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Local Librarians Invite You to Learn About Erotic Art Tours, the Bookstore Wars, African Tales, and Accessing Free Money

(Miami, FL) What's a nice librarian doing at a conference like this? For library professionals from around the county and beyond, The Dade County Library Association's (DCLA) annual conference which will be held on Friday, March 18th at Carlos Albizu University, from 8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., will offer them a rare chance to meet interesting guest speakers and to learn about a variety of topics from subject area experts. Participants will learn how to establish an Erotic Art Museum from owner and curator Naomi Wilzig of the Erotic Art Museum, to how local book stores can survive and thrive with Mitch Kaplan of Books & Books. Carla Clark will lead a tour of African medical libraries and Nancy Maxwell will teach how to support library work by using other people's grants. Keynote speaker Diana Silveira, President Novare Library Services and formerly the Virtual Reference Manager from Ask a Librarian, will keep guests laughing and applauding as she explains the growing library business and how to expertly answer patron's questions online. There will also be a performance by The Book Babes whose rendition of "Hair" using book carts is sure to delight! The conference is open to the public. Cost - \$5.00 for members of DCLA or \$21.00 for non-members. Registration is available online or at the door. Visit www.dclamiami.org for more information or contact DCLA President Ellen Book at info@dclamiami.org or 305-213-3934.

WHAT: DCLA Annual Conference

WHEN: Friday, March 18, 2011. 8:30 am – 1:00 pm

WHERE: Carlos Albizu Univ., 2173 NW 99Ave., Miami, FL 33172

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