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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

This summer, I had the opportunity to spend some time in Indiana and Ohio (my home area) on my parent's farm. I find those weeks to be a wonderful contrast to the metropolitan area of Miami and South Florida. Being out in the country, just taking in everything in the countryside, always gives me time to reflect on how dramatically this profession has changed over the fifteen years since I became a librarian.

When I started in the Graduate Library School at Indiana University in the fall of 1977, they had just received an OCLC Model 100 terminal for students to use. Now, those terminals have been replaced by very powerful workstations. In fact, last week OCLC announced a new workstation based on a 486 chip. The technology changes so rapidly it makes your head spin!

Today, it sometimes seems as if everything we do is dominated by technology, and maybe it is. The Florida Chapter of ACRL has tried, and will continue to try, to bring you a balanced view of librarianship. Last fall, we had a very technology-oriented fall conference featuring CD-ROM. Our FLA program still dealt with technology, but we moved into another sphere -- how does all this technology affect our "space"?

Now, we are preparing another fall conference. This year, we will address the self-study process and academic library accreditation. Details on this very exciting and timely program are provided in this issue of the *Newsletter*. I encourage you to make plans now to attend this fall conference in Orlando on October 29.

We also have a great program planned for next spring's FLA meeting in Orlando. Dick Waddell, our Vice-President/President-Elect, has been able to schedule Walt Crawford, RLG, and immediate past-president of LITA. Mark your calendars now and watch for more information in the next issue of the *Newsletter*.

--Douglas K. Lehman

"SELF-STUDY AND THE USE OF PERFORMANCE MEASURES IN ACADEMIC LIBRARIES"

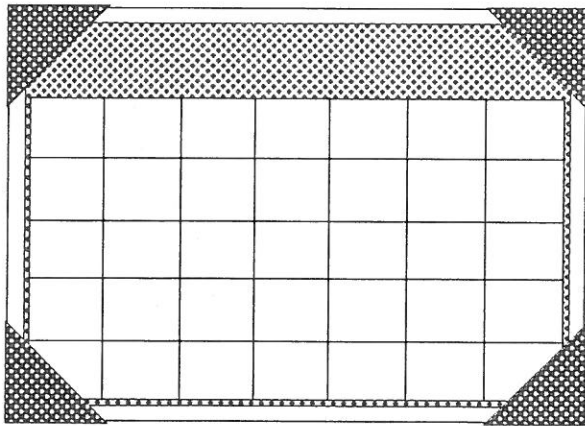
It seems as if everywhere you look these days librarians are either preparing for, participating in, or recovering from a self-study and a regional accrediting agency visitation. If you would like to learn some of the "ins and outs" of successfully surviving this process, plan on joining the Florida Chapter of ACRL for their fall program.

Entitled "Self Study and the Use of Performance Measures in Academic Libraries" the fall program will be held on Friday, October 29, 1993, at the Holiday Inn-Orlando International Airport from 9:00 am. to 4:00 p.m. The presenter, **Dr. Toni Kania**, Dean of Libraries, Suffolk County (NY) Community College, and member of Middle States accreditation teams, is a frequent lecturer on self-study and evaluation of academic libraries.

Participants will learn self-study concepts, designs, and processes; strategies for change; accountability trends in higher education and their impact on libraries; use of standards and performance measures; report preparation; and the use of evaluation teams.

Registration for the program will be \$35.00 for members, \$45 for non-members, and \$25 for students and retired librarians. The deadline for pre-registration is **October 20**. On-site registration (8:30 a.m to 9:00 a.m.) will be an additional \$5.00 for each category. Lunch and refreshments are included in the registration fee.

The Holiday Inn-Orlando Airport is offering a rate of \$50 per night, single or double, and the rate is good for the weekend. Reservations should be made by contacting the Holiday Inn directly at (407) 851-6400. Be sure to tell them you are with the Florida Chapter ACRL (FACRL) fall meeting. The hotel will also provide free shuttle service to and from the airport.



FROM THE EDITOR

The keyword for this issue of the Florida Chapter ACRL *Newsletter* is **change**. For at least the last seven years, regional reporters have provided news and information. However, members of the Executive Board agreed with the majority of the current reporters and changed the structure to have all news sent directly to the Editor.

Regional reporters will still be used this year to request news from each of the libraries in their assigned region. However, all news is sent directly to the Editor. Beginning next fall, the use of set dates for receipt of news will be implemented, and regional reporters will no longer be used.

There is no way for me to adequately thank these regional reporters for their unselfish dedication to the Chapter. Many of these have served in this role since the early 1980s. Please help me by thanking the individuals listed below for their hard work.

I think the new process is working. I especially enjoyed hearing from libraries who had not submitted news in the five years I have served as Editor. Some "regulars" didn't report news, but I expect to hear from them in the spring. I am especially interested in your reaction to these changes. How do you feel about no longer using regional reporters, sending news directly to the Editor, and using set dates? Let me know. You can contact me at (904) 474-2168, SUNCOM 680-2168, or via e-mail at tjohnson@uwf.BITNET.

Thanks again to regional reporters and to the UWF reference staff for filling, allowing me a few quiet hours for editing.

Regional Reporters

Carolyn Bivens, Florida A & M University
Jane Bradford, Stetson University
Susan Byrd, Miami-Dade Community College
Ellen Feehan, University of Miami
Jamie Hastreiter, Eckerd College
Cheryl McCoy, University of South Florida
Razia Nanji, University of Florida
Mayra Nemeth, Florida International University
Meg Scharf, University of Central Florida

-- Theresa Johnson

UPCOMING EVENTS

- October 28, 1993:** **FIRMAIL for Beginners**
9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Speaker: Brad Ward.
TBLC Headquarters, For more information call TBLC Headquarters at (813) 622-8252.
- October 29, 1993:** **Fall Chapter Program:**
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. "Self-Study and the Use of Performance Measures in Academic Libraries"
Orlando - Holiday Inn International Airport.
Presenter: Dr. Toni Kania
- November 5, 1993** **Total Quality Management for Libraries.** Speaker: Maureen Sullivan. \$120.00 for SOLINET members \$180.00 non-SOLINET members. TBLC Headquarters, For more information call SOLINET at (800) 999-8558.
- March 18, 1994:** News deadline for spring issue of the *Newsletter*.
- May 13, 1994:** **Florida Chapter ACRL/ Program and Business Meeting at ALA in Orlando.** Speaker: Walt Crawford.

BROWARD COMMUNITY COLLEGE

People: State/National Activities

Dr. Isaac "Bud" Call, Director of Library/Learning Resources for the North Campus, and **Terri Justice**, Director of Library/Learning Resources for the South campus, along with **Darrow Wiley**, **Jessica Roberts**, and **Debbie Passalacqua** from the Broward County Library System, will be participating in a panel discussion on Joint Use Libraries at the Fifth National Conference of the Public Library Association in Atlanta on March 24, 1994.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

Students at the Davie campus now have access to over forty-five different CD-ROM databases.

Automation

The Broward Community College Central Campus/ Florida Atlantic University Southeast Campus library staff finished LINCC training and are ready to bar code and reclassify the BCC collection from Dewey to LC in preparation for going online.

Buildings

The construction project for the 60,000 square-foot library addition on the Davie campus is out for bid. The North Campus Library/Broward County Library's North Regional Library will occupy their new joint use building in January.

DAYTONA BEACH COMMUNITY COLLEGE

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Sybil Turner, Reference Librarian, recently resigned her position to attend law school. **Fred Harden**, previously a Reference Librarian at the West Volusia Campus LRC, is now a Reference Librarian at the main campus. The new branch librarian for the West Volusia Campus is **Patricia Young**.

Automation

In June, library staff completed their LINCC training. So far, 44,000 of Daytona Beach's 70,000 bibliographic records have been entered into the system.

EMBRY-RIDDLE AERONAUTICAL UNIVERSITY

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Jerry Norris, previously from the University of North Texas, joins the staff as the new Media Librarian.

People: State/National Activities

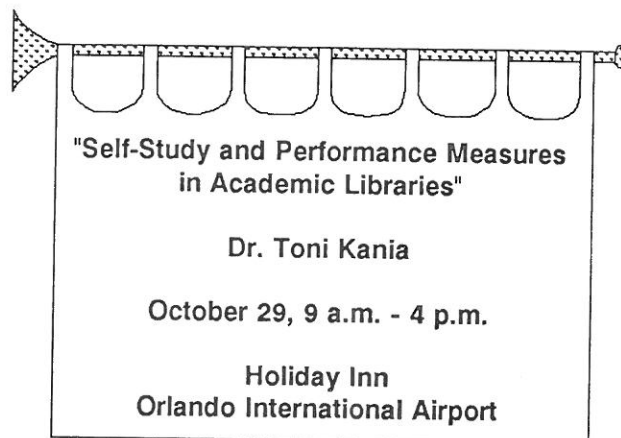
Dick Waddell, Library Director, is a member of the ACRL Chapters Council Nominating Committee for 1993/94.

People: Papers and Publications

Tom Tipword, Systems/Technical Services Manager, made a presentation on "The Changing Role of the Systems Administrator" at the May meeting of the CLSI Eastern Regional Users Group in Birmingham. He is also serving his second term as Chair of the Steering Committee for this group.

Automation

The library LAN project is nearing completion. The initial phase of the system includes ten public workstations and linkage with library staff computers. Databases on the system in this first phase will include *PsycLIT*, *NITS*, *Aerospace Database*, *Applied Science and Technology Index*, *ABI/Inform*, *SAE*, and *PAO*. *Moody's*, *Newsbank*, and *Business Newsbank* will remain as stand-alone units for the present. Later in the fall, the library will install three public access terminals for the Internet.



FLORIDA ATLANTIC UNIVERSITY

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Linda Golian, Catalog Librarian, was recently promoted to the rank of Associate Librarian.

People: State/National Activities

Bill Miller, Director of Libraries, is a member of ACRL's BIS' "What's in a Name" Task Force. Interlibrary Loan Librarian, **Nancy Wynen**, Interlibrary Loan Librarian, is Chair of SEFLIN's Interlibrary Loan Subcommittee. **Gary Parsons**, Urban Documents, attended the fall meeting of the Council of Planning Librarians in Chicago. He serves as secretary of this international planning group. **Linda Golian** was appointed Chair of ALA's NMRT Local Arrangements committee for ALA's 1994 conference in Miami. **Diane Kachmer**, Technical Services, will serve on this committee. Diane was also appointed to serve on the Steering Committee of FLA's Technical Services Caucus. **Linda Wiler**, Acquisitions Librarian, is Vice-Chair of ALA's Staff Organization Round Table and is also a member of FLA's Scholarship Committee. She also serves on the Editorial Board and acts as peer reviewer for *MC Journal: The Journal of Academic Media Librarianship*, a new electronic journal. **Rita Pellen**, Assistant Director for Public Services and Head of Reference, is a member of ACRL's subcommittee on New Graphic Products. She is also a member of the FAU Commission on the Status of Women and co-chairs the Commission's focus group on sexual harassment.

People: Papers and Publications

A bibliography on Pollution Prevention, co-authored by **Gary Parsons**, will be published this fall by the Council of Planning Librarians. **Margaret Walker**, Government Documents, spoke before the 1993 Federal Depository Conference in Washington on the topic of "Effective Networking on the Local Level: The SEFLIN Experience." She also spoke on effective local/state networking of government documents at FLA in Daytona Beach. "Religious Resources in Florida" by **Linda Wiler** appeared in the March 1993 issue of *Florida Libraries*.

People: Awards, Degrees, Grants

The recipient of FAU's Gabor Exemplary Award for 1993 was **Rita Pellen**.

FLORIDA CENTER FOR LIBRARY AUTOMATION

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Pat Crabb is the new User Services Librarian for support of circulation and system tables. With the addition of Pat Crabb, **Maggie Hogue**, User Services Librarian, moves over to support LUIS screen management function and external databases, those currently online and in the planning stages.

People: State/National Activities

Due to the resignation of a current member, **Michele Dalehite**, User Services Librarian, will serve on the OCLC Users Council for another year as a member of the SOLINET delegation.

FLORIDA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

A public access CD-ROM terminal, providing access to *National Trade Data Bank*, *National Economic, Social and Environmental Data Bank*, and *PsycLIT* is now available in the Evans Library. In addition, the library now offers public access to CARL Uncover via the Internet.

FLORIDA INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY

University Park Campus

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

The new Evening and Weekend Reference Librarian is **Jonathan Estrin**. **Jennifer Fu** joined the Government Documents staff as Documents Librarian. Recent promotions include **Mary Dean**, Systems Librarian, to the rank of University Librarian, and **Douglas Hasty**, Interlibrary Loan Librarian, to the rank of Assistant Librarian.

People: State/National Activities

Dr. Laurence Miller, Director of Libraries, attended FLA in Daytona Beach where he presided over a program sponsored by the Intellectual Freedom Committee entitled "On the Frontline: New Challenges to the Freedom to Read in Florida

Libraries." He also participated in giving FLA's first Intellectual Freedom Award to the Lee County Library System. **Gail Clement**, Science/Information Services Librarian, attended the Special Libraries Association's (SLA) workshop on "Environmental Information Sources" and was appointed Dade County regional contact for SLA. **Douglas Hasty** attended FLA in Daytona Beach where he spoke on the future of interlibrary loan services and philosophy in the face of fast-changing technologies. Associate Director of Libraries, **Antonie Downs**, attended the Special Libraries Association/Florida Library Association pre-conference seminar on Environmental Databases and also attended SLA's annual planning meeting for programs in 1993-94. As a member of the Program Planning Committee for ALA's 1994 conference in Miami, the Video Round Table, and ACRL's Arts Section, **Mayra Nemeth**, Audiovisual Librarian, attended ALA in New Orleans. **Phoebe Phillips**, Assistant Director for Technical Services, is serving on the Local Information Committee for ALA's 1994 conference in Miami. **John Radencich**, Serials Cataloger, is a member of ALCTS's Worst Serials Title Change of the Year Committee. He also serves on FLA's Publications Committee and the Technical Service Steering Committee. **Mercy Sanchez**, International Documents Librarian, was appointed to FLA's Membership Committee and was also elected secretary of ALA's International Documents Task Force.

People: Papers and Publications

Dr. Minnie Dunbar, Reference/Bibliographic Instruction Librarian, presented a co-authored paper, entitled "Key Success Factors, Banker Perceptions, and Bank Performance: A Preliminary Investigation" at the 35th Annual Meeting of the Southwest Division, Academy of Management, in New Orleans. "Cataloging for Art's Sake at Florida International University" by **Mayra Nemeth** appeared in volume 20, number 2 of *Visual Resources Association Bulletin - Tools and Resources*.

People: Awards, Degrees, Grants

Dr. Laurence Miller is the recipient of the 1993 ASCLA Professional Achievement Award given for superb professional contributions in library networking, cooperation, and statewide services.

North Miami Campus

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Lee Keene was recently appointed Access Services Librarian. The new Resource Development Librarian is **Vickery Lebbin**. Recent promotions include **Elaine Winske**, Government Documents Librarian, to the rank of Associate University Librarian, and **George Pearson**, Reference Librarian, to Assistant University Librarian.

People: State/National Activities

Elaine Winske was a panel member for the Government Documents Caucus at FLA. **Nancy Hershoff**, Head of Bibliographic Control, was appointed Chair of the Local Arrangements Committee, Chinese American Librarian Association, for the 1994 CALA Annual Conference, to be held in Miami. She also serves on the Steering Committee for FLA's Technical Services Caucus. **George Pearson** was appointed Chair of the Membership Committee, Florida and Caribbean Chapter of the Special Libraries Association.

FLORIDA STATE UNIVERSITY

Law Library

People: State/National Activities

Alva T. Stone, Catalog Librarian, has been appointed Chair of the American Association of Law Libraries Constitution and Bylaws Committee.

People: Papers and Publications

"That Elusive Concept of 'Aboutness: The Year's Work in Subject Analysis, 1992" by **Alva T. Stone** was published in volume 37, number 3 (July 1993) of *Library Resources & Technical Services*.

FALL PROGRAM

Academic Libraries and Self-Study

Orlando

October 29, 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

GULF COAST COMMUNITY COLLEGE

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

The new Audio-Visual Librarian is **James Baxley**. He replaced **John Colmery** who retired in December.

Automation

In preparation for the LINCC circulation system, the smart bar coding project of the circulation collection was incorporated into the annual inventory. According to **Dorothy Bowden**, Reference Librarian and coordinator, there was great rejoicing. Gulf Coast Community College was selected by CCLA as a test site for remote access to the public-access catalog through the campus LAN. Faculty response was very positive to being able to access the library "card catalog" from their offices.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

Under the direction of Serials Librarian **Emory Ray**, the library has added the SIRS CD-ROM product and *Newsbank* on CD-ROM. Reference Librarian **Freddie Mellichamp** and Technical Services Librarian **John Armstrong** offered training sessions on using the LINCC public-access catalog to faculty and staff during welcome back activities in August. LINCC training has also been incorporated into the college's student orientation.

HILLSBOROUGH COMMUNITY COLLEGE

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Dan Amsberry, Technical Services Librarian, resigned to take a position at the Portland (Maine) Public Library.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

The librarians completed a Collection Development Policy which committee chair **Dr. Vicki Giunta** will present to the college's Academic Affairs Curriculum Committee. **Dolores Evensen** chairs this year's Collection Development Policy Committee. Under the coordination of **Dorothy Iorio**, Bibliographic Instruction Librarian, the librarians began the task of developing a college-wide model statement for

bibliographic instruction. The AV/Learning Lab staff recently completed a Film and Video Catalog.

Buildings

HCC is ready to break ground for two new libraries/learning resource centers; one at the Plant City campus and the other on the Brandon campus.

INDIAN RIVER COMMUNITY COLLEGE

People: State/National Activities

Jimmie Anne Nourse, Head of Library Services, spoke at the 20th annual North Carolina Community College Learning Resources Association Conference in September on the topic of Information Literacy in High Tech Times.

People: Papers and Publications

A second edition of *Electronic Access to Information: A Guidebook for High-Technology Library Instruction* has been published by **Rudy Widman**, Library Director, and **Jimmie Anne Nourse**.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

The library staff conducted a Florida Library Paraprofessional Workshop for 151 participants on May 7. National, state, and local librarians and paraprofessionals were involved in the presentations.

JACKSONVILLE UNIVERSITY

People: State/National Activities

Thomas Gunn, Library Director, was the 1993 winner of Macmillan's \$1,000 cash prize at the annual ALA conference in New Orleans.

MIAMI-DADE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Automation

Miami-Dade Community College Libraries officially opened their LINCC terminals to the public with a Grand Opening/Ribbon Cutting Ceremony at the Wolfson Campus. Miami-Dade prepared promotional materials which are available through CCLA.

Homestead Campus

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Recent resignations include Reference Librarians **Angela Speranza** and **Philip Browning**. **Mervyn Solomon**, Head, Learning Resources, is serving as a Reference Librarian and will continue to perform the administrative duties of the department until a replacement is hired.

People: State/National Activities

Mervyn Solomon was the Assistant Program Director of the Third Annual Caribbean Writers Summer Institute held at the University of Miami from June 21 to July 23.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

Barbara Kulpa was the central person interviewed for a lead article which appeared in the August 22 issue of the *Miami Herald* about the survivors of Hurricane Andrew one year later.

Kendall Campus Library

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Dr. Susan G. Byrd has been appointed as Chair, Acquisitions Department. **Laurie Hime**, Readers' Services Department, has been appointed as Coordinator of Library Instruction. The new Library Director, **Janis Jordan**, is presently completing post-graduate work at Indiana University and will assume her new duties the latter part of October. **Lily Young**, Periodicals Department, has been promoted to the rank of Associate Senior Professor.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

A new Library Instruction Classroom equipped with thirteen LINCC terminals and an LCD panel with overhead projector is now in use.

Library Technical Services

People: State/National Activities

Jennifer C. Saxton, audio-visual cataloger, was recently promoted to Assistant Professor and granted a continuing contract.

People: State/National Activities

Douglas K. Lehman, Director, was recently appointed as the community college representative to the State Library of Florida Network Planning Task Force. He also became Chair of CCLA's Advisory Board and Executive Committee on July 1. **Ed Baldrige**, Head Cataloger, has been appointed Chair-Elect of the SEFLIN Cataloging Committee. He also serves as Chair of the ACLTS Heads of Cataloging Discussion group.

North Campus Library

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Recent promotions include **Kenneth Bonwitt** to the rank of full professor and **Armando Escobedo** to the rank of associate professor.

People: State/National Activities

Georgina Fernandez, Periodicals Chairperson, is serving as co-editor of *ChiCo News*, Official Newsletter of the College Hispanic Council. **Celia Suarez**, Associate Dean of Learning Resources, is a member of CCLA's Resource Cooperation Standing Committee.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

Evan Farber and two faculty from Earlham College will come to the North Campus for a workshop on November 12. The workshop, sponsored by the North Campus Center for Teaching/Learning, will stress course-related bibliographic instruction.

NATIONAL MUSEUM OF NAVAL AVIATION

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

The new Catalog Librarian is **Valerie S. McCann**. She replaced **Susan Hanes** who moved to Chicago to pursue an additional degree in library science.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

The Blue Angel Collection, the Goulden Korean Collection, the Admiral Thach Collection, and the Brehm Naval Aviation Collection are now available for researchers. Library staff, with the assistance of forty-five volunteers, are currently building airship and naval aviation training collections.

NORTH FLORIDA JUNIOR COLLEGE

People: State/National Activities

Shelia Hiss, Library Director, attended ALA in New Orleans. Shelia was on a Community and Junior College Caucus panel at FLA in Daytona Beach discussing management and marketing.

People: Awards, Degrees, Grants

North Florida Junior College's Professional Achievement Award was presented to **Shelia Hiss**.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

Library staff are writing columns for *Madison*, a local magazine. The first article was written by **Amy Johnson**, Catalog Librarian, and appeared in the fall issue. As part of an ongoing continuing education project, the library staff recently visited Lake City Community College, Suwannee River Regional Library, Florida State Archives, and the LDS Genealogy Library in Tallahassee.

NORTHWOOD UNIVERSITY

Formerly known as Northwood Institute, Northwood officially received university status in January 1993. Northwood currently offers undergraduate degree programs in Business Administration and Management and is the only university in the United States with an accredited degree program in automotive marketing.

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Bonnie Marshak has served as the university's Director of Library Services for the past year. **Robie Visk** is the Assistant University Librarian.

Automation

Northwood joined SEFLIN as its first Associate Member in May 1993.

PENSACOLA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

The new Periodicals/ILL librarian is **Jean Shankle** who received her MLS from the University of Southern Mississippi in August.

Automation

The library is completing a full automation system with Data Research Associates. Public service areas have been using the system since June.

SANTA FE COMMUNITY COLLEGE

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Ellen Purcell is the new Acquisitions Librarian. Her previous experience includes service at Johns Hopkins and the University of Florida.

SPRING NEWSLETTER

March 18 is the deadline for information to be included in the spring issue.

**Regional Reporters will contact individual libraries.
All information should be sent directly to the Editor.**

SOUTH FLORIDA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

The South Florida Community College Library has been selected by *Poetry Magazine*, Modern Poetry Association (MPA), and ALA as one of thirty national demonstration sites to host "Poets in Person", a reading, listening, discussion program on modern American Poetry. **Dr. Luella Teuton**, Head Librarian, will serve on a three-person project team to attend a national training seminar in early November. In addition to seminar expenses for the library team, the library will receive complete materials to host the program. The library's program will then serve as a model for other programs throughout the state and nation. "Poets in Person" programs at the SFCC Library will begin during the Winter term.

STATE LIBRARY OF FLORIDA

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

The State Library Online Catalog is now available for public access, on-site, and via modem through FIRN. The DRA system, christened LION, presently includes over 300,000 holdings. The fully integrated database has subject, author, title, keyword, and Boolean search capabilities, providing access to the State Library's circulating, Florida, serials, reference, and documents collections. For technical information regarding dial-up access, contact **Jennifer Meeks**, Bureau of Library and Network Services at (904) 487-2651, ext. 166; for information on using the LION catalog, contact the loans section at (904) 487-2651, ext. 152.

STETSON UNIVERSITY

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Debora (Debbi) Dinkins joined the Stetson University faculty as Catalog Librarian in August. She fills a position left vacant by the resignation of **Kim Martin** who is now working as a consultant with the Central Florida Library Consortium and several special libraries.

People: State/National Activities

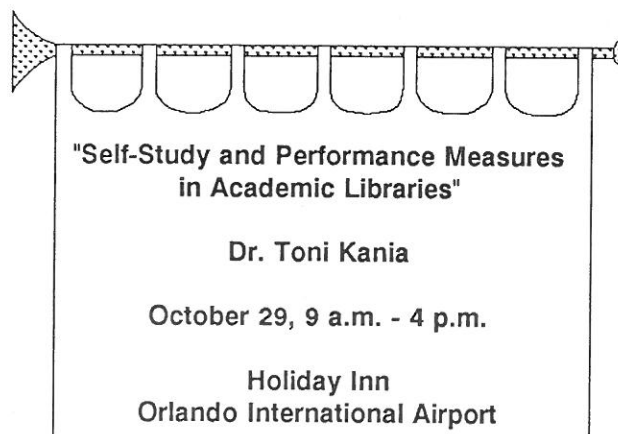
Susan Ryan, Government Documents Librarian, attended two SOLINET Internet workshop in Atlanta in July. She presented a full-day workshop on using *dBASE* with depository CD-ROMS at the University of Mississippi on September 16.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

Stetson recently implemented a connection through the Advanced Network and Services to the Internet. A \$5,000 grant was awarded to the Library by Orlando Sentinel Charities, Inc., to purchase a CD-ROM workstation for the *Orlando Sentinel*. This is the third grant awarded to the Library for the development of a Newspaper Reference Center.

TAMPA COLLEGE

A paper published by the Tampa Campus Library staff is now available in ERIC. Entitled "Institutional Effectiveness Plan of Tampa College", the fifty-page paper is available as ED 355 851. The paper discusses accountability, educational relevance, and institutional effectiveness and outlines the development of Tampa College's educational plan.



UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Colleen Seale, Computerized Information Services Coordinator and Reference Librarian, was appointed Assistant Chair, Humanities and Social Sciences Services Department. **Tom Cetwinski** has been appointed as the Staff Development Officer.

Correction: **Carla Summers** (formerly Carla Kemp) was not appointed as Assistant Chair of the Catalog Department. **John Van Hook** was awarded Tenure and promoted to Associate University Librarian.

Recent resignations include **Shamima Amin**, Visiting Catalog Librarian, and **Colleen Thorburn**, Catalog Librarian.

People: State/National Activities

Alena Aissing, Catalog Librarian, was appointed chair of ACRL's Slavic and East European Section Automated Bibliographic Committee.

People: Papers and Publications

"Gateways and Libraries," by **Blake Landor**, Reference Librarian, appeared in Volume 8, 1993 of *Library Hi Tech Bibliography*. **Lawan Orser**, Catalog Librarian, and **Colleen Seale** presented a poster session, "Toward Identifying Core Economic Literature: An Analysis of Local Citations," at IFLA in Barcelona, Spain. *Spanish and Portuguese Jewry: A Classified Bibliography* by **Robert Singerman**, Jewish Studies Bibliographer, was published by Greenwood Press.

People: Awards, Degrees, Grants

The recipient of LAMA's Outstanding Leadership Appreciation Award was **Dale Canelas**, Library Director. **Razia Nanji**, Reference Librarian, was awarded a grant from the African Studies Department to conduct a resource-buying trip to East Africa.

Health Science Center Library

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Prudence Tucker and **Steve Flint** have been hired as Information Specialists in the Information Services Department. The new Manager of the Medical Informatics Computer Laboratory is **Polly Porter**. **Esther Jones**, Head of Public Services,

was honored at a retirement reception on March 1. She was presented the President's Medallion for the significant impact she made on the Health Science Center Library during her twenty-three years of dedicated service. After serving as Director for twenty-seven years, **Ted Srygley** is retiring in January, 1994. **Peggy Hsu** has been appointed Acting Head of the Information Services Department. **Susan Woods** has been appointed as the Area Health Education Center (AHEC) Librarian for thirty-seven counties in north Florida designated as medically under-served areas. She will facilitate the delivery of library services including database access, document delivery, and information service to these areas.

People: Papers and Publications

Susan Woods and **Janet M. Coggan**, Information Specialist, presented a paper, "Developing a Medical Informatics Education Program to Support a Statewide Health Information Network", at the annual meeting of the Medical Library Association in Chicago. **Lenny Rhine**, Head of Technical Services, and **Trudi Di Troli**, Acting Assistant Director for Public Services, University of Florida, presented a poster, "Use of a Checklist as a Tool for Library Staff Orientation and Training", at the Medical Library Association meeting in Chicago.

UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Sharyn Ladner, Business Librarian, was recently awarded tenure.

People: Papers and Publications

Posters of the Cuban Diaspora: A Bibliography, including citations to 542 posters housed in the Archives and Special Collections Department, was recently published by **Esperanza B. Devarona**, Archives and Special Collections Librarian. **Ellen Feehan**, Catalog Librarian, spoke on "Humor in Science Fiction" at the Science Fiction Research Association's annual conference in Reno. She also published "An Interview with John Kessel" in the March 1993 issue of *Science-Fiction Studies*.

People: Awards, Degrees, Grants

Bill Brown, Archives and Special Collections Librarian, and **Eugene Provenzo**, School of Education, received a University Research Council Grant Award to create an optical disc database of selected photographs from the Pan American World Airways collection and to facilitate access to the materials. **Bill Brown** and **Karen Hudson**, graduate student in the History Department, recently completed work on the arrangement and description of the "Model Land Company Records". Supported with grant funds from the Florida Local History Records Project, the collection contains documentation relating to the economic, political, environmental, and social history of South Florida from the late 1800s through the 1950s

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

Diana Kirby, Government Publications Librarian, completed arrangement and description work on the Florida Works Progress Administration records. The Archives and Special Collections Department recently acquired the papers of former University of Miami faculty member and internationally known ornithologist, Oscar T. Owre. The Cataloging Department officially closed the card shelf-list. Although not to be discarded in the foreseeable future, it will no longer be used for creating call numbers.

Buildings

The Cornerstone Campaign to benefit Richter Library and the College of Arts & Sciences has raised an estimated ten million in cash and pledges toward its goal of fifty million. Proceeds will be used to expand the library approximately 95,000 feet to house the Music Library and the Archives and Special Collections.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH FLORIDA

People: State/National Activities

Kathleen Cohen, Assistant Director, has been elected President of the Board of Directors of the Northeast Florida Library Information Network.

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH FLORIDA

Sarasota/New College Campus Library

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Mary Andrews is the new Media Librarian. The New Director of Information and Access Services is **Kim Grohs**.

Division of Library and Information Science

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Beatriz Calixto is a new instructor. A doctoral candidate at the Graduate School of Library and Information Science at the University of Texas at Austin, she is completing her research on the efforts of integrated information systems and the power of libraries as sub-units of organizations. Another new faculty member is **Marilyn H. Karrenbrock Stauffer**. **Dr. Henrietta M. Smith** retired June 30 from her position as Professor of Library and Information Science. Her outstanding record of teaching, research, and service was recognized by the university in appointing her Professor Emerita. She will continue to teach and advise for the USF LIS Master's Eastcoast program in Fort Lauderdale.

Tampa Campus Library

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Catherine Baumbach is the new Director of Library Development. The new Systems Manager is **Susan Russ Beldad**.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

The University of South Florida Libraries received the collection of German and Nazi-era memorabilia of Werner H. Von Rosensteil which features twenty-three volumes of transcripts from the Nuremberg War Crimes Trials.

UNIVERSITY OF TAMPA

People: Awards, Degrees, Grants

Lydia Acosta was awarded the first Jean Gates Distinguished Alumni Award from the University of South Florida School of Library and Information Science.

UNIVERSITY OF WEST FLORIDA

People: Appointments, Departures, Promotions

Visiting librarians include **Dorothy Doerr**, Serials, and **John Hatton**, Reference. **Theresa Johnson** is serving as interim Head of the Circulation Department. **Helen Wigersma**, Associate Director, is the new Director of UWF's Institutional Self-Study.

People: State/National Activities

Lois Gilmer, Library Director for the Fort Walton Beach Campus, was appointed to the Guidelines Committee for the ACRL Section Extended Campus Library Services. Representing the states of Florida and Mississippi, she will assist in state and national distribution of guidelines written for the provision of library services to off-campus students and faculty. **Theresa Johnson** is the new Editor of *The Southeastern Librarian*.

People: Papers and Publications

"A Guide to Online Retrieval of Conference Papers" authored by **Bob Perdue**, Science Reference Librarian, and **Chris Piotrowski** appeared in the June 1993 issue of *Journal of Instructional Psychology*. Their article "Accessing Management Information Literature in Psychology Databases" appeared in volume 30, number 2 issue of *Psychology: A Journal of Human Behavior*.

People: Awards, Degrees, Grants

Marvin Williams, Serials Cataloger, was awarded a half-time research leave for fall and spring semesters to prepare a Guide to Pensacola, Florida, City Archives.

VALENCIA COMMUNITY COLLEGE

People: State/National Activities

Donna Carver, West Campus Library Director, was elected to serve as Chair-Elect of the Executive Committee of the Advisory Board to CCLA. **Pat Henderson**, Reference Librarian, is serving as secretary for the Reference Interest Group of the Central Florida Library Consortium. **Heather DiLaurenzio**, Reference Librarian, is chairing FLA's LOBI Caucus. She has also been appointed to CCLA's Resource Cooperation Committee.

News from the Field: Acquisitions, Programs, Services

East Campus LRC staff produced an entertaining video entitled "The Okra Windfree Show." Okra's humorous guests discussed why they were addicted to, or afraid of, technology. During National Library Week celebration, East Campus LRC staff presented an expo, "Getting High with High Tech" which included demonstrations on various audiovisual equipment and the latest in computer technology. Another activity during this week was the "Roving Reporter" who scouted the campus soliciting impromptu responses to the question "What do you think about our library and staff?" or "How have libraries made an impact on your life?" Responses were videotaped and played throughout the campus during the week.

SUS Expedited Interlibrary Loan Committee

An Expedited Interlibrary Loan Committee has been created by the Library Directors of the State University System (SUS) to explore the feasibility of developing a patron-initiated interlibrary loan/circulation process for the SUS libraries.

The committee, chaired by Sherry Carrillo, Assistant Director for Readers Services at Florida International University, is composed of representatives from all nine SUS libraries and FCLA. They are currently reviewing systems in other states which are either already functioning or are in test phases. These include ILLINET (Illinois), OhioLink (Ohio), and the system serving the state university system in Maine.

Advantages of such a system include rapid transmission of a request from a library client directly to a holding library (LUIIS, the SUS online catalog, would serve as the basis for the system; therefore, requests would only be transmitted to other SUS libraries.) Thus, an SUS library client would be able to use any other library in the SUS just as the client could use their own.

A report is expected from this committee by the end of the year.

NETWORKS AND ASSOCIATIONS

Central Florida Library Consortium (CFLC)

Marta Westall has been appointed Executive Director of the Central Florida Library Consortium. She is currently community relations librarian at Winter Park Public Library. Prior to that, she worked at the Texas State Library over a period of years as resource development and volunteer coordinator, as director of the Blind and Physically Handicapped Division, and as network librarian and newsletter editor. In addition, she was executive director of Women in Texas Government, 1989-90.

College Center for Library Automation (CCLA)

The College Center for Library Automation has been awarded a \$53,000 grant from the SchoolYear 2000 Initiative on behalf of a consortium consisting of the State Library of Florida, the School of Library and Information Studies at Florida State University, and CCLA. The focus of the grant is to begin investigative research into issues, implications, and design needs for a "Knowledge Database" to serve Florida's education system of the near future.

The consortium will provide the leadership and support for a working group consisting of staff from these institutions and staff from the Florida Department of Education, the Florida Information Resource Network (FIRN), SchoolYear 2000, and Volusia, Pasco, and Orange County Public Schools.

LINCC implementation at Florida's twenty-eight communication colleges is progressing steadily. As of August 31, twenty-seven were totally wired to accommodate LINCC (Library Information Network for Community Colleges); activation and staff training had occurred at twenty-two institutions; and circulation had been implemented at the first prototype institution, Seminole Community College. Item records in the LINCC union database totaled 1,853,508, and MARC records were at 1,133,700.

Northeast Florida Library Information Network (NEFLIN)

After two years in the planning stages, NEFLIN now boasts forty-four member libraries in nineteen counties, and program planning is underway. Executive Director **Dave Whisenant** and administrative assistant **Melissa Elliott-Pollard** have

offices in the Swisher Library at Jacksonville University. Among projects planned for the next year are interlibrary loan services, establishment of member committees, continuing education, discount pricing and group pricing, and automation assistance. In addition, NEFLIN has received \$80,000 in operating funds for 1992-93 through the Library Services and Construction Act TITLE III program.

President **Kathleen Cohen** points out that there are more than two hundred libraries of all types in the region served by NEFLIN, and increased membership is an important goal for the next year. Northeast Florida libraries interested in learning more about membership are urged to contact **David Whisenant** at NEFLIN, Swisher Library, Jacksonville University, 2800 University Boulevard, North, Jacksonville, FL 32211; (904) 744-3950, ext. 4275; Internet whisend@firnvx.firn.edu.

Southeast Florida Information Network (SEFLIN)

SEFLIN has expanded its "associate member" program for specialized libraries with limited needs and resources to share. Until recently, the associate member program targeted only non-profit libraries, but in June, the IRS issued approval to permit membership to libraries in for-profit institutions. Associate members receive a wide array of member benefits, including access to SEFCAT, telefax network, and SEFLIN e-mail; as well as participation on committees and member rates for workshops. The SEFLIN Board of Directors evaluates all applications for membership based on a number of factors, including willingness to share materials without cost, collection value to the existing members, and willingness to participate in SEFLIN activities.

Tampa Bay Library Consortium (TBLC)

TBLC reports that its serials union list has been distributed to all member libraries who placed an order. The list includes the periodical holdings of twenty of the largest TBLC member libraries and includes more than 15,000 titles.

TBLC has a full calendar of workshops scheduled. For more information, contact TBLC Headquarters at (813) 622-8252. A few highlighted workshops are listed on the calendar on page 2.

FLORIDA NEWSPAPER PROJECT

A survey of Florida's public and academic libraries to inventory holdings of newspaper titles is part of the first phase of statewide participation in the U.S. Newspaper Program. With technical assistance from the Library of Congress, the National Endowment for the Humanities has funded such inventories since 1982. Work in Florida began this year under a grant awarded to Dolores Jenkins, Journalism Librarian at the University of Florida.

Of the 212 libraries in the state on the project's mailing list, 109 have returned the survey form. Although this response rate is better than that for the newspaper offices and museums surveyed, a follow-up effort is under way to make the inventory as complete as possible. Subsequent phases of the project will involve microfilming and cataloging. If your library has Florida newspapers and you doubt that a survey form has been received or returned for the U.S. Newspaper Program/Florida, please contact Patricia Mason, project coordinator, at Library West, University of Florida. Her telephone number is (904) 392-4919, and she can be reached by e-mail at patmaso@nervm.nerdc.ufl.edu.

Help is also being requested from ACRL members to obtain information on campus newspapers published by students. Because the student staff changes frequently, the response rate for these papers has been among the lowest. Also, the survey does not specifically mention the collegiate press, and so these titles are sometimes overlooked.

The information obtained from the Florida survey of newspaper titles and holdings will be entered on a database at the University of Florida. Following cataloging of each title, the information will be combined with that from other state projects in the national union list published by the Online Computer Library Center (OCLC).

The goal of the national program is to locate and preserve newspapers published in the United States since 1690. The anticipated result is a national database with an estimated 250,000 newspaper titles.

Samuel Lazerow Fellowship for Research in Acquisitions or Technical Services in an Academic or Research Library

This award fosters advances in acquisitions or technical services by providing fellowships to librarians for travel or writing in those fields. Research projects in collection development or the compilation of bibliographies are not supported by this fellowship.

Award: \$1,000 in cash and a citation donated by the Institute for Scientific Information.

Criteria: The proposals will be judged with an emphasis on the following:

1. Potential significance of the project to acquisitions or technical services work.
2. Originality and creativity.
3. Clarity and completeness of the proposal.
4. Evidence of an interest in scholarship (previous publication record)

Application procedure: Brief proposals (five pages or less, double-spaced) should include the following:

1. Description of research, travel, or writing project.
2. Schedule for project.
3. Estimation of expenses (e.g., travel, data analysis, computer time, photocopying)
4. An up-to-date curriculum vitae.

Awardee obligation: Recipients of the fellowship are required to submit a report of their research results to ACRL for possible publication in *C&RL News*.

Submission procedures: Send eight copies of the application to the Samuel Lazerow Fellowship, Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL), American Library Association, 50 East Huron Street, Chicago, IL 60611.

Staff Contact: If you have questions, or need help in compiling a nomination, contact: Althea H. Jenkins, (800) 545-2433, ext., 3248, (312) 280-3248, or U55385@uicvm.uic.edu.

Deadline: December 1, 1993

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FLA Program Report "New Wine in Old Bottles"

Recognizing that many librarians are facing the problems of re-fitting aging buildings to accept new technologies, the Academic Libraries Caucus/ Florida Chapter ACRL invited Aaron Cohen Associates to discuss retro-fitting libraries at the spring meeting held in conjunction with FLA in Daytona Beach.

Aaron and Elaine Cohen presented a lively and informative program using lecture and a slide presentation to illustrate their ideas. Topics ranged from re-designing space to suit individual libraries' programs to using lighting, color, or carpeting to help a library re-define physical space. In addition, they also offered practical advice about phasing in renovation projects and showed, among other things, how cables can be run around library walls in architecturally attractive casings that still allow for flexibility.

The Cohens talked about the library of the future. They noted that while we currently need carrels and workstations to support computers and CD-ROMs, our space needs will totally changed when the student of the future comes into the library with a hand-held terminal to download information from various library catalogs.

In addition to their knowledge of today's libraries, the Cohens displayed an enthusiasm for the possibilities of the library of tomorrow that was refreshing.

Jamie Hastreiter

Vision for the World of Information

"By the year 2000 most information will be available electronically through a seamless, transparent network which will be available not only in libraries but in homes, offices, and public places. Political boundaries will become less important to the information-seeking public because of the accessibility of information."

SEFLIN Strategic Plan



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