Super Conference also features a stellar roster of engaging and interesting people. Here are just a few of our featured speakers:

**OLBA SPOTLIGHT – FRIDAY**

**Trends in Social Innovation**

**Tonya Surman, Executive Director, Centre for Social Innovation**

Tonya has been creating and leading social ventures since 1987 and has built her body of knowledge around multi-sectoral collaboration and entrepreneurship for social change. Being intrigued by the concept of the library as a hub for social innovation, Tonya will outline what CSI has done and explore ideas and applications relevant to libraries.

**Atom Egoyan**—Friday February 4th, 2011 @ 10:40 am

Atom Egoyan is one of the most celebrated contemporary filmmakers on the international scene. His body of work—which includes theatre, music, and art installations—delves into issues of memory, displacement, and the impact of technology and media in modern life.

**Diana Swain**—Saturday February 5th, 2011 @ 8:00 am

The Big Impact of Quiet Leadership: A challenge to lead in ways you’ve never thought of. Diana has established herself in the proud but select tradition of great CBC broadcasters. A veteran journalist and national celebrity, she is currently the host of CBC’s flagship local news show, CBC News at Six Toronto and an alternate anchor of The National.

**Jian Ghomeshi**—Saturday February 5th, 2011 @ 12:15 pm

Gala Luncheon (ticket included in full registration)

Jian is an award-winning broadcaster, writer, musician, and producer who was born in London, England and is based in Toronto. He is currently the host and co-creator of the national daily talk program, Q, on CBC Radio One and Bold TV.

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Exclusive to trustees for the 2011 Super Conference only, a trustee can attend for one day for as low as $100 or for the whole conference for $155 (regular member fee is: $305)


The Ontario Library Boards’ Association offers a new trustee travel bursary for those who live a costly distance from Toronto. Visit OLBA’s web site for details (apply before November 15, 2010).
Training and Orientation for Ontario's New Public Library Board Members

2011 is a major transition time for Ontario's public library boards due to the 2010 municipal elections.

Attention CEO's and Chairs—The Ontario Library Association 2011 Super Conference offers sessions designed to effectively launch new boards as library and community leaders.

If your board is not an OLA/OLBA member, contact us. OLBA membership is by board (each board member enjoys individual membership benefits) and the fee is reasonable and based on population served.

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There are more than 230 workshops; Here are just a few developed for public library trustees:

THURSDAY Sessions:
- OLBA's Leadership By Design: An Important Prospect for You & Your Library Board
- Putting Your Best Foot Forward with Municipal Council
- Selecting the CEO: Your Million-Dollar Responsibility
- Annual Survey of Public Libraries
- Privacy Policy Issues for Libraries
- Capital Fundraising Campaigns—Success Stories
- Ministry of Tourism and Culture Public Libraries Update
- The Public Library: Leading the Development of an Intelligent Community

7:00 pm
The Public Library Awards Reception and Dinner (ticket required)
Featuring the Honourable Michael Chan, Minister of Tourism and Culture (invited). A celebration of the contributions made through public libraries in Ontario, and the achievements of the individuals who lead the way.

FRIDAY Sessions:
- Effective Governance For New and Returning Trustees
- Ontario’s Public Libraries Act: Understanding and Compliance
- Perceptions of Public Library Services (hosted by FOPL)
- Getting Your Politicians’ Attention
- Library Strategic Planning—A Lost Opportunity?

SATURDAY Sessions:
- Responding To Media Inquiries
- Public Libraries: The Changing Business Model
- Roundtable for Public Library Leaders