Service and Training Section

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The Commission on Service and Training will present one session at the 2017 IAML conference in Riga: "Music Information Literacy and Mentoring" (19 June 2017) will include two papers: "Music Information Literacy in the Digital Age: resolving Student Challenges," by Erin Conor, and "Counterpoint: An 8-Year Mentoring Relationship," by Janneka Guise and Katherine Penner (presented by Ms. Penner). This session continues the themes of information literacy and user engagement that have been explored in prior sessions hosted by the Commission.

Elections will also be held at the start of the session, which will conclude with time for discussion by session attendees as to topics that would be of interest for future conferences.

Papers for this session were selected by the commission officers from the "Call for Papers" submission to the Forum on Commissions and Branches, with an eye for those topics most relevant to our mission, "as a forum for the discussion and development of training programmes, not only for those working in music libraries but also their users, as well as for show-casing and promoting those tools and resources through which such training can be delivered."

Respectfully submitted,

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