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Congress Programme 10:45 – 12:45

Auditorium Hall (SI)

Out of the Stacks: Special Collections in Society - Rare Books and Special Collections (SI)

Chair: Beth Kilmarx, Binghamton University Libraries, United States

Chair: Krister Östlund, Uppsala University Library, Sweden

What happens when special collections are taken out of their library home, either virtually or physically, and used by the library or by others beyond the traditional ways in which libraries have interpreted these collections for audiences who come into their buildings? Today's exhibitions may be accompanied by a programme of marketing and promotion. Some people's encounters with books and manuscripts may be entirely through seeing their images used in a tourism campaign and buying related merchandise. Libraries also enter into a wide range of partnerships with commercial companies who digitise their materials. This session will present papers that move beyond case studies into an examination of the issues raised by the use of collections in non-traditional ways.

1. The Novosibirsk Interactive Museum of the Book Concept

Stanislav Ermolenko, The Novosibirsk State Regional Scientific Library, Russian Federation

2. (tbc)

Jacob Povl Holck, University Library of Southern Denmark, Denmark

3. Old but Gold: Your Valuable Sources from the Past

Yazid Ibrahim, National Library of Malaysia, Malaysia

4. The Big Picture from Turkey: Copyright and Digitisation Issues

Inci Önal, Hacepette University, Turkey Semanur Öztemiz, Hacepette University, Turkey

5. (tbc)

Anne Ray, JSTOR, United States

6. Digitalization of Rare, Valuable and Curious Books: Approaching Borders

Grisel Terrón Quintero, Oficina del Historiador de La Habana, Cuba

7. Open Cultural Data Hackaton Coding Da Vinci - Bring the Digital Commons to Life

Antje Theise, Hamburg State and University Library, Germany

8. Special Collections - Open!

Lilla Vekerdy, Smithsonian Libraries, United States