Workshop on Digital Heritage Preservation for Alaska Native Libraries, Archives, and Museums

March 9-10, 2016
Fairbanks

The Alaska Native Language Archive and the Alaska Native Issues Roundtable of the Alaska Library Association is hosting a workshop on Digital Heritage Preservation for Alaska Native Libraries, Archives, and Museums, March 9-10. This two-day preconference workshop will cover basic digitization planning, preservation, workflows, and project organization, as well as issues specific to Alaska Native languages and the Mukurtu Content Management system. Participants will learn best practices for digitizing documents, photographs, and audio recordings, as well as strategies for mobilizing these resources to make them more useful and accessible to patrons. Participants will work directly with demonstration materials, hardware, and software on site.

The workshop will be held at the Rasmuson Library in Fairbanks, immediately prior to the Alaska Library Association (AkLA) Conference. Registration for the workshop is $25, which includes all materials and breakfast and lunch on both days. Registration is being handled through the AkLA website; however, membership in AkLA is not required in order to participate in the workshop. The workshop is limited to 20 participants, so be sure to register early.

Thanks to the generous support of our sponsors, travel scholarships are available to qualified participants. An application for scholarships to cover transportation, lodging, and meals will be available in mid-December. Deadline for scholarship applications is January 10, 2016.

For registration and scholarship information, as well as a detailed workshop schedule, visit the website: http://www.uaf.edu/anla/shn-workshop/

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