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Georgia Conference on Information Literacy

Georgia Southern University

October 8-9, 2004

Jointly hosted by the Zach S. Henderson Library, the Department of Writing and Linguistics, and the College of Education at Georgia Southern University, the Georgia Conference on Information Literacy seeks proposals for workshops and presentations that address the following themes and issues:

- Strategies for teaching information literacy to students and/or faculty across the curriculum
- Empirical studies on the effect of information literacy initiatives on student retention and/or learning
- Learning communities and information literacy
- Creating teaching partnerships between reference librarians and instructors
- What constitutes information literacy in the 21st century
- Encouraging lifelong learning through information literacy
- Technological developments and their impact on student research
- Strategies for evaluating sources
- Information Literacy and the Sciences
- Computers in the writing classroom: how the research paper has changed
- Developing learning outcomes for information and technological competence
- Preparing students for the modern University

The Georgia Conference on Information Literacy will offer both hands-on workshops and concurrent sessions for K-12, community college, and university librarians and educators, covering a broad spectrum of needs and proficiencies with twenty-first century information literacy skills and issues, from those seeking how-to information to those wishing to contribute to the growing body of scholarship.

For more information, see the Call for Proposals at:

<http://conted.gasou.edu/informationliteracy.html> or contact Bede Mitchell, Dean of the Library, at wbmitch@gasou.edu or Janice Walker, Dept. of Writing and Linguistics, at jwalker@gasou.edu.

Proposals must be received by no later than December 15, 2003.