



# SuperScript

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SuperScript is the official newsletter of the Alberta Community of the Society for Technical Communication and is published 10 times a year. The editors welcome submissions and advertising that will be of interest to our members. If you have an idea for an article or if you have an advertising enquiry, please contact us.



## President's Message

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## Wine & Cheese Night, September 27

It's an STC Alberta tradition to celebrate the grape harvest with a September Wine and Cheese. This year's celebration will feature a networking activity that will ensure that you get to meet everybody in the room. Come find out how everyone spent their summer and what their plans are for the fall. [Registration and details.](#)

## STC Alberta Donates its Archives to the Glenbow Museum

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## Membership News

In June and July, the Alberta Community gained eight members, bringing the membership count to 217. [Welcome to our new members.](#)

## New Council Members

We're happy to welcome these newly appointed council members:

- Melissa Di Natale: Edmonton Liaison
- Rosalinda Hernandez: Program Coordinator
- Richie Lazarowich: MRC Student Liaison

We look forward to your energy, enthusiasm and new ideas! Council members can be reached via the [Contacts page](#) on the STC Alberta website.

## 2007 Annual General Meeting Pics

The 'society pages' have nothing on us! [See who was doing what](#) at the AGM. Sorry, Ruth, despite your very polite requests, I had to leave you in the photos.

## Make my Day!

Or my month, for that matter. The deadline for the next issue is September 21. I look forward to SuperScript submissions landing in my e-mail box. Articles, quips, tips, news about news groups, photos, discussion topics... whatever you think might be of interest to the STC community.

Also, I'm going to be away precisely when deadline/production time comes along in October, so if there is anyone interested in taking the SuperScript reins in October, please contact me at [newsletter@stc-alberta.org](mailto:newsletter@stc-alberta.org).

- *Carmen Wyatt, SuperScript Editor*

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The Alberta Chapter newsletter, *SuperScript*, is published ten times a year, with double issues in December/January and July/August. *SuperScript* presents feature articles from inside the Chapter and out, program and events calendar, profiles, tips and tricks to improve your skills, and important contact information. [Contact our SuperScript Editors](#), with any comments, stories, technical tips, book reviews, advertisements, or questions. [>> Previous editions](#).

## STC Alberta News and Updates — Summer 2007

### President's Message

*Lucille Worone, President, STC Alberta*

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Our membership survey last year identified many things that our chapter has been doing well (jobline, salary surveys, professional development events) and some areas that need improvement (networking events and a sense of community). We have already begun to work on these areas.

My personal focus is to help raise the visibility of the technical communications profession in Alberta and on returning value to those STC members who have chosen Alberta as their geographical community.

Our year is off to a good start—our 2007 salary survey will be released soon, and the wine and cheese is set for September 27. I look forward to meeting you there!

STC Alberta...it's your community.

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### STC Alberta Donates its Archives to the Glenbow Museum

*Paula Tannahill, STC-Alberta Archivist*

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Donating our archives allows them to be preserved, without us having to store them ourselves. Plus, as part of the Glenbow's collection, our archives will be accessible not only to interested STC Alberta members, but to researchers and members of the general public, as well. We will continue to add to the collection at regular intervals.

The Glenbow is currently fumigating and cataloguing our archives, and they should be available for viewing sometime in the fall. If you would like more information on the contents of our donated archives, or on how to access them, please contact the STC Alberta archivist at [archives@stc-alberta.org](mailto:archives@stc-alberta.org).

The Glenbow Museum Archives is Canada's largest non-governmental archival repository. One of its mandates is to preserve organizational records of groups in Calgary, southern Alberta and

Western Canada.

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*Deirdre O'Riain, Membership Coordinator*

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Welcome to our new members:

- Nancy Dow, Halifax
- Lynn Holte, Calgary
- Richard Lazarowich, Calgary
- Chirlene Lee, Calgary
- Melissa Ruryk, Calgary
- Jillian Scrimger, Edmonton
- Perry Shulak, Edmonton
- Annette Wierstra, Edmonton

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## 2007 Annual General Meeting Pics



*LtoR: Ruth Maryniuk receives a special thanks from Lucille Worone*



*LtoR: Sherry Wilson McEwen receives an award from Ruth Maryniuk*



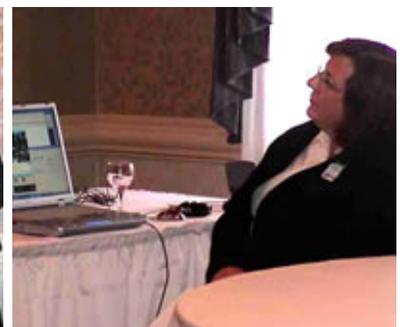
*Rapt attention*



*Nancy Kirby presents the Treasurer's report*



*LtoR: Ken d'Albenas, Ken Schatzke, Ruth Maryniuk*



*Lucille takes in the view of Edmonton from Calgary*



*LtoR: Lori Robertson accepts an award from Ruth Maryniuk*

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STC Alberta holds social events a few times a year. This gives our members a chance to relax and get caught up on what other members have been doing. They also provide an opportunity for non-members to meet some of our people and find out if the STC would be an appropriate organization for them to join. Edmonton members often hold their own social events. Refer to the [Edmonton](#) page for details.

### Wine and Cheese: Thursday, September 27

It's an STC Alberta tradition to celebrate the grape harvest with a September Wine and Cheese. This year's celebration will feature a networking activity that will ensure that you get to meet everybody in the room.



<b>When</b>	Thursday, September 27, 2007 Doors open at 6:30 pm; Event runs from 7:00 - 9:00 pm
<b>Where</b>	Mount Royal College, Fireside Room T126 ( <a href="#">details below</a> )
<b>Cost</b>	Members: \$5.00 Non-Members: \$10.00 Students: FREE  Wine: First glass is on us!
<b>Register</b>	Please register in advance by September 24 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <a href="#">By e-mail</a></li> <li>• <a href="#">Register online</a></li> </ul>

#### Location details

Where to park:

Lot V2 is the closest - parking rates: \$3.00 for the evening.

To get to Room T126 from lot V2:

Enter the main building through the West Entrance door.

- Take the stairs downstairs. You are now on level 1 [[level 1 map](#)]
- The entrance to the "T" wing is on your left near the bottom of the stairs.
- Walk down the hall past a set of entrance doors and stairs.
- Room T126 is on the right. It has large glass windows alongside the hallway.

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## STC Forums



## Web Columnist



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### Member Login

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**55th Annual Technical Summit**  
 Hope to see everyone in Philly!



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**LCR**  
 Leadership Community Resource  
 (STC members only)

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### Corporate Value Program and Partnerships



For more details about joining the Corporate Value Program see STC's [CVP Page](#).

### What's New on the STC Web Site?

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- [STC's Journal, Technical Communication, Seeks Submissions on Virtual Worlds](#)
- [Watch for More Details about the TransAlpine Chapter STC's Annual Conference](#)
- [Watch for More Details about the Manitoba Chapter STC's Annual Conference](#)
- [Watch for More Details about the Rochester Chapter STC's Annual Conference](#)
- [September/October 2007 Intercom Posted](#)
- [Watch for More Details about the Atlanta Chapter STC's Annual Conference](#)
- [The Business of Technical Communication--September 2007](#)
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