








Welcome to Occupy Library,
 a formative/funky/fab/free-of-charge conference,
 organized by Progress Foundation, with the help of our
 Partners and Supporters.

We have prepared different themes

-  Active Citizenship in Analog and Digital Format
-  Open-Themed
-  Multi-Themed
-  Partnerships for Strong Democracies
-  Emerging Tech Trends to Empower Communities
-  Public Spaces and Community Engagement
-  Serving Communities in Time of Crisis

in the following formats:

-  Keynote Sessions
-  Presentations
-  Ignite Talks
-  Panels
-  Interactive Sessions

You can interact with our Partners in the



Expo Area

And you can connect with other library lovers in the



Networking Area

We hope you enjoy it as much as we do!



Meet the **Keynote Speakers!**



Hannelore Vogt

Director of Cologne Public Library



Dan Perjovschi

Artist



Asaf Bartov

Senior Program Officer at
Wikimedia Foundation



Loida Garcia-Febo

International Library Consultant

Meet the **Fab Speakers!**



Christine Mackenzie

President of IFLA



Deborah Jacobs



**Eppo van Nispen
tot Sevenader**

Netherlands Institute of Sound
and Vision



Erik Boekesteijn

National Library of
Netherlands



Jessica Dorr



Liz Gettigan

SOLUS





















Stuart Hamilton

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See more about our speakers here!

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| |  Britta Schmedemann - Bremen City Library, Germany Open-air Events, Experiments and Football Fever - The public library is involved! |
| |  Taina Sahlander & Leena Parviainen - Tampere City Library, Finland Available and Accessible - Open libraries in Finland! |
| |  Kateryna Aleksieienko - Lviv Public Library, Ukraine Lviv Libraries - New format, new opportunities! |
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| |  Robert Pelin - Progress Foundation, Romania CODE Kids - Teaching kids from rural Romania how to code |
| |  Alejandra Quiroz Hernández - Mexico Libraries Break the Silence on Gender Violence |
| |  Jana Beckmann & Janna Nikoleit - Flex, Germany New Forms of Urban Intervention Libraries |
| |  Simone Stone - University of Illinois at Urbana - Champaign, USA Privacy Issues of the Twenty-First Century |
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| |  Cecilie Lyneborg & Nanna Damsgaard - Larsen Herlev Library, Denmark Serving Communities in Time of Crisis - With Conversations And Encounters around Literature on Instagram |
| |  Dunja Holcer & Dina Mašina Delija - Library of the Croatian Academy of Science and Arts & Public Library and Reading Room Vlado Gotovac Sisak, Croatia Croatian Public Libraries During COVID-19 Spring Lock-Down |
| |  Jennifer Velásquez - San Antonio Public Library System, USA The Library is Open in Different Ways - Growing youth participation during the COVID shutdown. |
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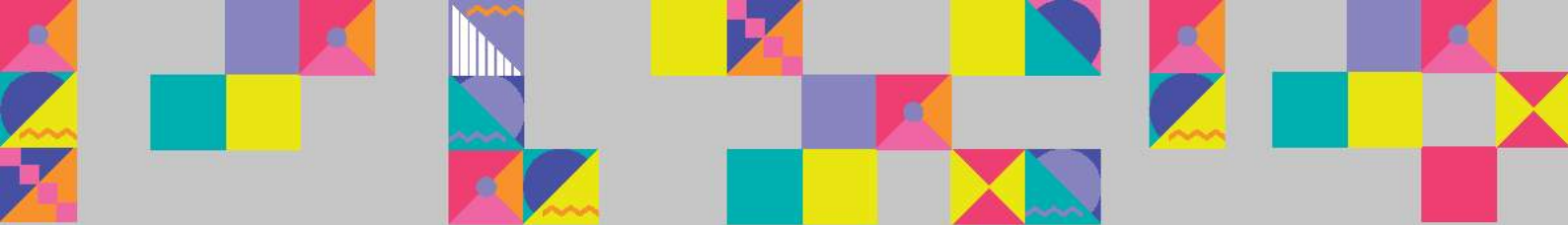
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| |  Jarkko Rikkilä & Salla Hyökki - Tampere City Library, Finland Virtual Colleague Support and Better Digital Skills as a Way to Cope with the Changing World |
| |  Monika Straupytė - Kaunas Municipal Vincas Kudirka Public Library, Lithuania Library Against COVID19 - Innovative Solutions and Services for Community |
| |  Mariana Harjevschi - "B.P. Hasdeu" Municipal Library of Chisinau, Moldova Take A Summer Challenge With The Municipal Library From Chisinau |
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| |  Jana Beckmann & Janna Nikoleit - Flex, Germany #biblio:polis - spaces of #knowledge, #memory and #encounter |
| |  Mariana Marian - "I.S. Badescu" Salaj County Library, Romania Friends of the Library Association - How can we develop services in a Public Library? |
| |  Edgardo Civalero - Charles Darwin Foundation, Ecuador Creating libraries in a Library-less Land |
| |  Natalia Ghimpu - National Library of Moldova The Library as a Space for the Social Inclusion of the Community in the Consolidation of Democracy |
| |  Ioana Crihana - National Association of Public Librarians and Libraries in Romania (ANBPR) Public Libraries - Territories of Transformational Learning Germination |
| |  Svetlana Gumeni & Doina Vicol - "B.P. Hasdeu" Municipal Library of Chisinau, Moldova Kinetic Games At The Library „A. Mickiewicz" |
| |  Aurelia Mircescu - National Library of Romania Book-a-Book: a collaborative project |
| |  Diana Drozdovschi - "B.P. Hasdeu" Municipal Library of Chisinau, Moldova Birdwatching - How to Take Care of Urban Nature |
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| |  Denis Vincek - "Ante Kovačić" Zlatar Elementary, Croatia The School Library as the Building Block of Active Citizenship |
| |  Diana Lacatusu, Elena-Mariana Angheluta & Lucian Dobroiu - Europe Direct Information Center Gorj, Romania Forming citizens - Pro-active EU! |
| |  Taisia Foiu - "B.P. Hasdeu" Municipal Library of Chisinau, Moldova Bibliotur - Discover Chisinau Differently |
| |  Maria Melente - Young Initiative Association, Romania Stories of Citizenship and Solidarity - by Young Initiative Association Romania |
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| |  Lidija Sajatovic & Miroslav Katic - Karlovac Public Library, Croatia Libraries and Democracy - How do libraries encourage deliberation, civic activism, and strengthen social capital: case study of Karlovac Public Library |
| |  Maria Gonța & Margarita Ursu - Library Association of Moldova (ABRM) Library - the old-new community change promoter |
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| |  Anton Purnik - Russian State Library for Young Adults (RYSLA) How to Build Digital Competencies of Librarians in Rural Areas Using Distance Learning Technologies |
| |  Răzvan-Victor Sassu & Marilena Chirita - Young Initiative Association & Bucharest Metropolitan Library, Romania Emerging Trends in Digital Education for Empowering Communities |
| |  Liviu Pop - uzinaduzina, Romania Digital Barns in Smart & Sensitive Villages |
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| |  Nicole James - Cologne Public Library, Germany Learning Circles: E-learning for Everyone |
| |  Ludmila Panzari - “B.P. Hasdeu” Municipal Library of Chisinau, Moldova Space Technology in the Library |
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