Mini-Conference for New ORALLians

An essential program for first time conference attendees and new(ish) law librarians.
By Marissa Mason, Amelia Landenberger, and Shannon Kemen
Panelists: Rob Myers, Shannon Kemen, Angela Baldree, and Mary Jenkins

Schedule

4:00-4:15 Introduction
4:15-4:35 Panel:
   Rob Myers
   Shannon Kemen
   Angela Baldree
   Mary Jenkins
4:35-4:45 Questions for the panel
4:45-5:00 Speed networking

Amelia and Marissa’s TOP 10 TIPS for conference success:

1. Find a conference buddy
2. Social Events
3. Eat
4. Sleep
5. Don’t eat alone
6. Try things outside of your area of specialty
7. Stay organized
8. Follow up with people
9. Be comfortable...
10. Don’t forget, Conferences are FUN!!
How to get involved in ORALL:

Attend the annual meeting
Read the newsletter
Read the emails on the listserv
Write for the newsletter
Become a member of a committee
Organize a meeting or happy hour for local ORALL members
Take a leadership role in ORALL

Conversation Starters:

Food – what do you love, what do you make?
What is your favorite ice cream flavor?
Travel – coolest place you’ve been
Library schools – where you studied
Law schools – where you’ve worked or studied
The weather in Fort Wayne – always a safe topic
Fun stories about being a librarian