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Documenting Climate Change

Friday, November 6, 2009, 9:15 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

**Lewis Library, Princeton University
Washington Road and Ivy Lane
Princeton, NJ**

Librarians, library students and environment information specialists are invited to join us for an opportunity to learn more about climate change issues and pertinent information resources available from governmental and non-governmental organizations.

- ⇒ Continental Breakfast and Lunch
- ⇒ **David Robinson**, New Jersey State Climatologist and Professor of Geography, Rutgers University
- ⇒ **Gabriele Villarini**, Princeton University Research Associate for Civil and Environmental Engineering.
- ⇒ **Mary Kearns-Kaplan**, Librarian and manager of the Information Resource Center (IRC) at the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection.
- ⇒ **Tour** of Lewis Library which was designed by architect, Frank Gehry

* Free parking and shuttle service is available from Parking Lot 21. Maps and directions available at: http://scilib.princeton.edu/hours_maps/directions.html.

Documenting Climate Change will be held on the Princeton University campus at the new Lewis Science Library, designed by architect Frank Gehry.

The upcoming global summit meeting in Copenhagen, as well as ongoing energy policy debates, demonstrates the continued importance of understanding the implications of our actions on the environment.

Speakers for this event will examine climate change issues and concerns, along with pertinent information resources available from governmental and non-governmental organizations.

David Robinson is New Jersey State Climatologist and Professor of Geography at Rutgers University. Robinson's research examines the climate system from the local to the global perspective with special focus on hemispheric and regional snow cover dynamics. As State Climatologist he conducts applied research that focuses on the diverse weather and climate of New Jersey.

Gabriele Villarini, Princeton University Research Associate for Civil and Environmental Engineering works with James Smith, Princeton Professor and Director of Programs in Geological Engineering and Environmental Engineering and Water Resources. They have carried out extensive field studies of major floods in the United States.

Mary Kearns-Kaplan is a librarian with the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) and manages its Information Resource Center (IRC). The IRC provides resources including books, journals, government documents, and regulatory information on environment related topics to the NJDEP and the general public.

The conference is open to all librarians and library students interested in learning about climate change research. The registration fee is \$35 for DANJ members, \$45 for non-members, and \$25 for students.



2010 Census: some helpful tips.

Your library can answer questions and concerns that patrons may have about the 2010 Census, provide useful information to patrons and help the Census get an accurate count in New Jersey.

- ⇒ The New Jersey Department of Labor [Census](#) page:
 - ⇒ offers downloadable Census survey questionnaires, in English and several other languages.
 - ⇒ Informational videos.
 - ⇒ Downloadable FAQs about the Census process, including Privacy issues.
 - ⇒ [Residence rules](#) for New Jersey residents and part-time residents.
 - ⇒ [How Census data is used to benefit communities](#)(why it is important to be counted).
 - ⇒ [Census in the schools](#).
- ⇒ Find [Census jobs](#) in New Jersey.
- ⇒ How to become a Census [partner](#) in New Jersey.
- ⇒ Contact the [New Jersey regional](#) Census office.
- ⇒ What is [LUCA](#) (Census Local Update of Census Addresses).
- ⇒ How does the American Community Survey census differ from previous census? [Find out](#).
- ⇒ [New Jersey 2000 Census](#) data.
- ⇒ Find historical Census data online from the University of Virginia's [Historical Census Browser](#). Data is county level and higher.

Helpful Depository Links:

[FDLP Desktop](http://www.fdlp.gov/)—<http://www.fdlp.gov/>

- ⇒ Particularly useful is the [Collection Management](#) click.
- ⇒ Keep up with [GPO news](#).

[DDM2](http://govdoc.wichita.edu/ddm2/gdocframes.asp)—<http://govdoc.wichita.edu/ddm2/gdocframes.asp>. From Wichita State University Libraries.

- ⇒ Searchable shipping lists.
- ⇒ Depository selection and directory.
- ⇒ List of classes.
- ⇒ Core Collection list.
- ⇒ Basic Collection list.
- ⇒ Essential Titles List
- ⇒ And much more!

[List of Classes](http://fedbbs.access.gpo.gov/library/class/licd.txt) <http://fedbbs.access.gpo.gov/library/class/licd.txt>

- ⇒ Listed by item number. Online version of List of Classes of United States Government Document Publications Available for Selection by Depository Libraries (GP 3. 24:)

[List of Classes](http://fedbbs.access.gpo.gov/library/class/listclas.txt) <http://fedbbs.access.gpo.gov/library/class/listclas.txt>

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[List of inactive](http://fedbbs.access.gpo.gov/library/class/inactlst.txt) <http://fedbbs.access.gpo.gov/library/class/inactlst.txt>

- ⇒ Listed by item number.

Searchable [Superseded List](#) (from DDM2) <http://govdoc.wichita.edu/ddm2/gdocframes.asp>

[FDLP Superseded](http://www.gpo.gov/su_docs/fdlp/pubs/suplist/index.html) list (with updates). http://www.gpo.gov/su_docs/fdlp/pubs/suplist/index.html

GPO Inspections of NJ depositories:

Laura Saur, of the Newark Public Library, offers support for depositories in New Jersey who are preparing for inspections. Newark Public Library is the regional depository for the State. New Jersey is one of the “pilot” states chosen by GPO for the Public Access Assessment (on-site inspection) process. Inspections have already taken place at the following depositories: Campbell Library at Rowan University, the State Library, and Trenton Public. You can contact Laura for advice and information at 973-733-7812 or lsaur@npl.org. FDLP has information about the PAA process at: <http://www.fdlp.gov/administration/paa>.

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Upcoming DANJ meetings

DANJ invites anyone interested in learning about depositories to our meetings, held the first Friday every other month. The location of meetings change; driving directions and parking instructions are always provided. Meetings for 2009/2010 are:

- ⇒ October 2
- ⇒ December 4
- ⇒ February 5
- ⇒ April 2
- ⇒ June 4
- ⇒ August 6

Several meetings occur on these dates, including the New Jersey Documents Interest Group, the Federal Documents Interest Group and the DANJ Executive Board. You can attend any or all meetings. Please contact Susan Lyons slyons@kinoy.rutgers.edu, the 2009 DANJ President for more information about meeting time and place.

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- ⇒ **Did I miss you?** epatters@drew.edu
- ⇒ **Join DANJ** <http://www.danj.org/membform.htm>

To eliminate confusion about the time period for membership renewals, the membership year has been adjusted to conform with the fall conference schedule. Since the annual conference is in November, the membership year for DANJ, then, will be from November to November each calendar year. You can join anytime during the year.