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CHAPTER BIRTHDAY PARTY

The Pacific Northwest Library Association will hold its seventy-fifth annual conference in Eugene, August 21-24, 1985. The theme will be "Models for Excellence" and libraries from the Pacific Northwest will be displaying examples of projects and programs reflecting the best of current library practice.

On Thursday, August 22, following the late afternoon sessions, ACRL/Oregon Chapter will celebrate its tenth birthday with a party. All conference participants, particularly those with an interest in academic libraries, are invited. Refreshments will be served and a short ceremony will be held.

A history of the Chapter, compiled by Perry Morrison and Richard Heinzkill, will be available to each institution in the state.

In the spirit of the conference theme, the ACRL/Oregon Board wishes to extend a special invitation to all Chapter members to attend this celebration of excellence.

FALL CONFERENCE NOTES

The sixth annual joint fall conference for Oregon and Washington Chapters of ACRL will be held October 24-25 at Pack Forest, Washington. "Changing Course: Restructuring Academic Libraries" will be the focus. The primary speaker is B.J. Busch, Area Coordinator for the Humanities and Social Sciences Library, University of Alberta. Busch recently completed a study on the effects of automation on the reorganization of technical and public service areas for the ARL Office of Management Studies.

Paul Baldwin, Systems Coordinator at Simon Fraser University, will speak on integrating automation into the library's organizational structure: pitfalls, pratfalls, and steps forward.

There will be chances to interact with the speakers and other academic librarians, as well as Chapter business meetings, Board meetings, and a country dance following Thursday's banquet.

Pack Forest is south-west of Olympia, just west of Mt. Rainier. There are woodsy trails to explore and some open time has been left in the schedule for fall hiking.

Registration forms will be available in the fall newsletter.

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

Members of ACRL/Oregon Chapter will be asked to vote next fall on two proposed amendments to the Articles of Association. The areas under consideration are those following. Additions are underlined.

Article II. Purpose

The ACRL/Oregon Chapter seeks to support academic libraries and librarians; to foster communication among academic librarians in the several types of institutions; to promote the development of Oregon academic libraries; to sponsor educational programs of interest to academic librarians; and to serve as liaison between academic librarians and various other academic and library constituencies. In order to accomplish these goals, the ACRL/Oregon Chapter will distribute a newsletter to its members, sponsor several educational programs each year, call meetings of the membership, send representatives to meetings of other library and academic groups, and advocate support of academic libraries and librarians.

Article V. Advisory Board

Recorder and Newsletter Editor: The President will appoint two members of the Board to serve one-year terms as Recorder and Newsletter Editor.

Liaison to other academic and library groups: With concurrence of the Advisory Board, the President may appoint a member of the Advisory Board or an Officer to officially represent the ACRL/Oregon Chapter at meetings of other groups such as OLA and LAMGO. With concurrence of the Advisory Board, the President may invite representatives from other groups to meet with the ACRL/Oregon Chapter Advisory Board on a regular basis as non-voting members.

REFERENCE POSTER AVAILABLE

At last, a poster that is not only funny, but useful too! The Oregon Health Sciences Libraries Associations's (OHSLA) official reference standards poster is now available. Each of OHSLA's eight standards for the reference product is illustrated with a hilarious (or at least witty) cartoon.

Posters measure 18" x 24" and are purple and white. Their cost is \$6.00 each, plus \$2.50 per order for postage and handling. Checks should be payable to OHSLA and sent to: Peggy Burrell, Library, Providence Medical Center, 4805 N.E. Glisan, Portland, Oregon 97213.

MLA CONVENTION SCHEDULED

Mark your calendar now for the most exciting convention of the year, the PNC MLA Annual Convention: The HUMAN Equation: Librarians + Technology = Excellence, to be held in Eugene, OR Oct 30-Nov 1, 1985. The program will be opened and closed by Justine Heavilon, PhD. who will speak on "The Human Adventure Begins: The Librarian and the Challenge of Change". Dr. Heavilon will offer participants the ideas that change can be exciting and beneficial and that it is possible to implement desired change.

Gene Roddenberry, creator of Star Trek and futurist will present his show Wednesday night, "The World of Star Trek and the Shape of the Tomorrow". The following day he will give the keynote address, "Libraries in the Future" and will invite discussion with the audience on this most exciting subject. Other confirmed speakers are Millard F. Johnson Jr., who will discuss new computer and telecommunications technologies, and Randy Collver and Debra Ketchell, speakers for the session on microcomputer uses in libraries. In addition to a program rich with new ideas, the dinner banquet will be followed by the Annual Costume Halloween Party held at the Eugene Hilton, Oct 31st, an evening of fun not to be missed!

CONTINUING LIBRARY EDUCATION CALENDAR

- Aug 2 "Organization of Library Materials". This workshop will survey
Bend principles and practices for cataloging and classification of Library
 materials. Sponsored by Oregon Library Association, Continuing
 Education Committee. Instructor, Ellen Koger, fee \$10. Contact:
 Freda Munger, Umpqua Community College Library, 440-4600, ext. 638.
- Aug 3 "Women & Technology Conference: Changes in the Workplace". This one-
Portland day conference features workshops to help women explore technology in
 the workshop. \$40 fee. Contact: Women & Technology Conference, 222-
 2606.
- Aug 12 "A Practical Approach to Accounting and Budgeting". Sponsored by
Medford Continuing Education, Oregon State University. This workshop will
 present basic information on accounting and budgeting for
 supervisors. Instructor, Jack Bailes, fee \$70. Contact: OSU, 754-
 2677.
- Aug 17-21 "Extension of the Human Mind: Computers in Education". 80 workshops
Eugene on three themes: "Computer Applications in the Curriculum",
 "Computers in Learning and Teaching" and "Computers in Classroom and
 School Management". Sponsored by the University of Oregon Continuing
 Education Center and the Center For Advanced Technology in Education.
 Contact: 686-3536.

Aug 23 & 30 "Data Communications and Networking". This is an overview to
Portland the technology and managerial issues involved in data
communications. Sponsored by Continuing Education, Portland
State University, fee \$200.00. Contact: PSU, 229-4832.

NATIONAL LIBRARY TELEFACSIMILE DIRECTORY RELEASED

Over 175 telefacsimile sites in the U.S. are listed in a directory prepared for Pacific Northwest libraries by the library and information program of the Fred Meyer Charitable Trust based in Portland Oregon.

Designed to enable libraries to make better use of telefacsimile equipment by providing the equivalent of a telephone book, the directory lists the fax equipment phone number, make and model, address and contact person. It is current as of April 1985, and a revised and expanded version will be issued early in 1986.

Copies are available without charge, while supplies last, to libraries providing a typed address label. Send requests to Douglas K. Ferguson, Director, Library and Information Resources for the Northwest Program 2125 S.W. 4th Ave. Suite 202 Portland, Oregon 97201.



PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

ROY TIDWELL, Director of Portland Community College, has resigned.

SANDRA BLACKABY has resigned from Treasure Valley Community College Library to accept the position of Director of the Walla Walla Community College Library.

LINDA LOOMIS will be the Head Librarian at Chemeketa Community College. KEITH HARKER will now be Director of the Learning Resource Center.

MERRILL JOHNSON replaces FRANCINE WALL as Director of George Fox College Library.

SUE BURKHOLDER is the new Director at Southern Oregon State College Library. On leave from SOSC is RAE ANN LOCKARD, who is finishing her Master's degree.

CHARLES KEMP has resigned from Oregon Institute of Technology Library to accept a position as Head Librarian at Missouri Southern State College.

BARBARA MCKILLIP is leaving Linn-Benton Community College Library to work for SAZTEC in Eugene.

LEONOOR INGRAHAM has left Lewis and Clark College Library to work on her PhD. RANDY COLVER is Acting Director.

MERYL MIASEK is the new Head of the Reference Department at the University of Oregon Library. Miasek comes to the U of O from Indiana University in South Bend.

LAURENE ZAPOROZHETZ has resigned from the U of O Reference Department to accept the position of Chair of Information Services at Bowling Green State University.

Retiring from the U of O Library this summer are KAPPY EATON, HOLLY JONES, and GUIDO PALANDRI.

DANA DINWIDDIE has been appointed Head of the Acquisitions Department at the U of O. She comes to Oregon from Michigan State University.

SUN CHOAYING, Librarian at the Institute for Modern American Literature at Shandong University, is visiting Oregon for six months (May - November, 1985) as the guest of Blackwell North America. She will spend her first two months (until August 2) at the U of O and her last four months at BNA.

NEWSLETTER INFORMATION

The Oregon Chapter Newsletter is edited by Terry Ann Soohoo, Serials Librarian, Portland State University. Subscription fulfillment is handled by Tom Stave, Personnel Librarian, University of Oregon. If you have information you would like included in the newsletter, please send it to Terry Soohoo. Questions about the receipt of the newsletter, or requests to be added to the mailing list, should be addressed to Tom Stave.



MEMBERSHIP FORM

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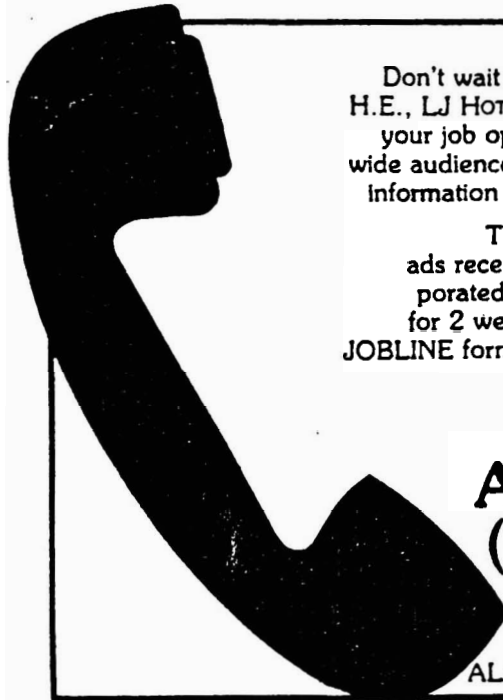
- CHECK ONE: I am a member of ACRL. Chapter dues are \$5.00.
 Two -year rate: \$9.00
 I am not a member of ACRL. Chapter dues are \$6.50.
 Two-year rate: \$12.00

Make check payable to ACRL - Oregon Chapter. Mail check and this form to Rebecca Thompson, Library, Central Oregon Community College, N.W. College Way, Bend, OR 97701. Your cancelled check is your receipt. Dues are tax deductible.

KEEPING UP WITH YOUR MEMBERSHIP

The chapter by-laws for the Oregon chapter of ACRL designated the membership year as October through September. Memberships paid after April 1st are applied to the following year.

Beginning with the 1984-85 membership year, the Advisory Board established the option of a two year membership at a slightly reduced rate. The two year option may have created some uncertainty about when your membership expires. To help us all keep up with our membership, your newsletter mailing label will now reflect your membership expiration date. Look in the upper right hand corner of the label for a two digit number that indicates the year of expiration of your membership. Since all memberships expire in October, only the year of expiration appears on the label. If, for example the number on your label is 86, your membership expires in October 1986. IF THERE IS NO NUMBER ON YOUR LABEL, YOUR MEMBERSHIP HAS ALREADY EXPIRED: THIS IS THE LAST NEWSLETTER YOU WILL RECEIVE.



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.

Job Seekers:
For current listings call the

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POSITION OPEN

ASSISTANT DIRECTOR FOR RESEARCH AND REFERENCE SERVICES. Oregon State University. The Assistant Director has administrative responsibility for the Social Sciences-Humanities and Science-Technology Reference Departments, Map Room, Documents Division, Library Information Retrieval Service, Interlibrary Loans and the bibliographic instruction program. These units are staffed by 19 library faculty, 12 staff, plus student assistants. This position participates in overall management, policy and planning for the Library as a member of the Administrative Council; provides leadership in planning divisional activities, and supervises Reference Services department heads and assigns their responsibilities; coordinates divisional budget requests; interprets Library policy to the academic community. Qualifications required: ALA-accredited degree; second master's degree, for appointment to rank of Associate Professor; minimum of 5 years increasingly responsible administrative experience in a university or college library as a public services department head, including some supervision of professional librarians; demonstrated ability to provide leadership and set priorities; superior communication and interpersonal skills; experience with bibliographic instruction, online bibliographic services, and reference; experience with automation and technology as they contribute to library services. Desired: Evidence of university service and/or significant participation in library professional activities; experience with other library services. 12-month faculty tenure track appointment. Usual vacation and fringe benefits. Minimum salary: \$30,000. Applicants should submit a letter of application, resume, and the names, addresses and telephone numbers of three references to: Marjorie Reeves, Chair, Assistant Director Search Committee, William Jasper Kerr Library, Oregon State University, Corvallis, Oregon 97331. Closing date: August 15, 1985. Oregon State University is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer and complies with Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

ACRL/OREGON OFFICERS AND ADVISORS FOR 1985/86

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 become more actively involved, please contact one of the officers or advisors.

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