



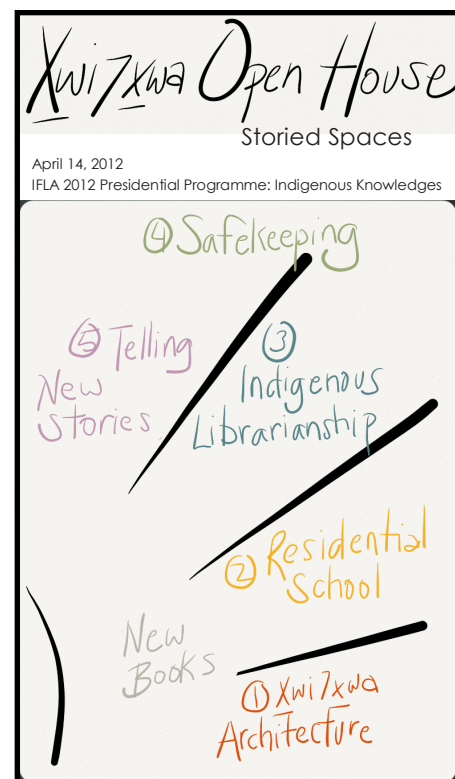
## IFLA Indigenous Knowledge : international visitors to Xwi7xwa Library

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This summer Xwi7xwa Library took part in and hosted guests from the International Federation of Library Associations and Institutions in an open house titled Storied Spaces as part of the IFLA Presidential Programme spring meeting. As part of Story Spaces there were talks on Indigenous Librarianship Story Circle hosted by Kim Lawson, a reference librarian at Xwi7xwa.

On the IFLA website you can find podcasts from various sessions like the Organization of Indigenous Knowledge Plenary Session which features speakers Cheryl Metoyer with “All things Connected: Relationality in Native American knowledge Organization” and Gene Joseph with “Traditional knowledge” and the Keynote session “Indigenous Rights and Intellectual Property”, given by Grand Chief Ed John. There are plenty more to choose from and we encourage you to check them out.

See IFLA 2012 Presidential Programme : Indigenous Knowledges  
<http://iflaindigenoussknowledges2012.ok.ubc.ca> for more information



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### Xwi7xwa's “Aboriginal Films and Filmmakers Research Guide” now online

Xwi7xwa Library continues to build a unique collection of over 1000 films by BC Aboriginal writers, directors and producers and other Aboriginal films. This year the additions focused on independent films.

The Xwi7xwa “Aboriginal Films and Filmmakers Research Guide” describes research strategies for materials by and about Aboriginal filmmaking. There are great books and videos about Aboriginal films in several other UBC Library branches beyond Xwi7xwa. Xwi7xwa is developing subject headings to help find research, information and other resources about Aboriginal films, as well as the films themselves. The guide provides some search terms that are helpful for distinguishing information about films BY Indigenous filmmakers from films ABOUT Indigenous topics. The search terms that are effective for articles in databases may not be effective in the library catalogue.

You can view the guide at: [http://guides.library.ubc.ca/abfilm\\_kl](http://guides.library.ubc.ca/abfilm_kl)

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