

# Chicken Soup for the Media Specialist's Soul

MAME Leadership Conference

**Saturday, March 20, 2010**

8:30 – 4:30

**.5 SBCEUs**

Ann Arbor – University of Michigan School of Information

We will meet in Room 311 West Hall (just off the Diag). Enter West Hall via the doorway inside the Arch.

**Driving and parking directions:** <http://si.umich.edu/about-SI/maps.htm>

## Agenda:

8:30-8:45 Welcome and Opening remarks – Judy Hauser & Martha Pollack

8:45-9:15 Online Help: AASL Toolkits - Kathleen McBroom  
Help is out there, if you know where to look!

9:15 - 9:30 Break

9:30 - 11:00 Success Stories  
Come hear about your colleagues who have been recognized at the state and national level and learn about their award-winning efforts. Celebrate their successes and garner ideas for your program!

- Gigi Lincoln, Lakeview School District  
2008 NY Times/Carnegie Corp. I Love My Librarian
- Nancy Schultz-Speck, Garden City High School  
2009 Michigan State Librarian's Citation of Excellence
- Carolyn Wheeler, Bloomfield Hills Public Schools  
2009 NY Times/Carnegie Corp. I Love My Librarian

11:00 -11:45 Stress?? WHAT Stress? Thomas B. Booth, EdD, Clinical Psychologist  
What exactly is stress? And what can we do about it? Learn about various types, signs, symptoms, and triggers – and how to cope!

11:45 - 1:30 Lunch On Your Own – Explore Ann Arbor! Get in a little shopping!  
(Conference Committee will meet)

1:30 - 2:45 Sometimes the Good Guys Win: An Intellectual Freedom Success Story  
Annette Haley, Susan Gilmore, and Wyandotte Roosevelt teachers:  
Sean Soules, Rob Keast, and Warren Baker  
Learn how an entire community came together to face a book challenge –  
with a happy ending!  
Make sure you and your program are prepared – just in case!

2:45 - 3:00 break

3:00 - 4:15 Re-focusing and Refining Your Instructional Practices - Kristin Fontichiaro  
With so much going on, and so many distractions, how can we stay  
focused on instruction? Learn about ways to improve your impact on  
students - and their learning.

4:15 - 4:30 evaluation and wrap-up