



## **SCECSAL XIX 2010 BOTSWANA**

**Enhancing Democracy and Good Governance through  
Effective Information and Knowledge Services**

### **Conference Programme**

**6 - 9 December 2010**

**VENUE: UNIVERSITY OF BOTSWANA MULTIDISCIPLINARY CENTRE (BLOCK  
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<b>06 December 2010</b>		
<b>07.30 - 08:45</b>	Registration	
<b>Chair: Mr E.N. Qobose, Botswana</b>		
<b>08:45 - 09:00</b>	Welcome Remarks	Kgomotso Radijeng-BLA Chair
	BAC Quoire	
<b>09:00 - 09:30</b>	Official - Opening	Minister of Youth Sports and Culture
<b>09.30-09.35</b>	Traditional Songs	
<b>09:35 - 10:00</b>	Key note address	To be announced
<b>10:00 -10:05</b>	Poem	
<b>10:05 -11:00</b>	<b>Health Break!!!</b>	

<b>Chair: Prof. Patrick Ngulube, South Africa</b>		
<b>Theme: “Freedom of access to information, censorship to information, Internet monitoring and good governance and Information privacy and confidentiality”</b>		
<b>11:00 - 11:30</b>	Public Libraries in their communities: a catalyst for change	<b>(Monika Segbert, Italy)</b>
<b>11:30 - 12:00</b>	The Role of Internet in the Provision of Information for National Development and Political Education: a Hyperlink Analysis of SADC E-government Websites	<b>(A. Akakandelwa)</b>
<b>12:00 - 12:30</b>	Access to Knowledge and Information in Botswana: A Development and Gender Issue within the Adult Education Context?	<b>(Bobana Badisang, Botswana)</b>
<b>12:30 - 13:00</b>	The Level of Utilization of Government Publications in Some School Libraries in Gaborone, Botswana	<b>(Arinola Rebecca Adekanmbi, Botswana)</b>
<b>13:00-14:00</b>	<b>Lunch!!!</b>	
<b>Parallel Breakaway Sessions</b>		
<b>Chair: Prof S. Mutula, Botswana</b>		<b>Chair: Dr. Shikha Vyas-Doorgapersad, South Africa</b>
<b>Theme: “Libraries, democratization process and promotion of sustainable good governance in Africa”</b>		<b>Theme: “Libraries, Human Rights, socio-economic, good governance and Democracy”</b>
<b>14:00 - 14:30</b>	Contribution of Makerere University Library towards Democracy and Good Governance in Uganda since 1996 <b>(G. T. Kabatangare, Uganda)</b>	Public libraries in a world society – what’s happening <b>(Sarah Webb, USA)</b>
<b>14:30 - 15:00</b>	Libraries, democratization process and promotion of sustainable good governance in Africa; a case for Kenya and Zimbabwe <b>(Mathew Moyo, South Africa)</b>	Towards a democratic society: the role of Libraries in facilitating Social Equality and Economic growth in Uganda. <b>(Caroline Kobusingye and Monica Naluwoza, Uganda)</b>

<b>15:00 - 15:30</b>	School Libraries In Africa <i>(Margaret Baffour-Awuah, Botswana)</i>	Establishing a private university library for national development: challenges and recommendations: a case for Kabarak University Library, in Kenya <i>(Janegrace Kidei Kinyanjui, Kenya)</i>
<b>15:30 - 16:00</b>	Challenges Facing Libraries in Promoting Democracy and Good Governance: The Case of Government Libraries in Malawi <i>(Paul Kakhongwe and Chiza Longwe, Malawi)</i>	
<b>16:00 - 16:30</b>	<b>Health Break!!!</b>	
<b>18:00</b>	<b>Reception!!! (Student Centre across conference venue)</b>	
<b>07 December 2010</b>		
<b>08:00-08:30</b>	<b>Announcements!!!</b>	
<b>Chair: Prof. D.N. Ocholla, South Africa</b>		
<b>08:30-09:00</b>	Making of a Botswana Information Society Through Access to Information Communication Technologies <i>(Sebusang E.M. Sebusang, Tshepo Maswabi, Tiroyamodimo Sethate Resego Taolo, Botswana)</i>	
<b>Parallel Breakaway Sessions</b>		
<b>Chair: Dr. C. Okello-Obura, Uganda</b>		<b>Chair: Dr. A. Akakandelwa, Zambia</b>
<b>Theme: "Advocacy and Smart partnerships between libraries and government in national development"</b>		<b>Theme: "Learning organizations, democracy and good governance"</b>
<b>09:00-09:30</b>	Role of Libraries in National Development: Developing Working Partnership between Libraries, Government of Botswana and stakeholders	The Role of the American Information Resource Centers (IRCs) in Promoting Democracy and Good Governance. <i>(Stephen B. Mushonga, Zimbabwe)</i>

	<i>(Priti Jain &amp; R.B. Nfila, Botswana).</i>	
<b>09:30-10:00</b>	Supporting Human Rights in Africa: The Library of the African Union Court on Human and Peoples Rights <i>(Fidelis K. Mutisya, Tanzania)</i>	A Framework for Integrating Information Ethics (IE) in the Curricula for Africa <i>(Stephen M. Mutula, Botswana)</i>
<b>10:00-10:30</b>	Role of public libraries in emerging democracies <i>(J.R. Ikoja Odongo, Uganda)</i>	Open Source Software deployment at the National Library of South Africa with reference to Suse Linux migration. <i>(Lesiba S Ledwaba &amp; John K Tsebe, South Africa)</i>
<b>10:30-11:00</b>		Enhancing democracy and good governance: a curriculum proposal for information/knowledge professionals in the SCECSAL Region <i>(Isaac. M. N Kigongo-Bukenya, Uganda)</i>
<b>11:00-11:30</b>	<b>Health Break!!!</b>	
<b>Chair:</b> Prof N. Mnjama, Botswana		<b>Chair:</b> Dr J. Gretchen Smith, South Africa
<b>Theme:</b> “Freedom of access to information, censorship to information, Internet monitoring, good governance, Information privacy and confidentiality”		<b>Theme:</b> “Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) and good governance”
<b>11:30-12:00</b>	Ethics, Freedom of Access to Information and Transparency: a nexus for good governance in South Africa <i>(Shikha Vyas-Doorgapersad, South Africa)</i>	Strategies for Delivery and Access to Scientific Information: The Case for Investments in Digital Libraries in Universities in sub-Saharan Africa <i>(Joseph M Kavulya, Kenya)</i>
<b>12:00-12:30</b>	Promoting good governance through freedom of access to information and censorship to information. <i>(Eness M. Miyanda Chitumbo and Fabian Kakana, Zambia)</i>	Open access to information as a means of creating an enabling environment to democracy and good governance: the case of Chancellor College Institutional Repository <i>(Dickson Vuwa-Phiri &amp; Francis Kachala, Malawi)</i>

<b>12:30-14:00</b>	<b>Lunch!!!</b>	
<b>Chair: Prof Peter G. Underwood, South Africa</b>		<b>Chair: Mrs Janegrace Kidei Kinyanjui, Kenya</b>
<b>Theme: “Freedom of access to information, censorship to information, Internet monitoring, good governance, Information privacy and confidentiality”</b>		<b>Theme: “Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) and good governance”</b>
<b>14:00-14:30</b>	Enhancement of Democracy and Good Governance through Partnership: The case for the World Digital Library (WDL) Project in Uganda ( <i>Sarah Kaddu, Uganda</i> )	Measuring Public Access to Information Communication Technologies: The Case of the Sesigo Project ( <i>Resego Taolo, Sebusang E.M. Sebusang, Tshepo Maswabi and Tiroyamodimo Sethate, Botswana</i> )
<b>14:30-15:00</b>	Impact assessment in public libraries: developing tools and methods to demonstrate value ( <i>Karin de Jager &amp; Mary Nassimbeni, South Africa</i> )	Implementation of Library 2.0 services in African academic and research libraries: Need for Fundamental Rethink ( <i>Ronald Munatsi, Zimbabwe</i> )
<b>15:00-15:30</b>	<b>Health Break!!!</b>	
<b>08 December 2010</b>		
<b>08:00-08:10</b>	<b>Announcements!!!</b>	
<b>Chair: Mr R.B. Nfila, Botswana</b>		
<b>8:10-830</b>	IFLA Building Strong Library Associations Programme ( <i>Naomi Haasbroek, IFLA Africa Section Chairperson</i> )	

<b>Parallel Breakaway Sessions</b>		
<b>Chair: Prof J. R.Ikoja-Odongo, Uganda</b>		<b>Chair: Mrs Natalia Taylor Poppeliers, USA</b>
<b>Theme: “Digital divide and achievement of democracy, E-governance/e-government and libraries in Africa”</b>		<b>Theme: “Universal access to information and disadvantaged groups”</b>
<b>09:00-09:30</b>	Digital divide how Bugema University Library is intervening to promote achievement of democracy in Uganda ( <i>David Lwabi, Uganda</i> )	Equal Access to information: Serving the needs of Visually Impaired in Zambia ( <i>Francina N. Makondo &amp; Akakandelwa, Zambia</i> )
<b>09:30-10:00</b>	A bridge between Information haves and Information have not experiences Kilimanjaro region, Tanzania ( <i>Flora Neema, Tanzania</i> )	Responding to the changing demographics and information needs of elderly people in developing countries: the role of governments and LIS professionals ( <i>Marie Khayesi, Kenya</i> )
<b>10:00-10:30</b>	Analysis of LIS students participation in field attachment in Makerere University, Uganda ( <i>C. Okello-Obura &amp; Joyce Bukirwa, Uganda</i> )	Barriers to use of ICT services by the disadvantaged users: case study of Kenya National Library Services ( <i>Ratanya, F. C &amp; Otenya S.C, Kenya</i> )
<b>10:30-11:00</b>	<b>Health Break!!!</b>	
<b>Chair: Ms B. Badisang, Botswana</b>		<b>Chair: Dr P. Jain, Botswana</b>
<b>Theme: “Information literacy and democracy”</b>		<b>Theme: “Local content, knowledge management/services, and good governance”</b>
<b>11:00-11:30</b>	A comparative analysis of web information seeking behaviour among students and staff at the University of Zululand and the Durban University of Technology ( <i>Ntando Nkomo, D.N. Ocholla &amp; Dr. D. Jacobs, South Africa</i> )	Access to information and knowledge for agricultural development in Tanzania ( <i>Edda Tandi Lwoga, Christine Stilwell, Patrick Ngulube, South Africa</i> )

<b>11:30-12:00</b>	Information needs and information seeking behaviour of orphans and vulnerable children, caregivers and the role of services providers in Namibia: a case study of Khomas region ( <b>Chiku Mnubi-Mchombu, Namibia and Dr Janneke Mostert, South Africa</b> )	The role of higher technical education institutions in promoting local content development in Zimbabwe: Need for a fundamental rethink ( <b>Collence Chisita, Zimbabwe</b> )
<b>12:00-12:30</b>	Cultural Rights, the Open Access Movement, and African Libraries: Theoretical Implications, Limits, and New Developments ( <b>Natalia Taylor Poppeliers, USA</b> )	Times of crisis: the need for knowledge management at a national level ( <b>J. Gretchen Smith &amp; Peter G. Underwood, South Africa</b> )
<b>12:30-13:00</b>		Records Management at the University of Botswana: problems and prospects. ( <b>Nathan Mnjama, Botswana</b> )
<b>13:00-14:00</b>	<b>Lunch!!!</b>	
<b>18:00</b>	<b>Cultural Evening!!! (Boipuso Hall, Fairground)</b>	
<b>09 December 2010</b>		
<b>08:55-09:00</b>	<b>Announcements!!!</b>	
<b>09:00 - 12:00</b>	<b>Business Meeting!!!</b>	
<b>14:00</b>	<b>Excursions!!! Tours to be announced</b>	