To: RDA Steering Committee

From: Judith A. Kuhagen, Secretary, RSC

Subject: Location of a conference, etc.

The text below reflects the decisions made by the Joint Steering Committee during its November 2015 meeting.

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0.6.7 Section 3: Recording Attributes of Person, Family, and Corporate Body

[instruction unchanged except for item below in list following 1st paragraph]

Associated institution (for conferences, etc., if the institution’s name provides better identification than the place name or names or if the place name or names are unknown or cannot be readily determined)

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6.27.1.2 Works Created by One Person, Family, or Corporate Body

[instruction unchanged except for replacement of 16th example as shown below]


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11.3.2.1 Scope

A location of conference, etc.▼, is a place or places in which a conference, congress, meeting, exhibition, fair, festival, etc., was held.

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11.3.2.3 Recording Location of Conference, Etc.

Record the name of the place in which the conference, etc., was held by applying the basic instructions at 11.3.1.

EXAMPLE

Selangor, Malaysia
Preferred name for the conference recorded as: Agricultural Waste Management Conference

Moscow, Russia
Preferred name for the conference recorded as: Mezhdunarodnyĭ simpozium "Global'noe rasselenie gominid"

Orlando, Fla.
Preferred name for the exposition recorded as: Polyurethanes Expo

Salzburg, Austria
Preferred name for the event recorded as: Salzburger Festspiele

Orange County, Calif.
Preferred name for the conference recorded as: UbiComp. Place recorded for the 2006 conference

If the conference, etc., was held in more than one place, record the names of each of the places in which it was held.

EXAMPLE

Sydney, N.S.W.
Canberra, A.C.T.
Adelaide, S.A.
Brisbane, Qld.
Preferred name for the event recorded as: Olympic Games. Places recorded for the 2000 Olympic Games

Paris, France
Lyon, France
Marseille, France
Toulouse, France
Bordeaux, Aquitaine, France
Nantes, France
Preferred name for the event recorded as: Tour de France. Places recorded for the 1903 Tour de France

Malling, England
Dundee, Scotland
Preferred name for the conference recorded as: Symposium on Breeding and Machine Harvesting of Rubus and Ribes

Tehran, Iran
Iṣfahān, Iran
Shīrāz, Iran
Preferred name for the conference recorded as: International Congress of Iranian Art and Archaeology

Alternative

If the conference, etc., was held in more than one place, record:

a) the name of the place or places primarily associated with the conference, etc. (e.g., a host city)
   or
b) the name of the larger place or places in which the conference, etc., was held.

EXAMPLE

Trento, Italy
Preferred name for the conference recorded as: Council of Trent. Sessions of the conference were held in Trento, Italy, and Bologna, Italy

Sydney, N.S.W.
Preferred name for the event recorded as: Olympic Games. Sydney was the host city for the 27th Olympic Games. Other places were also used for parts of the event

Switzerland
Preferred name for the exhibition recorded as: Schweizerische Landesausstellung. Location recorded for the 2002 exhibition, which was held in multiple places in Switzerland

France
Italy
Switzerland
Preferred name for the event recorded as: Giro d’Italia. Location recorded for the 1998 Giro d’Italia, which had 22 stages in various local places in France, Italy, and Switzerland

Exceptions

Record the name of an associated institution (see 11.5) as the location if:

- the name of the associated institution provides better identification

or

- the place name or names are not known

or

- the place name or names cannot be readily determined.

If there are multiple associated institutions associated with the conference, etc., record the names of each of the associated institutions.

Alternative

Record the name or names of the associated institution primarily associated with the conference, etc. (e.g., a host institution).

Record Online as the location for a conference, etc., that was held online.
For a conference, etc., in which a place name or names has been recorded, an associated institution (see 11.5) may also be recorded.

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11.5 Associated Institution

CORE ELEMENT

Associated institution is a core element for conferences, etc., if the institution’s name provides better identification than the place name or names or if the place name or names are unknown or cannot be readily determined. Associated institution is a core element for other corporate bodies if the institution’s name provides better identification than the place name or names or if the place name or names are unknown or cannot be readily determined, and it is needed to distinguish the corporate body from another corporate body with the same name.

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[1st-2nd paragraphs unchanged]

EXAMPLE

Weltkongress für Matriarchatsforschung (1st : 2003 : Luxembourg)

Neshoba County Fair (2015 : Neshoba County, Miss.)

Number of fair not readily ascertainable

Governor’s Conference on Aging (Fla.) (3rd : 1992 : Tallahassee, Fla.)

Mezhdunarodnyi simposium "Global’noe rasselenie gominid" (1993 : Moscow, Russia)

No applicable number


Federal-Provincial Conference of First Ministers (1978 November 27–29 : Ottawa, Ont.)

No applicable number; specific dates included to distinguish between another conference with the same name held in the same year

Gapapaiwa Writers’ Workshop (1st : 1993)

Location of workshop not readily ascertainable


Auckland Art Fair (2009 : Auckland, N.Z.)

Number of fair not readily ascertainable
Polyurethanes Expo (1999 : Orlando, Fla.)
No applicable number

EuroSSC (2006 : Enschede, Netherlands)
No applicable number

If a conference was held in two or more places, include each of the place names.

EXAMPLE

Symposium on Breeding and Machine Harvesting of Rubus and Ribes (1976 : East Malling, England; Dundee, Scotland)
No applicable number

International Congress of Iranian Art and Archaeology (5th : 1968 : Tehran, Iran; یزد, Iran; شیراز, Iran)

Danish-Swedish Analysis Seminar (1995 : Copenhagen, Denmark; Lund, Sweden; Paris, France)
No applicable number

Alternative

If the conference, etc., was held in more than one place, include as the location of the conference, etc.:

a) the name of the place or places primarily associated with the conference, etc. (e.g., a host city)

or

b) the name of the larger place or places in which the conference, etc. was held.

EXAMPLE

Olympic Winter Games (21st : 2010 : Vancouver, B.C.)
Host city included as location of the conference, etc.

Tour de France (1904 : France)
Larger place included as location of the conference, etc.; no applicable number

Peking to Paris Motor Challenge (5th : 2013 : Beijing, China; Paris, France)
Places primarily associated with the event included as location of the conference, etc.

World Cup (Cricket) (8th : 2003 : South Africa; Zimbabwe; Kenya)
Larger places used as location of the conference, etc.

Exceptions

Record the name of the associated institution as the location if:
the name of an associated institution (see 11.5) provides better identification than the place name.

**or**

the place name or names are not known

**or**

the place name or names cannot be readily determined.

**EXAMPLE**

International Conference on Georgian Psalmody (2nd : 1997 : Colchester Institute)

Balatoni Kisgrafikai Biennálé (10th : 1989 : Tihanyi Múzeum)

Society for the Study of Economic Inequality. Meeting (1st : 2005 : Universitat de les Illes Balears)


No applicable number


No applicable number

Seminário a Situação Económica de Moçambique e os Possíveis Cenários para o seu Desenvolvimento (1994 : Universidade Eduardo Mondlane. Faculdade de Economia)

No applicable number

U.S. Open (Golf tournament) (1989 : Oak Hill Country Club)

Number of tournament not readily ascertainable

If there are multiple associated institutions associated with the conference, etc., include each of the names of the associated institutions.

**EXAMPLE**

Conference on the Appalachian Frontier (1985 : James Madison University; Mary Baldwin College)

No applicable number

Adolescent Medicine Symposium (1984–1985 : Yale University. School of Medicine; St. Joseph Hospital; Dartmouth Medical School; Maine Medical Center; University of Massachusetts Medical Center/Worcester)

No applicable number

**Alternative**

Include the name of the associated institution or institutions primarily associated with the conference, etc. (e.g., a host institution).

If the conference, etc., was held online, record *Online* as the
location.

**EXAMPLE**

Electronic Conference on Land Use and Land Cover Change in Europe (1997 : Online)

No applicable number

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**11.13.2.1 General Guidelines on Constructing Variant Access Points to Represent Corporate Bodies**

*instruction unchanged except for replacement of 1st example in the last example box as shown below*

Symposium on Egyptian Royal Ideology (5th : 2007 : Cambridge, England)

**Form recorded as authorized access point:** Symposium zur Ägyptischen Königsideologie (5th : 2007 : Cambridge, England)

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**19.2.1.3 Recording Creators**

*instruction unchanged except for these actions in 9th example box (Works Representing the Collective Activity of a Conference ...): replacement of 6th example with example below; deletion of 7th example (Antarctic Walk Environmental Research Expedition (1991–1993))*


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**Glossary:**

**location of conference, etc.** A place or places in which a conference, congress, meeting, exhibition, fair, festival, etc., was held.