ECURE 2000: PRESERVATION AND ACCESS
FOR ELECTRONIC COLLEGE AND
UNIVERSITY RECORDS CONFERENCE
Arizona State University
Mesa Hilton Pavilions, October 5-6, 2000

Scope: An interdisciplinary conference designed to attract college and university information creators and those charged with stewardship of their products. Marketed by press releases to publications and Internet listservs of a variety of professional organizations and accrediting agencies.

Speakers: Presenters were selected from the communities of university attorneys, registrars and admissions professionals, archivists, records managers, librarians and technology professionals who are conducting research or have experience with electronic records creation, interoperability, transmission, preservation and legal issues.

Attendance: Approximately 85 individuals including 60 registered participants, 16 presenters, conference committee members and VIP's. 50 of 60 registrants (83%) originated from other states. Breakdown of professional communities represented (registrants only):

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<th>Professional Community</th>
<th>Number</th>
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<tr>
<td>Archivists (some w/Records Mgmt. duties)</td>
<td>23</td>
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<td>Records Managers</td>
<td>12</td>
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<td>Technology Professionals</td>
<td>5</td>
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<td>Registrars/Admissions</td>
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<td>Mid-Level Managerial</td>
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<td>Publishers</td>
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<td>Librarians</td>
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<td>High Managerial (VP/Provost level)</td>
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<td>Audit/Financial Aid:</td>
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<td>Human Resources/Personnel</td>
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Over 150 individuals have attended the 1999 and 2000 ECURE conferences.

See the ECURE conference website for information about 1999 and 2000 speakers, access to their presentations and updated information on ECURE 2001!

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ECURE INVITATIONAL EXECUTIVE DEVELOPMENT SEMINARS

Conference planners are seeking to expand ECURE programming through a grant proposal to support the ECURE conference and also two Invitational Executive Development Seminars in 2001 and 2002.

The invitational executive development seminars are intended to attract and acquire support for electronic records projects from high-level university administrators (Vice Provosts and Vice Presidents). This event will result in creation of an executive briefing document to be shared with institutional administrators and governance bodies.

Attendees will also receive:

- a presentation about the relationship between effective electronic records management to operational efficiency and institutional competitiveness
- a detailed presentation on a specific e-records “hot topic” to be selected, for example:
  - Email and University Record Keeping
  - Portals and Electronic Records
  - Authentication, Authorization and Privacy
  - Electronic Records of the Virtual University

Visit the ECURE website for more information! www.asu.edu/it/events/ecure
CALL FOR PROPOSALS
ECURE 2001: Preservation and Access for Electronic University Records
October, 2001
Hosted by Arizona State University

Conference co-chairs are soliciting proposals for sessions, individual presentations and poster sessions at ECURE 2001 – Preservation and Access for Electronic College and University Records. ECURE 2001 will be held in the Phoenix metropolitan area in October 2001 (pending notification of external funding in November 2000). Conference papers and materials will be posted to the ECURE web site shortly after the conference.

CONFERENCE THEMES INCLUDE:

- Identifying and managing electronic records
- Electronic records and distance education
- Metadata and cataloging
- Search and retrieval of electronic records
- Security of electronic records
- Electronic records issues in designing and implementing portals
- FERPA and privacy issues
- Managing electronic research data
- Email and original digital records
- Web based electronic records
- Migration of traditional records to electronic formats
- Training, education, and user awareness

ECURE strives to attract proposals that focus upon case studies and presentations of practical solutions to electronic records problems in higher education. A goal of the ECURE conference is to share practical solutions, model policies and procedures, and application development projects in progress. These elements will be emphasized in the evaluation and selection process.

DEADLINES

Proposals will be accepted until March 3, 2001 (see Error! Bookmark not defined. below). Selected presenters will be notified by April 9, 2001. Presenters will receive free admission to the conference and complimentary lodging at the conference hotel for up to three nights. Final papers or materials are due September 15, 2001 for inclusion in the conference notebook and on the conference web site.

PROPOSAL SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS:

Proposals should include complete speaker’s contact information including name, job title, institution, address, phone, fax, email address, brief biographical information, and an abstract of 250-500 words. Also required is the planned presentation length and format, and any media or facilities requirements. Please e-mail your proposal to rob.spindler@asu.edu or jeremy.rowe@asu.edu by March 3, 2001.

PRESENTATIONS

Proposals will be considered for the concurrent 60 and 90 minute sessions and 15-minute poster sessions. Session proposals including more than one speaker are acceptable, although complete contact information for all speakers must be included in the proposal. The completed proposal represents a commitment on the part of all presenters listed, so it is expected that proposed presenters will have agreed to speak before their name is included in a proposal.

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