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Library's annual full-day genealogy conference returns

Saturday, April 14 at the Main Library

Louisville, Ky. (March 21, 2012) – *Genealogy Day at the Library* is the Louisville Free Public Library's annual all-day conference for beginning and experienced genealogists alike. Participants will learn methods to research their family history from experienced presenters and take a tour of the Main Library's noted Kentucky History and Genealogy collection. This year's *Genealogy Day* keynote speaker is renowned local historian Rick Bell, discussing "Louisville in 1940."

The conference begins at 9:30 a.m. at the Main Library, 301 York Street. The event is free and open to the public. Call 574-1611 for more information.

Genealogy Day at the Library Seminar Schedule

Saturday, April 14th, 2012, Main Library

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| 9:30 – 9:45 | Welcome and Introductory Remarks |
| 9:45 – 10:30 | Keynote – Rick Bell, Louisville in 1940 |
| 10:45 – 12:00 | Researching the 1940 Census – Betty Darnell |
| 10:45 – 12:00 | Introduction to Genealogy – Joe Hardesty, LFPL Genealogy and Kentucky History Librarian |
| 12:00 – 1:30 | Break for lunch |
| 1:30 – 2:30
– Brandon Sloan | Researching Military Records in Kentucky: WWI to Vietnam |
| 1:30 – 2:30
– Jane-Rives Williams | A Professional's Quick Tips for Success in Kentucky's Records |
| 1:30 – 2:30
– Rick Kincaid | Publishing Your Family Genealogy: It's Easier than you think! |

2:45 – 3:45 **Comings and Goings: Kentucky’s Immigration and Emigration History** – Lynne Hollingsworth

2:45 – 3:45 **Technogenealogy** – Chris Hettinger

2:45 – 3:45 **Seeking Saints and Sinners: Genealogy and Church Records** – Deborah Campisano

4:00 – 5:00 Q&A Panel with Joe Hardesty, Deborah Campisano, Lynne Hollingsworth

Louisville Free Public Library connects the residents of Louisville and Jefferson County to knowledge and information at our 18 locations and on the Web at www.lfpl.org. Come on in, the whole world’s inside.

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