Officers Present
Eric Johnson-DeBaufre, Co-President
Annamarie Klose, Co-President
Dalynn Knigge, Co-President
Karen Levine: Secretary
Bethany O’Shea, Treasurer

The meeting came to order at 6:00 pm.
Attendance sheet and agenda were distributed.

I. Opening Remarks and New Officer Introductions
Anna opened the meeting and welcomed the attendees. She introduced new SOURCE officers: co-archivists Deborah Friedman and Sue Fogg-Eisdorfer and Abode Connect / Webcam Tech, Carmen Negron. She mentioned that SOURCE is still working on a better title for Carmen’s position.

II. Highlighted Collection
Anna shared the highlighted collection of the month, the Salem Witch Trials Documentary Archive and Documentary Project. The website is a virtual collection of original documents from the Salem Witch Trials that belong to different museums and archives. This collection was selected in the spirit of Halloween (though the events were not specifically related to Halloween). Anna pointed out that the documents preserve a historical episode that was scary for the people who were accused of witchcraft.

III. Past events
Karen, Eric, Anna and Kristen Mapes shared positive feedback about the 10/15/12 visit to the Cooper-Hewitt National Library of Design. We enjoyed seeing a fascinating selection from the collection, which included art books, sample books, illustrated books and one of a kind fine book (Wine, Women and Song). A part of the Smithsonian Institution, the library is open to the public.

Anna asked if others took pictures that they please share them to be posted to the web site and archive.
IV. Upcoming Scheduled Events
Dalynn announced the Friday, November 9 trip to the Rosenbach Museum and Library in Philadelphia, which has a diverse and rich collection of fine art books and manuscripts, including: notes and outlines of Dracula by Bram Stoker, letters of Lewis Carroll and George Washington, and the artwork of Maurice Sendak. The visit will include an hour with the museum’s director and an hour with the collections librarian. As part of the RSVP, the library is asking about people’s particular interests from the collection.

Twenty is the maximum number for this trip and one-third of the spaces are already reserved. Details about meet up will follow shortly before the trip.

Anna announced that there will be a hands-on Enclosures workshop facilitated by former SOURCE officer, Carolyn Dorsey, on-site at the Morristown and Morris Township Public Library. Participants will learn to assemble basic enclosures step-by-step and use archival safe materials. This is an opportunity to learn a relevant hands-on and money-saving skills for work with special collections.

Anna announced that MARAC (Mid-Atlantic Regional Archives Conference) will hold its fall conference in Richmond, VA during the 10/25-27 weekend. MARAC holds conferences twice each year and the spring 2013 conference will take place in Erie, PA. MARAC is a good opportunity to learn about the latest in archival practice and network with working archivists. Kristen inquired how much does MARAC cost. No one present had a precise answer but did share that there is a student price.

V. Future SOURCE Events & upcoming events of other student groups
Anna and Eric announced several proposed events for the spring 2013 semester including: a visit to the David Library of the American Revolution in February or March and The University of Pennsylvania Rare Book Library in April.

In follow up to the interest expressed at the September meeting in a professional development event, Eric has asked Erika Gorder, Associate University Archivist at Rutgers, to do a Q&A session about her experiences working as an archivist. Erika is delighted to oblige and this will be planned late this semester or early in the spring.

Anna offered that other MLIS student group leaders could announce their upcoming events, as well. Bethany announced two upcoming LISSA events: a tour of Alexander Library on Thursday, October 18 at 1 pm and a talk by NJ State Librarian, Mary Chute, as part of the Colloquium Series on Wednesday, 10/24, at 7 pm in the Scholarly Communications Center on the 4th Floor of Alexander Library.

Scott Goldstein of SCARLA announced a panel of representatives from ALA, NJLA and SLA will speak to students next Tuesday, 10/23, from 6-8 pm.
The meeting was adjourned at 6:20 pm.
The meeting was streamed and recorded:
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