Wednesday, July 3, 2002

09:15 Opening address Prof. J. Plášek

I. CHANGES IN LIBRARIES AND LIBRARIANS' TASKS

I. A. Mastering new roles (Chair: F. Genova)

09:30 CFHT's Hawaiian starlight J.C. Cuillandrene (invited)
10:00 The librarian as teacher: Instructing the next generation of information literate scientists at Case Western Reserve University. W. Claspy
10:20 Information dissemination: Exploring the librarian's role in public relations. V.M. Smith
10:40 Coffee and poster break

I. B. Panel: Physical vs. electronic libraries (Chair: M. Cummins)

11:10 What's the difference between a 'reading room' and a 'library'? J. Holmquist
Astronomy library: An endangered species in a small country? E. Isaksson
The existence and development of the astronomical library in the digital age. J. Zhang
Proposal for a centralized astronomy and astrophysical facility for the universities: an endeavour of the IUCAA library, Pune, India N. Bawdekar
12:30 Lunch

II. THE ASTRONOMY INFORMATION NETWORK (Chair: U. Grothkopf)

II. A. Networking among astronomy librarians

14:00 Discovering the network and communicating amongst astronomy librarians: or finding my feet. M.D. Hurn

II. B. Virtual Observatory projects

14:20 The Virtual Observatory projects: Current status, developments and plans. P.J. Quinn (invited)
14:50 Networking of bibliographical information: Lessons learned for Virtual Observatory development. F. Genova
15:10 Coffee and poster break
16:10 The Russian Virtual Observatory O. B. Dluzhnevskaya, V.V. Vitkovskij et al.
16:30 VO - India: Information support for Remote users G. Sheshadri
16:50 End of session