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You may be blessed with a modern, well-designed library with plenty of space, great lighting, and comfortable furniture. However, if your library is more than ten years old, user and staff dissatisfactions with your facility may be taking up more of your time than you wish to spend.

- Do you have enough seating for users?
- Are you able to store and make your growing collections accessible?
- Are you able to install the computer terminals and network connectivity that your users expect?
- Is your building too hot in the summer or too cold in the winter?
- Do you have to upgrade access to your library to accomodate people in wheelchairs or with other special needs?
- Are you trying to create an awareness among administrators, managers, or trustees that it is time for a renovation or a new building?
- Are you expecting a visit from newly appointed architects and designers but have never been involved in a building or construction project?

Our professional educations may have taught us about cataloging and providing quality reference service, but the design, construction, management, and upgrading of the space our libraries occupy wasn't part of the Library School curriculum.

is an intensive one day workshop designed tò put you in control of your space and provide you with the knowledge you need to change problem space into great library space.

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# Missouri Historical Society 

Missouri Historical Society Library and Research Center<br>Notice of New Public Hours

Effective January 1, 1997

Effective January 1, 1997, the Missouri Historical Society Library and Research Center will be open to the public

## Tuesday through Saturday, 10:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., except for national holidays.

The Missouri Historical Society Library and Research Center provides access to its specialized Library and Archival holdings during these public hours without appointment. A professional Reference Librarian and professional Archivist are always on duty to assist researchers at these times.

The Missouri Historical Society Architectural Collections, Broadcast Media Collections, Photograph and Prints Collections, and Museum Collections are also accessible to the public by appointment during these hours.

We encourage our researchers to call with questions relating to the range and extent of our collections, our public hours, and our policies and procedures. The following departments can be reached directly:

| Library: | (314) $746-4500$ |
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| Archives: | (314) $746-4510$ |
| Architecture: | $(314) 746-4510$ |
| Broadcast Media: | (314) $746-4513$ |
| Photographs/Prints: | (314) $746-4511$ |
| Museum Collections: | (314) $746-4527$ |

Thank you for your patronage of the Missouri Historical Society.
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When: March 6, 1997 9:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Where: Barr Branch - St. Louis Public Library, 1701 South Jefferson
IRegistration Fee: Members: $\$ 300$; Non-members: $\$ 50.00$
Presenter: Matthew Simon, MLS
President, Tahoe Planning Professionals
Professor and former Dean, UNLV Libraries
Mr. Simon is a planner and project manager who has worked on over two dozen library design and construction projects. He began his career as a professional carpenter and is a contractor with an unlimited license in Nevada.

What to bring: Yourself, your questions, a few pencils
Mr. Simon will provide worksheets, copies of his articles, and other tools to help you do your job better.

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Turkey, ham \&
swiss and topped with tomato and lettuce
$\overline{\text { Veggie - }}$ cheese with cucumbers, lettuce, tomato, alfalfa sprouts

Ham and Swiss
on rye with honey mustard

Side salad:
$\qquad$ Potato salad

Cheese tortellini pasta
$\ldots$ Fresh fruit salad

Desserts:
__Carrot cake
___Cheesecake
___Lemon Square
Chocolate chip
fudge brownie

Beverage Choice: (pick one)
__ Ice tea $\qquad$
Please mail with check for $\$ 25.00$ or $\$ 50.00$ to SLRLN, \% Bernyce Christiansen, 9425 Big Bend Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63119.

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Libraries who must wait for checks to be processed mail your registration with a note check is to follow.

Questions? call Bernyce, 965-1305

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