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Committee Reports

2011/2012 Conference Planning Committee Mid-Year Report

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Continuing Activities

- Dine arounds being worked on by Danielle Williams
- Program details received on the 10th by Registrar; Registrar working on registration
- Hotel ½ rooms and VIP rooms being compiled to send to hotel
- Website being added to as needed; Sarah Perlmutter will do sponsors page

Completed Activities

- Menus for the hotel have been finalized – We will have a "Nuevo Latino" themed dinner on Thursday night
- Budget submitted for approval
- Options for Saturday night investigated. They include: ball game, attendance at CMA event downtown, dine arounds, commercial tours that pick up from hotel and include ticket to Grand Ole Opry or river cruise with show; free hotel shuttle to several nearby restaurants
- Tours of TV News Archive set up during non-conflict times
- Room for Editeur group set up with hotel
- Additional rooms for Tuesday and Wednesday to accommodate pre-conference registrants negotiated by Joyce Tenney
- Reviewed flyer for publicity at NC Serials Conference and Electronic Resources in Libraries
- Music licensing investigated for open mic night

Recommendations to Board:

Purchase 3 music licenses for liability protection for open mic night

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