sutton [mailto:msutton@ala.org]  
Sent: Wednesday, June 07, 2006 9:28 PM  
To: Mary Margaret Lowe  
Subject: Fwd: Request for support of KLA Academic Library Section for ACRL National Conference

Dear Mary Margaret,

I'm writing to follow up on our message from last month. ACRL is in the process of finalizing the host city for our 2013 National Conference and Indianapolis is under consideration to serve as host. ACRL is requesting a letter of support from the KLA Academic Library Section. Complete details are below. Please let me know if you have questions. I look forward to hearing from you by Monday, June 12, if possible.

Sincerely,  
Margot

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Librarians Rebuild Communities...In New Orleans

**From:** "Robert P. Doyle" <doyle@ila.org>  
**To:** <msutton@ala.org>, <dharmon@joliet.lib.il.us>, Tamiye Meehan  
<TMeehan@itpld.lib.il.us>, <barbara@bradley.edu>, <mdavis@ala.org>  
**Date:** 6/5/2006 6:05:26 AM  
**Subject:** 2011 and 2013

Dear Margot and Mary Ellen,

At the Illinois Library Association's Executive Board meeting on Friday, 2 June 2006, both the 2011 ACRL National Conference in St. Louis and 2013 in ACRL National Conference in Indianapolis were approved. You will be receiving a formal letter of support shortly.

Best regards,

bob



21 June 2006

MEMO

TO: Margot Sutton Conahan

FROM: Barbara A. Galik  
President, IACRL

RE: ACRL National Conference in Indianapolis in 2013

The Illinois Chapter of the Association for College and Research Libraries heartily endorses a national conference in Indianapolis in 2013. We would be delighted to help in any way and look forward to a conference in Indianapolis.

If you require further information or clarification, please feel free to contact me.