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« Library and Information Services in Astronomy » (LISA) VIII  
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The LOC of LISA VIII respectfully requests your sponsorship for its upcoming 8th Library and Information Services in Astronomy (LISA) Conference to be held in Strasbourg, France, June 6-9th, 2017 with the theme of "Astronomy Librarianship in the era of Big Data and Open Science". This conference is organized by the Centre de Données Astronomiques de Strasbourg (CDS).

Astronomy libraries have always been at the cutting edge of library services, and LISA conferences allow our community, composed of not only librarians, but a diverse group of information professionals and astronomers as well, the opportunity to share our current work and expand our services.

Sponsorship allows us to create a unique conference experience to enhance meaningful discourse and lively interaction. It allows us to invite unique speakers at the forefront of information science and astronomy. Sponsorship allows us to invite economically disadvantaged librarians from different parts of the world who could otherwise not attend; from past LISA conferences, we know that all attendees benefit enormously from having a diverse group of participants, which ultimately, makes the conference much richer. As in the past, generous donations help us continue the tradition of LISA and its role in advancing astronomy librarianship for years to come.

You can also decide to sponsor one of the social events scheduled for LISA 2017. Every day, morning and afternoon coffee break as well as lunch will be offered to all participants and speakers. Social events also include a Welcome cocktail on Tuesday 6th June and the conference Dinner on Thursday 8th June. Your logo may be displayed during one or more of these events, offering high visibility to your company.

Please find the detailed prospectus with several sponsorship options attached to this email.

We are sure about your interest in this important event and offer you the opportunity to contribute to its international success.

We would be interested to know if you intend to support the LISA VIII Conference, please contact me at +33 (0) 3 68 85 24 23 or email me at [soizick.lesteven@astro.unistra.fr](mailto:soizick.lesteven@astro.unistra.fr) to discuss your sponsorship further.

Thank you in advance,

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