



MENUCHA 1984: "CONNECTING ACADEMIC LIBRARIES WITH THE FUTURE"

The Annual Joint Oregon/Washington ACRL Conference will be held at Menucha, Oregon on October 25-26, 1984. The fifth enactment of this popular conference will again return to the handsome estate overlooking the Columbia River Gorge east of Portland, that has become famous among previous participants for its inspiring setting and inspired meals. This year's conference will address the challenges presented to academic libraries by the rapidly changing technology of information.

Keynoting the meeting will be futurist Robert Theobald, who is well known for his writings and frequent speaking and consulting engagements, designed to stimulate change in response to "unprecedented challenges". Among the dozens of groups Theobald has addressed and consulted with are such diverse organizations as the System Development Corporation, the National Council of Churches, the Agency for International Development, NASA, and the World Future Society. Of his speaking and consulting Theobald says: "Given my belief that change must be sparked locally, much of my speaking has been before local groups and colleges rather than in more prestigious circumstances. It is my conviction that an outsider should challenge people to look at realities which they might prefer to ignore."

Participants will be given opportunities to explore specific implications for libraries of the themes Mr. Theobald develops, through six concurrent small-group seminars, each offered twice. Topics and leaders are listed below.

The Conference's special guest will be ACRL President Sharon Rogers, who has been recently appointed University Librarian at George Washington University in Washington DC. Rogers was at one time Head of Documents at Washington State University. She will address the Conference on the topic: "Integrating the Academic Library into the Teaching/Learning Process". She will also moderate Friday's closing panel discussion.

The Conference will begin Thursday at 1:30 with a brief annual chapter business meeting at which the election of officers and board members will be held. However, participants should plan to arrive earlier to receive room assignments and register for the concurrent sessions. Mr. Theobald is scheduled to address the group at 2:00, and Ms. Rogers at 7:00 pm. The concurrent sessions will be held Thursday at 3:30 pm and at 9:00 am on Friday. The Conference will adjourn after Friday's lunch. In keeping with the traditions of the Conference, Thursday evening will be devoted to informal socializing and folk dancing. Casual attire is appropriate for the entire Conference.

ACRL/Oregon gratefully acknowledges the generous gifts to the Conference from these organizations: the Rose E. Tucker Charitable Trust, the Johnson Foundation, Blackwell/North America, EBSCO, and Midwest Library Service.

Menucha is located along the scenic Columbia River highway, 25 miles east of Portland. To reach Menucha, take I-84 east 21 miles to the Corbett exit. Turn south and continue to the top of the hill. Turn left and go east for 1.5 miles to Menucha's gate.

Registrations must be received by October 11, 1984 in order that adequate meals and accommodations may be arranged. A registration form will be found later in this issue.

PLAN TO JOIN US!

MENUCHA CONCURRENT SESSIONS:

Topics and leaders for the Conference's small-group seminars are listed below. Each session will be repeated once.

Ethics of information: Will the changing forms of information present new personal and professional dilemmas for librarians and information scientists?

Leaders: Virgil Dedas is Coordinator of Technical Services and Automation at the Whitworth College Library. Leslie Wykoff is Librarian for the Health Service Research Center, Kaiser Permanente, in Portland.

Policy: How should our government and institutions respond to questions of ownership, access, and cost of information?

Leader: Tom Stave is Personnel Librarian and sometime Documents Librarian at the University of Oregon Library.

Leadership: How can libraries plan to provide needed services to their constituencies in a changing information technology environment?

Leader: Melvin George is Director of Libraries, Oregon State University.

Staff Development and Retraining: How shall librarians obtain and maintain viable professional skills?

Leader: Nancy Zussy is Deputy State Librarian, Washington State Library.

Library User Education: How must bibliographic instruction change in order to prepare users for online and other emerging technologies?

Leader: Rebecca Thompson is Acting Director, Central Oregon Community College Library.

Funding: What are the future choices libraries must make in the allocation of their resources?

Leader: Jerry Brong is President, Community Computer Centers, Pullman, WA; formerly Director of Faculty Services, Instructional Media Services, Washington State University Library.

PAUL GREGORIO NAMED OREGON CONTINUING LIBRARY EDUCATION COORDINATOR

Paul Gregorio has been chosen as the Continuing Library Education Coordinator for the State of Oregon. Paul holds a BA in Psychology from the University of Redlands, an MA in Education from San Francisco State University, and an MLS from the University of Washington. He has recently been employed as an Information Specialist at the Northwest Resource Center for Children, Youth and Families in Seattle. He has also served as a Librarian at the Region X Adoption Resource Center and Region X Child Abuse and Neglect Resource Center in Seattle. Paul has had experience teaching and working with groups and has presented workshops throughout the Northwest and Canada on topics such as networking, data bases in child welfare, and information sources for the prevention of child abuse. In mid-September Paul will assume his new position. He will have offices at PSU and at the Oregon State Library.

OLA MEETING ON LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM

An OLA general membership meeting on September 22 will discuss OLA's legislative program and vote on a dues increase. The meeting will be at 9:00 am at the Salem Public Library and a \$6.00 registration fee is payable at the door. Those planning to attend must pre-register with George Happ, 588-6071. Lunch is provided. This is the best opportunity for academic librarians to see that their views are included in OLA's presentations to the Legislature.

OREGON/ACRL ELECTIONS 1984/85

OREGON/ACRL Chapter members will receive ballots for the election of 1984/85 officers and Advisory Board members at the Menucha Fall Conference, October 25th-26th. Voting will be at Thursday's 1:30 business meeting. Information about the candidates and the process is included here.

The Articles of Association for the Oregon Chapter detail the nominating process and the eligibility and responsibilities of the officers and Advisory Board members.

Officers: Oregon/ACRL has three officers: President, Vice President (President-elect), and Past President. Officers must be members both of Oregon and National ACRL, and candidates must be willing and able to attend ALA annual and midwinter meetings during their presidential year. Once elected, an officer serves three years, one each as Vice-President, President and Past President.

The Nominating Committee's candidate for Vice President/President-elect is:

REBECCA THOMPSON: Acting Library Director, 1984-85 academic year, Central Oregon Community College, Bend. Faculty Librarian, COCC since 1982. Previous position: Technical Librarian, COCC, 1981-82; Reference/Instruction Librarian, Western Oregon State College, Monmouth, OR, 1980-81. MLS: Univ. of Oregon, 1977. Memberships: ALA, ACRL, OLA (Library Legislation and Development Committee, 1983-; Task Force on Library Output Measures (Chair), 1984-), Oregon Community College Library Association, Central Oregon Community College Faculty Forum Secretary, 1983-.

Advisory Board: The Advisory Board has eight members representing various types of academic libraries and geographic areas of Oregon. Four members, representing Community Colleges, Private Colleges, OSSHE Institutions, and the State Library, are appointed. Four of the members are at-large members elected by the chapter membership. Terms are for two years, and half the Board membership changes annually. Each year the incoming President appoints two members and the membership elects two at-large members to the Board.

An addendum to the Articles of Association regards implementation of Advisory Board appointive memberships. Incoming President Pat Silvernail will appoint one Community College representative and one private college representative. She has appointed:

MAUREEN SEAMAN: Librarian (Director) Oregon Graduate Center, Beaverton, since 1968. Previous position: Cataloger, Scott-Polar Research Institute, Cambridge, England. MLS: University of Portland, 1972. Memberships: SLA (President, OR Chapter, 1978-79), OLA, American Association for the Advancement of Science.

CHARLES ABSHIRE: Director, Library Resource Center, Mt. Hood Community College, Portland, since 1970. Previous position: Dean of Students, Yakima Valley College, Yakima, WA. MA History, Duke Univ., Library Certification, Univ. of Idaho. Memberships: ALA, ACRL, Oregon Community College Library Assoc.

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The slate of candidates presented for your consideration by the Nominating Committee for the two at-large Advisory Board positions are:

BONNIE ALLEN-WALSDORF: Head, Technical Services, Willamette University, Salem, 1982-May, 1984. Previous position: Acquisition Coordinator, Northern Arizona University Library, 1980-81. MLS: Indiana University, Bloomington, 1980. Memberships: ALA, OLA, ACRL (Advisory Board Member, OR Chapter), OCLC Advisory Board member for union listing project of ORULS, OCLC Users Group (Chair, 1983/84), NAPCU, Contributor for PNLA Quarterly, Oregon News Notes (1983/84).

FAYE POWELL: Head, Reference Service, Washington County Cooperative Library Services at Pacific University, since 1977. Previous position: Worked with several community service organizations in various capacities. MLS: Univ. of British Columbia, 1977. Memberships: ACRL, OLA, SLA (Chair, SLA Networking Comm., 1984-), LAMGO, OOUG, and the Documents Interest Group of Oregon.

HEATHER ROSENWINKEL: Collection Development and History of Medicine Librarian, Oregon Health Sciences University Library, Portland, Previous position: Reference librarian, Acquisitions librarian, and Acting Library Director, Oregon Health Sciences University Library MA: Library Science and Anthropology, University of Minnesota Memberships: ACRL, OLA, Medical Library Assoc./ OR Chapter, OOUG.

TOM STAVE: Personnel Librarian, UO Library, 1984-85; Head, Government Documents Section, UO Library, 1980-84 & 1985-. Previous position: Reference Librarian & Head, Senate Reference Center, Library of Congress. MLS: Univ. of Wash, 1974. Memberships: ALA, ACRL/Oregon (Board member & newsletter editor), Documents Interest Group of Oregon (Treasurer & newsletter editor).

KATHLEEN WIEDERHOLT: Reference Librarian, Lane Community College, 1978-. Previous position: Reference Librarian, UO, 1970-78; public school librarian. MALS: Rosary College, River Forest, IL, 1969. Memberships: ALA (Intellectual Freedom Round Table), ACRL, PNLA, OLA (Intellectual Freedom Comm., 1972-77; Chairperson, 1974-76), Oregon Community College Library Assoc., Steering Comm. Lane-Douglas Regional Library Group, Lane County Library Advisory Board member, 1975-78.

The Advisory Board members retiring in 1984 are Pam Horan and Vicki Kreimeyer. Bonnie Allen-Walsdorf and Tom Stave have agreed to run for reelection.

OREGON/ACRL Nominating Committee
(Paula Hamilton, Nancy Powell, Terry Soohoo)

ACRL - Baker and Taylor ACADEMIC LIBRARIAN AWARD

Nominations will close December 1, 1984 for the Academic or Research Librarian of the Year Award, jointly presented by ACRL and the Baker and Taylor Company. The purpose of the award is to recognize an individual member of the library profession who is making an outstanding national or international contribution to academic or research librarianship and library development. Criteria for selection include such areas of achievement as service to the profession, research, scholarly and/or theoretical writing, and development of exemplary library programs. Contact your Newsletter editor or a Chapter officer or board member for more information.

CONTINUING EDUCATION AT MARYLHURST

Marylhurst College will offer the following courses this fall. All classes will be held in Shoen Library. For further information, contact Paula Hamilton at 636-8141, ext. 56 or 61, or 224-5828. All courses are taught at the post-baccalaureate level and may be taken for credit or non-credit.

Basics of Online Literature Searching. Instructor: Leslie Wykoff.

Wed., Sept. 26-Nov. 14, 6-8:30 pm
2 credits, \$210 + \$15 online time.
Non-credit, \$160 + \$15 online time.

General Reference: Materials and Skills Update. Instructors: Linnea Patrick and Mary Finnegan

Part I: Thurs., Oct. 4, 6:30-9:30 pm; and Fri., Oct. 5, 9 am-4 pm.
Part II: Thurs., Oct. 18, 6:30-9:30 pm and Fri., Oct. 19, 9 am-4 pm.
Each course is 1 credit and may be taken separately or in combination.
1 credit, \$105, non-credit \$80. 2 credits, \$210, non-credit, \$160.

LC Classification: Social Sciences. Instructor: Jennie Laursen.

Thurs., Nov. 1 and 8, 6:30-9:30 pm; and Fri., Nov. 2 and 9, 9 am-4 pm.
2 credits, \$210, non-credit, \$160.

Sci-tech Computer Databases. Instructor: Maureen Seaman.

Thurs., Sept. 27-Nov. 8, 6:30-9:30 pm.
2 credits, \$210 + \$15 online time; non-credit, \$160 + \$15 online time.

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

DIANE CLAUS has been appointed Assistant Librarian, with responsibilities in reference and cataloging, at Willamette University.

CAROL DROST has been appointed Assistant Librarian, with responsibilities in reference and cataloging, at Willamette University.

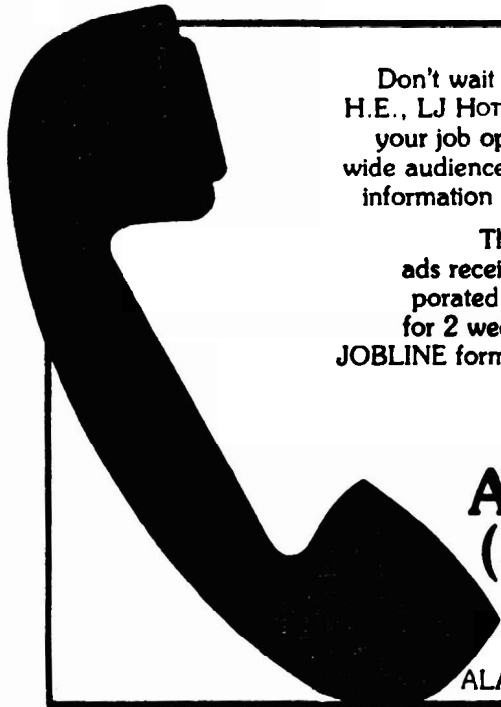
Dr. MARA SANI has been appointed temporary Reference Librarian in Education at Portland State University through February 1985.

Barbara Lay has received an appointment as Reference Librarian at Portland University.

GORDON AAMOT began as Reference Librarian in Business and Economics at the University of Oregon September 10, 1984.

JUDY GEITGEY will begin her appointment as Science Reference Librarian at the University of Oregon September 17, 1984.

The University of Oregon has appointed two Manuscripts Processors, CYNTHIA CROUCH and MARY BETH HERKERT, through August, 1985, to work under an NEH-funded project to index and catalog the Library's Conservative and Libertarian Collections.



Employers:

Don't wait for the next issue of AL, CHRONICLE OF H.E., LJ HOTLINE, or even C&RL NEWS to advertise your job openings. Announce your positions to a wide audience of academic and research library and information professionals on the ACRL JOBLINE.

The prerecorded tape is revised weekly; ads received by 1 p.m. on Thursday are incorporated into the new Friday tape. Listings run for 2 weeks. Call 312/944-6780 or write for a JOBLINE form and free job listing options brochure.

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INSTITUTION (IF DIFFERENT): _____

CHECK ONE: I am a member of ACRL. Chapter dues are \$5.00.

Two-year rate: \$9.00

I am not a member of ACRL. Chapter dues are \$6.50.

Two-year rate: \$12.00

Note: dues paid after April 1, 1984 are good through September 30, 1985.
Make check payable to: ACRL - Oregon Chapter. Mail check and this form to:
Pat Silvernail, University of Oregon Library, Eugene, OR 97403.

Your cancelled check is your receipt. Dues are a tax-deductible expense.

ACRL - Oregon and Washington Chapters
JOINT CONFERENCE
Registration form

I will attend the ACRL meeting at Menucha on October 25-26, 1984.

NAME: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

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PHONE NUMBER: _____

Check the appropriate category for registration fee:

____ Member, ACRL/OR or WA Chapter, \$40 _____ Non-member, ACRL/OR or WA Chapter, \$50
(Will provide own bedding) (Will provide own bedding)

____ Member, ACRL/OR or WA Chapter, \$46 _____ Non-member, ACRL/OR or WA Chapter, \$56
(Bedding required) (Bedding required)

____ Vegetarian meals required. If this option is checked, please circle all that apply: I will eat a) fish and poultry, b) dairy products, c) neither.

Make checks payable to ACRL - Oregon Chapter.
Mail check and this form by October 11, 1984 to: Pat Silvernail, University of Oregon
Library, Eugene, OR 97403

ACRL/OREGON OFFICERS AND ADVISORS FOR 1983/84

ACRL/Oregon is administered by a committee consisting of three elected officers (President, President-Elect, and Past President), and an advisory board comprised of four appointed and four elected members. Two Board Members serve as Recorder and Newsletter Editor. Whenever you have any questions about ACRL/Oregon or would like to be come more actively involved, please contact one of the officers or advisors.

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