

MCAS AND SCHOOL LIBRARIES: MAKING THE CONNECTION

A Symposium Sponsored by Simmons College Graduate School of Library and Information Science

Program

- 9:30 a.m. Registration
The Conference Center
- 10:00 a.m. Welcome and Remarks
Dr. Daniel S. Cheever
President, Simmons College
- Dr. James M. Matarazzo
Dean, GSLIS
- Ms. Joan Gallagher
President MSLMA
- 10:20 a.m. "MCAS and School Libraries: Making the Connection"
Dr. James C. Baughman, Director, School Library Media Program
Simmons College
- 10:50 a.m. Discussion
- 11:00 a.m. Break
- 11:15 a.m. "Building Elementary School Libraries: An Essential Element for
Education Reform"
Ms. Mary Eldringhoff, Library Media Specialist
Tewksbury Public Schools
- 11:30 a.m. Discussion
- 12:00 p.m. Luncheon
- 12:30 p.m. "Bringing Our Schools into the Information Age"
Senator Susan C. Tucker, Massachusetts Legislature
- 1:00 p.m. Break

1:15 p.m.

Reactor Panel

Dr. Christopher Martes, Executive Director
Massachusetts Association of School Superintendents
Panel Chair

Ms. Juliette Johnson, Deputy Superintendent
Boston Public Schools

Dr. James M. Matarazzo, Dean, GSLIS
Simmons College

Dr. Gus Sayers, Superintendent
Amherst Public Schools

1:45 p.m.

"Pathfinder: Developing a Web Resource Model for a Secondary
School Library"

Ms. Cheryl C. Chase, Library Media Specialist
Dover Public Schools