



Annual Conference
Monday, May 12, 2014
 Museum of the Moving Image

8:30 am	Registration & Light Breakfast	Lobby and Café (Level 1)
9:00 – 10:45 am	Welcome and Opening Remarks	Redstone Theater (Level 1)
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Olivia Kalin, Vice President, NYCMER • Carl Goodman, Executive Director, Museum of the Moving Image • Sheri Levinsky-Raskin, President, NYCMER • Keynote Address: <i>Museums and Community Life: Service in a New Age</i> Lois H. Silverman, PhD, MSW, international scholar, educator, museum consultant and author of <i>The Social Work of Museums</i> 	
11:00 am	Morning Sessions	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activating History: Interpretation in Three Acts • Activating the Museum through Pop-Up Experiments in Visitor Engagement • Art for All: Our Path to a More Open Museum • Building Community from the Inside Out • Connected City: Teen Programs that Network • Far Yet Near: Extended Communities Through Museum School Partnerships • Mixing Rockets and Sea Lions: Challenges and Successes of Developing a Collaborative Professional Development Program • Reframing Family Audiences: Understanding and Serving the Family as a Learning Institution 	Seminar Room (Level 1) Redstone Theater (Level 1) Lunch Room (Lower Level) Constantiner Media Lab (Level 1) Nam June Paik Room (Level 3) Bartos Screening Room (Level 1) London Media Lab (Level 1) Fox Amphitheater (Level 1)
12:00 pm	Lunch	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • See the last page of the program for a list of local lunch locations. 	
1:30 pm	Afternoon Sessions I	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Case Studies in Alter-Museums: Serving Museum Audiences in Unique Cultural Spaces • Creating Community: Social and Cultural Inclusion of Non-Traditional Audiences • Engaging Young Learners and Their Communities Through Programming and Beyond the Walls of the Institution • Moving Through the Mission: Teen Engagement and Institutional Identity • Outputs, Outcomes and Impact: Approaches to Assessing Intangibles • Survival of the Fittest: Native Plants and Local Teens in the Bronx • Unpacking Social Practice: Finding Meaningful Alignment Between Institutions, Audiences, and Spaces 	Constantiner Media Lab (Level 1) Nam June Paik Room (Level 3) London Media Lab (Level 1) Bartos Screening Room (Level 1) Fox Amphitheater (Level 1) Lunch Room (Lower Level) Redstone Theater (Level 1)



2:45 pm Afternoon Sessions II

- 65 and Up, Up, Up! Collaborating with Senior Service Agencies Constantiner Media Lab (Level 1)
- Did We See Art Today?: Collaborating with the (Non-Educator) Emerging Contemporary Artist Fox Amphitheater (Level 1)
- Frameworks for Engagement: Cultivating New Relationships between Teachers, Learners, and Objects Redstone Theater (Level 1)
- Learning Art and Science Through 3D Scanning and Printing London Media Lab (Level 1)
- Museums in the Classroom: An Opportunity to Reimagine Programming for School Communities Paik Room (Level 3)
- Starting from Scratch: Tackling Institutional Challenges through New Low Budget Programming Lunch Room (Lower Level)
- Stimulating the Senses and Promoting Play for Children with Autism/Sensory Processing Disorders Bartos Screening Room (Level 1)

4:00 pm

Poster Session + Book signing (1 hour)

Café (Level 1)

An opportunity to learn about topics relevant to museum education and to speak with poster authors in an informal, marketplace setting.

Book signing: *The Social Work of Museums*, by keynote speaker Lois H. Silverman

Poster Presentations:

- An Open Book: A New Model for Public Engagement Aimed at Youth Participation
- Museum Teen Summit: Sharing a Teen Community
- Seeing Meaning with Fresh Eyes: a New Perspective on Language, Accessibility and Multimodality in Museums
- Hands on History: Archive as Classroom
- Long Term Impact of Working as Floor Facilitators in Museums
- The Four Friends Family Cart: Applying Design Thinking to Museum Challenges
- SciGames Implementation and Lessons Learned: Investigating Connections Between Children's Natural Play and Science Learning
- The Whitney: Building a New Museum, Building a New Community

4:30 p.m.

Concluding Reception

Lobby and Café (Level 1)

5:30 p.m.

Conference Ends – After party at Studio Square!

Conference committee members will lead the way to the after party, where you can continue mingling with your peers. Wear your name tag so we know who you are!

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between 35th and 36th Aves.

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