

Attending the NDLA Conference for 1 or 2 [LMIS 700] Continuing Education Graduate Credits

Attendance Requirements

1. You will be able to register for the course at <http://www.vcsu.edu/extend/vp.htm?p=1618>. Click on the Credit Courses button to generate a list of for-credit continuing education courses including the LMIS 700 course “Libraries, A Census @ NDLA”. Select the course and register for one or two credits.
2. You will earn **one credit per 15 hours of attendance at conference activities** during the 2010 NDLA conference, September 29 - October 2, 2010. See the preliminary conference schedule at <http://www.ndla.info/Conference/10conf.htm> to choose those sessions of interest to you. You may count *up to 2 hours* for visiting with vendors as well as evening activities including the banquet and the auction.
3. After the conference is over, complete the Conference Session Log and Personal Reflection and mail both to your instructor by **October 20, 2010**. Receiving credit is dependent upon submission of a quality summary product and the correct number of logged attendance hours as explained below. Submit only your personal reflection & log sheets to Donna James (address below) by **October 20, 2010**. Do not submit registration or payment for the course to Donna James; registration and payment must be arranged with the Registrar and Business Offices at Valley City State University. Credit will be available on a VCSU transcript as of January 15, 2010 through the VCSU Extended Learning website at <http://www.vcsu.edu/extend/vp.htm?p=1018>

Personal Reflection

Write a 1-2 page reflection **based on examples gathered from all of the conference sessions you attended**. (Typed, 12-pt. font, double-spaced; full-name and contact information on the word document; check spelling and punctuation—this is a graduate level course.)

Consider the following questions:

- As a practicing library media specialist, what from the conference sessions was meaningful for you?
- How will the NDLA Conference impact your professional practice in your classroom, school, or district?
- Do you feel that the conference helped you to grow in your profession? How? Why?

Conference Session Log

Using the Conference Session Log form and duplicating as needed, document attendance at conference sessions. You must log **15 contact hours per credit earned**.

Submit completed conference session logs and personal reflection together by **October 20, 2010**.

By E-mail: Donna James at this address: donna.james@vcsu.edu

By Mail: Donna James, Library Director, 101 College St. SW, Valley City, ND 58072

2010 NDLA Conference Session Log

Name: _____

Document your NDLA conference activities to earn credit. To earn one credit, you must log 15 contact hours; two credits, 30 hours. Turn the Conference Session Logs (with total contact hours noted and a list of ideas you took away from each session) in to your instructor along with your completed reflection paper. Please make a copy for your records.

Date/Time	# of hours	Session Title/Presenter/Activity	Who did you meet? What new ideas did you take away from this session? Statements may be used to verify attendance.

Total time on (this page only): _____

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