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Membership and Communications
The ARLIS Ontario Chapter has continued to maintain an active membership of over fifty members. One of the Chapter’s goals is to encourage student membership through reduced membership and meeting rates. The group has facilitated communication through several means:

- A bi-annual newsletter, ARLIS ON, produced by Daniel Payne (Ontario College of Art & Design). This is distributed as a PDF document to all Ontario Chapter members.
- A Chapter website (http://www.fis.utoronto.ca/people/affiliated/arlisont/) which is maintained by Eric Schwab (Ontario College of Art & Design).
- The distribution of fall and spring meeting minutes to all Chapter members.
- The CARLIS-L listserv.

Finances and Awards
The Ontario Chapter concluded 2005 with a healthy bank balance of over $5000. The group’s major fundraising initiative, an annual fundraising silent auction, was held at the Ontario College of Art & Design in December. To encourage attendance at the next annual ARLIS/NA conference in Banff in May 2006 the Chapter approved three travel awards of $750. It was agreed that the Chapter needs to have fuller discussions around fundraising as well as develop guidelines for the use of general revenues. One travel award of $750 was awarded in 2005 to Irene Puchalski (Librarian, Faculty of Architecture, Landscape and Design, University of Toronto) to attend the ARLIS/NA conference in Houston.

Meetings
The Chapter held two well attended and successful meetings in 2005.

Spring: May 12-14, Ontario College of Art & Design, Toronto
This was a joint meeting held with the Western New York Chapter. Ontario Chapter members of the planning committee were: Daniel Payne, Jill Patrick, Mary Kandiuk, Irene Puchalski, Randall Speller, Eric Schwab, Catherine Spence, Margaret English and Lynda Barnett. Using the theme "Re-Mapping our Urban Spaces" the following speakers were featured:
Henry Hong-Yiu Cheung, Keynote Speaker, Bruce Mau Design
John Hoffmann, Director of Facilities Planning, Cornell University
Dorothy S. Tao, Librarian, University of Buffalo and Barbara Polowy, Librarian, Smith College
Anna Dyson, Professor, School of Architecture, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Harold Madi, founding Partner, Office for Urbanism
Glenn Miller, Vice-President Education and Research, Canadian Urban Institute
Larry Richards, Professor and former Dean, Faculty of Architecture, Landscape and Design, University of Toronto
Lisa Rochon, architecture critic, Globe & Mail
The meeting also included evening dinners around the city and a tour to the historic Distillery District on Saturday morning.

**Fall:** October 14, Musagetes Library, University of Waterloo, School of Architecture, Cambridge, Ontario

This meeting was organized by Michele Laing, Vice-Chair. It included a presentation on the design and evolution of the Musagetes Architecture Library by David Warne, Levitt Goodman Architects and a tour of McDougall Cottage.

**Upcoming Events**
The spring 2006 meeting will be held at York University. ARLIS/NA Ontario members will have the opportunity to visit the much acclaimed Accolade East Project, housing the new Fine Arts Facilities as well as the Art Gallery of York University. The fall meeting will be held in Buffalo, New York, in combination with the Western New York Chapter. This meeting will revolve around a Frank Lloyd Wright theme. A successful application was made for special ARLIS funding to support the joint meeting. It promises to be an exciting year.

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