

# ETD Pilot Institution Workshop at the MECCA Conference

NDLTD Program

June 11, 1998

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## Morning Program

8:30-9:45am Introductions and joint discussion of NTLTD broad issues

Copyright

Archiving

ETDs and UMI

9:45-10:00am Break

10:00-12 noon Breakout Group discussions

Starter-list of topics below

Bring your own topics!

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## Registration Information

- [MECCA Information](#)
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## Discussion Topics

### Graduate School Issues

(chaired by John Eaton)

- Governance approval
- Faculty and Student concerns
- Staffing and equipment needs
- Format and style
- Information technology workshops for students, faculty and staff
- Using copyrighted materials in ETDs
- ETDs and journal publishers
- ETDs and patents
- ETD approval form

### Library and Information Issues

(chaired by Gail McMillan)

Common Problems, Common Solutions:  
Issues for Libraries and Information Technology

#### 1. ADMINISTRATION

- Staff
- Equipment
- Policies
  - Security
  - Cataloging
  - Archiving

- Interlibrary Loan of restricted access ETDs

- PURLs

- Logs
- Statistics
- Evaluation

## 2. AUTHORS

- Training
  - Workshops
  - Individual
- Support
  - Campus Computer Labs
  - Library computer lab
- Multimedia
- Linking files
- Submissions
- Surveys

## 3. USERS

- Browse
- Search
  - One Site: Shareware, Commercial
  - Federated
- Access
  - Tables of contents
  - Abstracts
  - Full works

## ETDs are Easy! Jump Start your University!

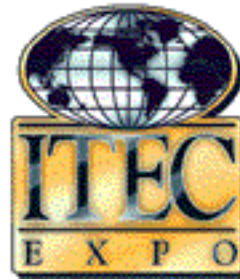
- Staff
- Equipment
- VT Programs and Scripts
- VT Web documents
- Collaborating universities: sharing solutions

*links to supporting texts are under construction; please stand by*

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# THE MECCA - ITEC "COUNTRY STORE" CONFERENCE

**"Networking Infrastructure for Education"**

**June 10th and 11th, 1998**

**The Cook Convention Center, Memphis, Tennessee**

**Academic Networking for Education and information delivery**

**Community Networking for Education and information delivery**

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MECCA\* (The Memphis Educational Computer Connectivity Alliance) and the Memphis ITEC (Information and Technology Exposition and Conference) will jointly sponsor a two day "country store" conference to include community-network and academic-network presentations, poster displays, and discussions about using computer mediated communication (CMC) utilities for educational facilitation and information delivery.

**Breaking News -->** Keynote Speakers: June 10th will be [Dr. Dan Burke \(Biosketch\)](#), Senior Associate, Office of the Assistant Director of Education and Human Resources, National Science Foundation. Dr. Burke will talk to us about the Technology Integration in Education Program. June 11th will be [Doug Rosen](#) who is director of the Opportunity Through Technology program and Senior Vice President of National Home Trust. Doug is very active in building on-ramps to the Internet for education and information access to accomodate residents of low income HUD housing.

- [Introduction and invitation](#)
- [Conference topics](#), [presentation formats](#), and featured presentations
  - Cook Convention Center [Floor Plan for Conference](#), etc.
  - [Conference Agenda](#) (always under construction)
- [Electronic Thesis and Dissertation Workshop](#). [Breakout Session for June 11th](#).
  - [On-line registration](#) for the "Country Store" Conference
  - [On-line registration](#) for the ITEC Trade Show and Conference

(remember if you intend to participate in the  
"Country Store" Conference, you must also  
register for the ITEC Exposition  
and Conference)

- [Accomodations](#): Hotels, etc.
  - [What to do in and around Memphis?](#) Beside attending the Conference
    - Conference follow-up and evaluation
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\*[MECCA](#), sponsored and funded by the [National Science Foundation's](#) EHR/CISE "Networking Infrastructure for Education" program and [The University of Tennessee, Memphis](#), is dedicated to the proposition of facilitating the development of a municipal computer network infrastructure for community, academic, and social service enrichment. MECCA is a consortium of institutions participating in a variety of network adventures. MECCA is working with K-12 Schools, institutions of higher education, and West Tennessee HUD (Housing and Urban Development) to help provide network connectivity, and facilitate the development of interactive educational content concentrating on under-represented populations in the Memphis area.

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*Larry Tague 1998*