GreyNet Award Recipient 2018 - Tomas A. Lipinski

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Professor Lipinski is the Dean of the School of Information Studies at the University of Wisconsin Milwaukee. He completed his Juris Doctor (J.D.) from Marquette University Law School, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, received the Master of Laws (LL.M.) from The John Marshall Law School, Chicago, Illinois, and the Ph.D. from the Graduate School of Library and Information Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. Dr. Lipinski has worked in a variety of legal settings including the private, public and non-profit sectors. In 2006 he was the first named Global Law Fellow, Faculty of Law, Catholic University of Leuven, Belgium where continues to lecture annually at its Centre for IT & IP Law and has been a visiting professor in summers at the University of Pretoria-School of Information Technology (Pretoria, South Africa) and at the Graduate School of Library and Information Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign. He is active in copyright education and policy-making, chairing PLA Legal Issues in Public Libraries Forum, Chair of the ALA Committee on Legislation Copyright Subcommittee, Chair of the ACRL Copyright Discussion Group from 2013 to 2016, Former Chair and at present member of the ALA OITP Copyright Education Subcommittee, a former member and now Expert Advisor to the Copyright and Other Legal Matters Committee of IFLA and serves as head of an NGO delegation with Permanent Observer status to the WIPO, World Intellectual Property Organization and its Standing Committee on Copyright and Other Rights.
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