Thirteenth International Conference on Grey Literature

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Special GL13 Conference Arrangements
‘Thirteenth International Conference on Grey Literature’

Pre-Conference Awards Banquet
This year’s GreyNet Awards Banquet will be held at Carmine’s Legendary Italian Restaurant in the heart of the Penn Quarter in Washington D.C. http://www.greynet.org/greynetmembership/annualaward.html

Recommended Hotels
Special price quotes for conference participants at the Falls Church as well as Arlington Inns of Virginia. From both locations in Virginia, the Library of Congress can be easily reached via public transportation. When making your hotel reservation, please remember to mention GL13. http://www.textrelease.com/gl13registration/gl13hotels.html

GL13 Poster Slots still Available
For the first time in the GL-Conference Series posters will be presented on the first day. Also, for the first time a special Poster Session for LIS students will take place alongside the regularly scheduled Sponsor Showcase. Both Poster Sessions will be held in the Madison Building of the Library of Congress on December 5th 2011. For guidelines on posters contact conference@textrelease.com

From GreyNet’s Back Office

Mid-2011 shows a 50% Growth in Website Content
The combined websites of TextRelease and its Grey Literature Network Service show a 50% increase in content provided during the first half of 2011. The Site Maps for both websites give an up-to-date and comprehensive overview of the information products, services, and sustained activities provided the international grey literature community. http://greynet.org/greynethome/sitemap.html

GreyNet Business Report 2011
This in-house business report contains company information, products, services, professional initiatives, as well as, use and user statistics, financial indicators, a SWOT analysis, and an organization timeline. As members of the grey literature community, your comments and recommendations are most welcome, http://www.greynet.org/greynethome/aboutgreynet.html
The National Repository of Grey Literature housed in the National Technical Library in Prague has added 19 video presentations from the Twelfth International Conference on Grey Literature to its collection:

**GL12, Opening Session – Transparency in Grey Literature**

**GL12, Session One - Redefining Grey Literature**

**GL12, Session Two - New Stakeholders in Grey Literature**

**GL12, Session Three - Standardization in Grey Literature**

**GL12, Session Four - New Frontiers in Grey Literature**


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*Note*  The metadata records and full-text documents linked to the above video presentations are accessible via the OpenGrey Repository, http://www.opengrey.eu/search/request?q=greynet+2011

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