

Greetings from the President

Information...The Library Superpower! Are you ready for the KLA/KSMA Joint Conference? It is right around the corner, **September 28-October 1, 2011**, Galt House Hotel & Suites, Louisville, Kentucky. I want to give you a sneak peak at our featured speakers.

The conference opening session speaker will be **Dr. Benjamin Sapp**, Director, [Mazza Museum](#). The Mazza Museum originated with four original artworks purchased by Dr. August and Aleda Mazza and given to the University of Findlay in 1982 and has grown to house the largest collection of original art from picture books in the world. The collection contains original Randolph Caldecotts, Walter Cranes, and Kate Greenaways, as well as multiple Caldecott award winning originals. The Mazza Museum is so well respected by the artists in the world of children's literature that several well-known artists have used the Mazza layout as a standard for designing their private collections and museums. Eric Carle designed for the Mazza the infamous banners that hang over the entrance. The Mazza is frequented by award-winning artists not only as presenters, but as visitors, and is held in such high esteem that Patricia Palocco has deemed the Mazza as the final home of her coveted original 'Keeping Quilt' quilt. Dr. Sapp will take us on a virtual tour of the mu-

seum followed by an art exhibit housing several pieces of the collection located in the exhibit hall.

Other featured speakers include:

Christian Miller, Reference, Instruction, and Outreach Coordinator at the Martin P. Catherwood Library in the School of Industrial and Labor Relations at Cornell University. The Catherwood Library is renowned as one of the top libraries in the world collecting information on work and workplace issues. Mr. Miller's interests include the library as a workplace. He is the current Chair of the Academic Division of the Special Libraries Association (SLA) and has served Cornell on numerous campus-wide library committees. His presentation, *Fostering Innovation and Creativity: What Libraries Can Learn from Second City*, is sponsored by the Academic Library Section.

Lauren Burnett, President of the Center for Inner Quality. Lauren's knowledge and penetrating insight into human potential development has been gained from 25 years of extensive, real-world experience in helping leaders, organizations, teams, and individuals achieve professional and personal success and fulfillment. Her training programs, executive coaching, and speaking help unleash the power of choice for extraordinary results and embrace breakthrough thinking and action to create cultures where people want to work and where people want to stay. Her presentation, *Power Up:*

Leverage the Language of Coach and Facilitator, is sponsored by the Kentucky Public Library Association.

Linda Bruckheimer, author of two novels, *Dreaming Southern* and *The Southern Bells of Honeysuckle Way*. Linda was the writer-producer of two animated, award-winning specials for PBS and the West Coast Editor of *MIRABELLA* magazine. She is a vocal, vital advocate for preservation. Linda and her husband, Jerry, have restored an 1820 Greek Revival home in rural Kentucky and have worked with the Kentucky Heritage Council to preserve numerous buildings in historical Bloomfield, which is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. In recognition of her conservation and preservation efforts in Kentucky, Linda was presented with a Preservation Project Award given by the Ida Lee Willis Memorial Awards Foundation and the Kentucky Heritage Council. She is an active member of the Board of Directors of the Los Angeles Conservancy, serves on the Kentucky Film Commission, and co-founded, along with Sarabande Books, the Linda Bruckheimer Series in Kentucky Literature.

Molly Raphael, President, American Library Association, will be presenting *Libraries: Essential for Learning, Essential for Life*. Molly has served in urban public libraries for 40 years. Raphael's 33 years at the District of Columbia Public Library (DCPL)

Greetings From the President cont...

"The illiterate of the 21st century will not be those who cannot read and write, but those who cannot learn, unlearn, and relearn."

~Alvin Toffler

began as a youth librarian and culminated in her appointment as Library Director in 1997. In 2003, Raphael was recruited to lead the award-winning Multnomah County Library (MCL) in Portland, Oregon. Under her leadership, MCL achieved consistently top national rankings among urban public libraries and the highest gross circulation of any library in the country, surpassing libraries serving much larger populations. MCL, a nationally recognized leader in developing early literacy services and programs to reach out to underserved, culturally diverse communities, was selected in 2009 to receive the Institute for Museum and Library Services (IMLS) National Medal for Museum and Library Service, the nation's highest honor for museums and libraries.

Children's author **Phil Bildner** will be the luncheon author speaker on Friday. Phil's most recent book is *The Unforgettable Season: Joe DiMaggio, Ted Williams and the Record-Setting Summer of 1941*. He is a former

lawyer and teacher (South Bronx, NY and in Manhattan) and the founder of The NOLA Tree, a non-profit service organization that works on community building and development projects. The luncheon is sponsored by Kentucky School Media Association and the Youth Services Round Table. KSMA will also have special guest **Carl Harvey**, President, American Association of School Librarians, at the KSMA Luncheon and Business Meeting.

This is just the tip of the iceberg. We have many other exciting and interesting programs on the schedule. Please check the KLA [website](#) for the complete program. Remember, you do not want to miss *Information...The Library Superpower!* this fall, so mark your calendars now: the KLA/KSMA Joint Conference, **September 28-October 1, 2011**, Galt House Hotel & Suites, Louisville, Kentucky.

Speaking of conferences, I attended the American Library Association's National Library Legislative Day with a Kentucky contingent May 8-11, 2011 in Washington, D.C. to advocate for our libraries. We met with Senator Rand

Paul, Congressman Brett Guthrie, and the staff of our other representatives. Congressman Geoff Davis' congressional aid gave us a tour of the chambers of the House Ways and Means Committee. Debbe Oberhausen, Chair, Library Awareness Committee, sent a more detailed report out via email to the KLA listserv. I want to thank Debbe, Wayne Onkst, and Lori Harlan for all their hard work to make this trip a success and also my fellow delegates for attending NLLD.

Terry Buckner, President-Elect, and I attended the American Library Association's Annual Conference in New Orleans. We represented the Kentucky Library Association at the Chapter Relations Committee meetings and were announced at the ALA Council I meeting. We also solicited prospective vendors for the Fall Conference in the exhibit hall.

I wish everyone wonderful summer. See you at the KLA/KSMA Joint Conference!

Leoma Dunn
President,
Kentucky Library Association

KENTUCKY LIBRARY LEGISLATIVE DAY IS MARCH 7, 2012

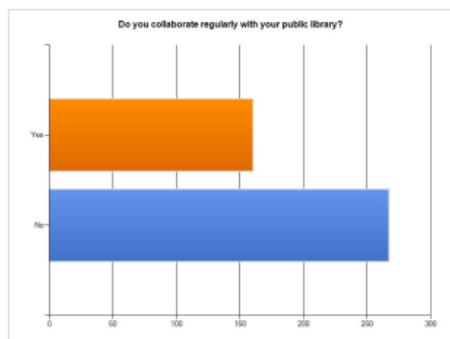
Every year the Kentucky Public Library Association sponsors a Library Legislative day in Frankfort.

This occurs to promote the legislative strategy, devel-

oped and directed by KPLA'S Advocacy Committee, in consultation with the Kentucky Department for Libraries and Archives (KDLA), for the benefit of Kentucky public libraries.

Please support their efforts. Try to come to Frankfort to show your support. If you can't make it please call or email your state representative.

Kentucky Department of Education



The chart above shows that the majority of respondents do not collaborate regularly with public libraries.

The Kentucky Department of Education partnered this year with AASL for their annual *School Libraries Count!* survey. This partnership allows KDE to receive the raw data from the survey about Kentucky's school libraries. A separate KY-produced survey was also promoted by AASL to those from KY who completed their survey. Final participant numbers:

AASL Data Survey: 353

KY Data Survey: 427

Two questions in the KY survey asked about collaboration efforts with public libraries. I've been working this winter and spring with Heather Dieffenbach at KDLA to help promote collaboration opportunities, particularly with Summer Reading, to our school and public librarians. I hope to see more "yes" responses next year.

The number one collaborative example was promotion of Summer Reading programs, but other examples included author visits, library card sign-ups, book clubs, and sharing of resources to support the school curriculum.

KLA Minority Scholarship Committee

The KLA Minority Scholarship Committee changed one of the terms of eligibility for the scholarship on the application form.

The form previously stated:

A scholarship of \$1,000.00 paid in two equal installments, in August and January, will be awarded to the recipient.

It now states:

A scholarship of \$1,000.00 paid in two equal installments at the beginning of each semester of full time enrollment will be awarded to the recipient.

I forwarded information about the scholarship to Dennis Carrigan at the University of Kentucky and

Marge Maxwell at Western Kentucky University and asked them to share the information with students who may be interested in applying for the scholarship. The committee will review all applications received by the June 15 deadline

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Kentucky Library Trustee Roundtable

The KPLA/KLTRT Spring Conference was April 11, 2011 to April 13, 2011.

Forty-six trustees from twenty-six counties attended the conference. This was a record.

Thirty-two persons attended the KLTRT Business meeting. The

Trustee Certification program was approved by the KLTRT and KPLA membership and the hope is to get it implemented by September 1, 2011.



The Kentucky Library Association is now accepting *nominations* for the following awards:

WILLIAM H. NATCHER AWARD

LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

JAMES A NELSON ADVOCACY AWARD

CAROL J. PARRIS MENTORING AWARD

KENTUCKY INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM AWARD

The Award(s) (a plaque from the Association) will be presented during the KLA/KSMA joint conference during the Awards Luncheon on Thursday, September 29, 2011.

Please see attached documents for criteria and a list of prior winners.

Nominations and supporting documentation for the WILLIAM H. NATCHER AWARD, the LIFETIME ACHIEVEMENT AWARD, the JAMES A NELSON ADVOCACY AWARD, and the CAROL J. PARRIS MENTORING AWARD must be submitted by **Monday, August 15, 2011** to Debbe Oberhausen, KLA Library Awareness Committee Chair.

MAIL: Debbe Oberhausen
Manager, Collection Services
Louisville Free Public Library
301 York Street
Louisville, KY 40203

FAX: 502-574-1768

EMAIL: debra.oberhausen@lfpl.org

Nominations and supporting documentation for the KENTUCKY INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM AWARD must be submitted by **Monday August 15, 2011** to Betsy Hughes, KLA Member Services Committee Chair.

MAIL: Betsy Hughes, Chair
Kentucky Virtual Library
1024 Capital Center Drive Suite 320
Frankfort KY 40601

FAX: 502-573-0222

EMAIL: Betsy.Hughes@ky.gov

WILLIAM H. NATCHER AWARD

The William H. Natcher Award will be given to an individual, organization, or corporation that has made a significant philanthropic contribution to a Kentucky library. The contribution may be monetary, materials, or equipment.

The Library Awareness Committee will accept nominations for the award from Kentucky Library Association members. A name must be placed in nomination by September 1st in order to be eligible for the year.

Nominations should be limited to an individual, organization, or corporation who has not been a recipient of the Award within the last ten years.

The Library Awareness Committee will review all nominations and recommend a recipient to the Association's Executive Committee prior to the Board meeting before the Annual Conference.

The Chair of the Committee will then notify the recipient of the Award to ensure their presence at the Awards Program.

The Award, which will consist of a plaque from the Association, will be presented at the Awards Program during the Annual Conference.

WILLIAM H. NATCHER AWARD WINNERS

1994 William H. Natcher (posthumously)

1995 Mary Bingham

1996 Lucille Caudill Little

1997 Mr. and Mrs. David A. Jones, Sr.

1998 William T. Young, Sr.

1999 E. Rhodes and Leona B. Carpenter Foundation

2000 Dominican Sisters of St. Catharine of Siena

2001 Toyota Motor Manufacturing North America, Inc.

2002 Robert L. Holloway

2003 Dr. Thomas D. Clark

2004 Carleton L. West

2005 Ashland Inc.

2006 Emily Hundley

2007 Rosemary and Mark Schlachter

2008 Harold Tomlinson

2009 J. C. and Azalie Egnew

2010 Dr. Paul Maddox

CAROL J. PARRIS MENTORING AWARD

This award is given to an individual who has been a mentor to a librarian, library worker, or library science student.

Nominees must have a sustained record of mentoring a librarian, library worker, or library science student.

Nominees must not be current Executive Board members of the Association.

The Award does not have to be presented every year.

The Award, which will consist of a plaque from the Association, will be presented at the Awards Program during the Annual Conference.

Nominations will be solicited by the Library Awareness Committee.

A nominee will be recommended to the Executive Board for final approval prior to the Board meeting before the Annual Conference.

CAROL J. PARRIS MENTORING AWARD WINNERS

2006 Laura Davison

2007 Jackie White

2008 Marie Liang

2009 Elaine Allen

2010 Shawn Livingston

JAMES A. NELSON ADVOCACY AWARD

The Award is given to an individual who has advocated consistently for libraries, librarians, and library workers for a sustained period of time.

Nominees must not be current Executive Board members of the Association.

The Award does not have to be presented every year.

The Award, which will consist of a plaque from the Association, will be presented at the Awards Program during the Annual Conference.

Nominations will be solicited by the Library Awareness Committee.

A nominee will be recommended to the Executive Board for final approval prior to the Board meeting before the Annual Conference.

JAMES A. NELSON ADVOCACY AWARD WINNERS

2006 James E. Lee Jr.

2007 Evelyn Richardson

2008 Judith Gibbons

2009 Paul Poland

2010 J. C. Morgan

KENTUCKY INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM AWARD

Intellectual Freedom, as defined by the American Library Association, is "... the right of every individual to both seek and receive information from all points of view without restriction. It provides for free access to all expressions of ideas through which any and all sides of a question, cause or movement may be explored. Intellectual freedom encompasses the freedom to hold, receive, and disseminate ideas."

The Kentucky Library Association Intellectual Freedom Award will be given to an individual or group who has actively promoted intellectual freedom in Kentucky.

The Intellectual Freedom Subcommittee of the Members Services Committee will receive nominations from any Kentuckian by September 1st.

This Subcommittee will review all nominations and make a recommendation to the KLA Executive Committee prior to the Board meeting before the Annual Conference.

Criteria:

- Role played in actively promoting intellectual freedom in the sphere of influence and beyond.
- Degree to which the nominee(s) has exemplified the spirit of intellectual freedom.
- The effect of efforts to promote intellectual freedom and challenge censorship.

41.4.4. Nominations should be as well-documented as possible. Evidence in support of nominee may include:

- Published articles and/or letters
- Documentation of workshops, speeches, and testimony
- Letters of recommendation
- Pertinent written policies and procedures.
- Any other relevant information which further clarifies the nominee's role in promoting intellectual freedom.

The Award, which will consist of a plaque from the Association, will be presented at the Awards Program during the Annual Conference.

INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM AWARD WINNERS

2000 EmmaLee Hill

2007 Barbara Caron

2010 Dr. Ron Critchfield



Eastern Kentucky University Libraries

Many personnel changes have taken place at EKU Libraries over the course of the summer. Former EKU Libraries' Dean **Carrie Cooper**, recently became Dean of University Libraries at the College of William & Mary; **Betina Gardner** has assumed the role of interim Dean of Libraries, **Julie George** is interim Coordinator for Public Services, **Kelly Smith** has been named interim Coordinator for Collections Services, and **Dr. Margaret Foote** is now team leader for the Special Collections and Archives. **Kari Martin**, Director of Library Advancement, recently accepted a position modification which allows for further important collaboration with the University's Develop-

ment Office. **Krista Zabawa Rhodus**, former Library Advancement Associate, has been named Assistant Director of Library Advancement. **Melissa Darland**, former graphic design student, has accepted the position of Graphic Designer for EKU Libraries. **Clay Howard**, former head of Instructional Services at Morehead State University, has been named Reference Team Leader and liaison to the chemistry, economics and military science departments.

EKU Libraries publications and presentations:

Brad Marcum, Celita Dearmond, Jeff Clark, and Donell Callendar presented "Go the Extra Mile: Distance Learning

Librarianship," at the Texas Library Association Preconference. Conference materials may be found by visiting <http://sacguide.libguides.com/content.php?pid=204477&sid=1707208>.

Kelly Smith, Laura Edwards, along with Xan Arch, Ben Heet and Robert McDonald presented "Innovative eResource Workflow Strategies," at the Electronic Resources & Libraries Conference in Austin Texas in March.

Cindi Trainor, Trenia Napier and **Brad Marcum** collaborated to write in a chapter in a textbook that will be used in library science courses, *Distributed Learning & Virtual Librarianship* (book); "Current Issues in Distributed Learning and Librarianship: ACRL Standards (pgs. 89-120)," (chapter).

Noel Studio for Academic Creativity

Noel Studio staff members have been involved in a variety of presentations this summer:

Apostel, Shawn, Trenia Napier, and Leslie Valley. "Traversing Space and Place: Consulting New Media Texts in the 21st Century Multiliteracy Center." Computers and Writing. Ann Arbor, MI. 21 May 2011.

Apostel, Shawn. "Presentations that 'Move': Providing Feedback on Visuals Composed on Rich-Media Software," National Association of Communication Centers Conference. Richmond, VA. 18 March 2011.

Apostel, Shawn. "Noel Studio Ethos: Remediating Space, Encouraging Collaboration in the Communication Center," Poster Session at the National Association of Communication Centers Conference. Richmond, VA. 18 March 2011.

Nowak, Teri, **Russell Carpen-**

ter, Trenia Napier, Leslie Valley, and Shawn Apostel. "Integrating Research and Communication: Collaboration to Support Critical Thinking." Kentucky Converging Trends Conference. Erlanger, KY, 24 May 2011.

Publications:

The CFP for Director of the Noel Studio, **Dr. Russell Carpenter's**, new book project, *Cases on Higher Education Spaces*, is available by visiting <http://www.igi-global.com/authorseditors/authoreditorresources/callforbookchapters/callforchapterdetails.aspx?callforcontentid=1362988b-a261-4cf8-b7bd-a031c1bb034f>. Library scholars are encouraged to submit proposals.

Websites are now available for conferences to be hosted in the Noel Studio in 2012:

Southeastern Writing Center Association--February 16-18, 2012, <http://www.iwca-swca.org/Conferences.html>

National Association of Communication Centers--April 20-21, 2012, <http://encompass.eku.edu/nacc-conference2012/>

Other exciting Noel Studio news:

Dr. Russell Carpenter now moderates the national listserv, CommCenters, which all are invited to join: <http://listserve.eku.edu/mailman/listinfo/commcenters>. The Noel Studio and EKU serve as its new institutional home after years at Virginia Tech.

Noel Studio administrators are training Williamsburg teachers to implement a writing and communication curriculum: <http://www.eku.edu/news/noel-studio-works-williamsburg-schools-implement-communicationswriting-curriculum>.

Academic Libraries Section

The Joint Spring Conference took place April 13-15, 2011. Keynote Speakers were Ruth Kneale, Systems Librarian at the National Solar Observatory in Tucson, Arizona, and Leslie Reynolds from Texas A&M. Our pre-conference speaker was Mike Crumpton from the University of North Carolina at Greensboro who presented on "Maintaining a Professional Presence."

The conference brochure is available at: http://sla-divisions.typepad.com/files/jsc_brochure_final.pdf

Almost 100 attendees enjoyed the conference at Jenny Wiley State

Resort Park and the reviews were generally positive on all speakers and sessions.

Christian J. Miller will be the featured speaker for Academic Section at the Fall KLA meeting. Christian Miller is the Reference, Instruction and Outreach Coordinator at the Martin P. Catherwood Library in the School of Industrial and Labor Relations at Cornell University. The Catherwood Library is renowned as one of the top libraries in the world collecting information on work and workplace issues and his interests include the library as a workplace. He also has served on numerous campus-wide

library committees and is the current Chair of the Academic Division of the Special Libraries Association. Christian's session title is: "Fostering Innovation and Creativity: What Libraries Can Learn from Second City."

Academic Library Section Professional Development Grants:

Announced by Laura Whayne, Chair, Professional Development Committee on June 2. Up to one grant of \$1,000 (with the possibility of multiple grants) will be awarded. Submission deadline is August 15.

Librarian Appointed to Kentucky Access to Justice Commission

Attorney Jennifer Frazier, who serves as librarian for the State Law Library at the Capitol in Frankfort, has been appointed to serve on the Kentucky Access to Justice Commission. Frazier is one of 30 members of the commission, which met for the first time in January 2011. Chief Justice John D. Minton Jr. announced at an Oct. 14, 2010, news conference that the KAJC had been formed by an order of the Supreme Court of Kentucky. The commission's primary responsibility is to identify the most pressing legal needs of those unable to afford lawyers and create a statewide plan to address those needs. "It is an honor to be selected as a member of the Kentucky Access to Justice Commission," Frazier said. "I hope to continue the work started in other states to bring Access to Justice and the library communities together for the benefit of all." Kentucky is now one of nearly two dozen states

where supreme courts have formed Access to Justice Commissions.

Frazier began working with the State Law Library in 2003 and became the state law librarian in September 2006. She received a bachelor's degree in history from Northern Kentucky University, a juris doctor from the University of Louisville Brandeis School of Law and a master's degree in library and information science from the University of Kentucky. She was admitted to the Kentucky Bar in October 2001. Frazier was a member of the three-person team that represented Kentucky at the Public Libraries and Access to Justice Conference in Austin, Texas, in January 2010. The conference was presented by the Self-Represented Litigation Network and the National Center for State Courts in cooperation with the Legal Services Corporation. She

was also a panel member at the National Association of Legal Aid and Defenders Conference in November 2010 where she gave a presentation on Libraries and Access to Justice. She continues to work with the team Kentucky sent to Austin on bringing libraries and the Access to Justice community together.



**State Law Librarian
Jennifer Frazier**

Kentucky Public Library Section

The Kentucky Public Library Association held their most successful conference to date on April 11-13, 2011 in Lexington, Kentucky. Attendance reached 453. Congratulations to Martha White, Vice Chair of the section, who did a wonderful job chairing the committee and organizing the event. Representation from across the state was excellent, including 46 trustees. The committee recently met to begin planning for the 2012 conference.

KPLA received national attention with the unveiling of our compilation READ poster. Every constitutional Office holder on the state level (including the

Governor) and every Senator and Representative had a READ poster made. It is believed Kentucky is the first state to accomplish this goal. The compilation poster was featured on the ALA website. A special thanks to Paige Sexton of KDLA who organized this great project.

The KPLA Advocacy Committee will be conducting a postcard campaign this summer. Public libraries have received a bundle of 100 postcards (with the option to print more). Patrons will be encouraged to complete a postcard and send them to the local Fiscal Court by August 1 or to

leave them at the library and the director deliver them at the August Fiscal Court meeting. In this way, we will be reminding our local officials how important library services are to the communities of Kentucky.

At the April General Meeting of the Kentucky Public Library Association, the membership approved a voluntary trustee certification program. The program will include 5 core competency sessions that are important for every trustee to understand and implement at their districts. Other continuing education opportunities will also continue to be offered.

Strategic Planning & Organization Review Committee

After many months of work by the KLA Board as a whole, it is with great pleasure that I can report to the Board that the third edition of the KLA Blue Book has been finalized and is posted on the website of KLA.

Conference Analysis Committee Report

The committee has identified 13 associations whose members (in number and in type) resemble KLA. They developed a short survey to send to each of these.

The survey is located at <http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/8QFT3K6> if you'd like to view it.

Boyd County Public Library

Boyd County Public Library is saying good-bye and thank you to two of its longtime board members. Suzanne Stavros and Lynda Cannon are both leaving the Board of Trustees in August, after serving two consecutive four-year terms. Both are enthusiastic library supporters who have helped BCPL continue to fulfill its mission of providing "quality resources and access to information to all users."



Library Instruction Roundtable

At the business meeting a three person nominating committee was formed to select nominees for LIRT officers:

Chair: Lisa Nichols, Public Services Librarian, Transylvania University

Chair-Elect: Robert Detmering, Teaching and Refer-

ence Librarian, University of Louisville

Secretary/Treasurer: Helen Beaven, Reference Librarian, Georgetown College

Past Chair: Helen Beaven, Reference Librarian, Georgetown College

Officers continued planning efforts for the LIRT-sponsored full session at the

2011 KLA/KSMA Fall Conference. Russell Carpenter and Trena Napier of Eastern Kentucky University will present "Collaborative Learning in an Integrated Space: Research and Multimodal Communication for the 21st Century." The presentation will take place from 10:10 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, September 29, 2011.

Kentucky Libraries

Issue 2 of volume 75 (Spring) arrived in mailboxes during the third week of May. Many thanks to Paula Freibert of Compass Creative for her excellent work on the cover and the layout of *Kentucky Libraries*. The deadline for the third issue of volume 75 (Summer) is June 15, with distribution planned for mid-August.

Reminder: The "Diversity Dispatch" and "Preservation Perspectives" columns do not have regular columnists. Members are encouraged to be a guest columnist for either of these.

Many thanks to our regular columnists: David Ensign ("Copyright Corner"); Mildred Franks ("Kentucky Kaleidoscope"); Debbe Oberhausen

("Spotlight"); and, Jonathan Jeffrey ("Looking Back"). Thanks also to Katherine Pennavaria (editorial board member) for serving as column editor for our newest column, "Genealogy Gems."

Colleagues are encouraged to submit well-written feature articles to *Kentucky Libraries*.

The deadline for features, as well as the distribution schedule follows:

June 15 for the Summer Issue, published in mid-August

September 15 for the Fall Issue, published in mid-November

December 15 for the Winter Issue, published in mid-February.

March 15 for the Spring Issue, published in mid-May

Kudos to the editorial board members for their skill and dedication. The board members are:

- Carol Brinkman, Kornhauser Library, University of Louisville
- Dennis Carrigan, University of Kentucky
- Johan Koren, Murray State University
- Katherine Pennavaria, Western Kentucky University-Glasgow Campus

BCTC Library Information Technology Online Classes for Fall

Registration for BCTC online classes continues through August 12 and classes begin Wednesday, August 17. For the Fall Semester schedule, see http://www.bluegrass.kctcs.edu/CSIS/LIT/Class_Schedule

For information, contact Martha Birchfield, martha.birchfield@kctcs.edu.

Calendar

Monday, July 18: Last day for beginning freshmen to apply for admission to the College
 Monday, August 1: Last day to apply for admission for transfer, readmit, non-degree students
 Tuesday, August 16: Last day to pay tuition for students registered July 1 - August 16
 Wednesday, August 17: BCTC classes begin.
 [Note: other Kentucky colleges may begin at different dates.]

Apply for Admission or Readmission

Request the application form from martha.birchfield@kctcs.edu. [It is better **not** to use

the online form from the Kentucky Community and Technical College System.]
Admission as degree-seeking or non-degree?
 Students are allowed to be non-degree. However, our program is funded according to the number of degree-seeking students, so it helps us financially for the library students to have degree seeking status.

Fall 2011 Class Schedule

All courses are three credit hours and all are completely online. All courses count towards Kentucky public library certification and re-certification. For course descriptions, see http://www.bluegrass.kctcs.edu/CSIS/LIT/Course_Descriptions
 IMD 114: Information Literacy. Course number 34472
 LIT 115: Introduction to Reference Services. Course number 34517
 LIT 124: Library Administration. Course number

34558
 LIT 132: Library Technical Services. Course number 34520
 LIT 240: Literature of Appalachian Kentucky. Course number 34559
 LIT 243: Library Services for Children. Course number 34560
 LIT 245: Library Services for Young Adults. Course number 34561 **CLOSED**

Registration

New students can request registration help from martha.birchfield@kctcs.edu. Returning students probably will have to ask martha.birchfield@kctcs.edu to lift the advising hold.

Tuition

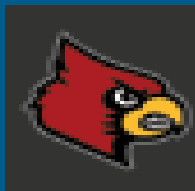
For students who were enrolled Fall 2010 and/or Spring 2011: \$130 per credit hour, \$390 for one three-

Government Documents Roundtable

The Government Documents Roundtable annual spring program and business meeting was held on March 25, 2011 at the Kentucky Department of Libraries and Archives in Frankfort, KY. There were four guest presenters:

- Walt Bowman (Head, KDLA Archives Research Room) – *World War I and its Records*

- Jennifer Frazier (State Law Librarian) – *Public Libraries and Access to Justice*
- Rae Shepherd (Louisville Free Public Library) – *How to Search a Patent*
- Jane Minder (Head, KDLA Reference) – *State Publications at KDLA: Untapped Treasures*



University of Louisville Libraries

New Appointments

Robert Fox Jr. was appointed professor and dean of University Libraries at UofL on Feb. 14. Fox was previously associate dean of libraries at Georgia Tech since 2005. While serving at Ga. Tech, he was credited with a number of innovations, including the creation of two new commons spaces, a new library classroom and planning for a new desk that will combine several existing service points into one place. He also improved user engagement through creation of a User Experience Department and separate student and faculty advisory boards. Prior to his tenure at Georgia Tech, Fox served in several positions at Clayton State University in Morrow, Georgia. He was that institution's director of library services from 1992 to 2005. He also has served as a reference librarian at Woodruff Library at Atlanta University Center, a consortium of historically black colleges and universities. Fox earned his M.B.A. at the University of Georgia. He holds a master of library sciences degree from Clark Atlanta University.

Diana Reid joined the libraries as Serials/Acquisitions Librarian on January 18, 2011. Prior to her appointment at UofL, Reid was an Information Specialist at Novartis Corporation in Emeryville, CA. She earned her MLIS in 2005 from San Jose State University. In 2004, she served as an Intern at the Cultural Resources Library of the National Park Service in Oakland, CA and in 2003, she interned at the Flora Lamson Hewlett Library of the Graduate Theological Union in Berkeley, CA.

Vida Vaughn started at UofL on Feb. 14 as Hospital Librarian. Vaughn received her M.L.I.S. in 2010 from the University of Pittsburgh with an emphasis in health sciences librarianship. As part of her graduate degree program at Pitt, Vaughn was a library intern with the Pinnacle Health System. She also served for eight years as Library Director of the Meyersdale Public Library in Pennsylvania.

Sue Finley became the Business Reference & Teaching Librarian effective April 22, 2011. She previously held a Project Assistant Senior position the UofL Special Collections and served as an intern in Special Collection and in the Reference

Department. Prior to receiving her degree in librarianship, Finley worked in marketing for 20+ years at several national corporations. She received her MSLS from the University in Kentucky and her MBA from the University of Louisville.

Elizabeth Reilly joined the University Libraries in the position of Curator, Photographic Archives on May 9, 2011. Reilly previously held the position of Project Collection Manager, Prints and Photographs at the Chicago History Museum. She also interned at the George Eastman House International Museum of Photography and Film, the Museum of the City of New York and was a Graduate Research Assistant at Ryerson University. Reilly's 2007 MA in Photographic Preservation and Collections Management is from Ryerson University in Toronto, ON.

Recent Publications by University Libraries Faculty

Rachel Howard, Assistant Professor, and **Tyler Goldberg**, Professor, of the University Libraries recently published "Facilitating greater access to ETDs through CONTENTdm." in *OCLC Systems & Services: International Digital Library Perspectives* 27, no. 2 (2011): 113-123.

Emily Symonds, Assistant Professor, recently published the book chapter "From Paper to Pixels: Generation X as Digital Librarian" in Martin K. Wallace, Rebecca Tolley-Stokes, and Erik Sean Estep (Eds.), *Generation X librarian: Essays on leadership, technology, pop culture, social responsibility and professional identity* (11-17). Jefferson, NC: McFarland & Company, Inc.

Recent Presentations by University Libraries Faculty

Dwayne Buttler, Evelyn J. Schneider Endowed Chair for Scholarly Communication, gave a panel presentation on May 24, 2011 at the Aligning National Approaches to Digital Preservation Conference at the National Library of Estonia in Tallinn, Estonia. More information about the program can be found at <http://www.educopia.org/events/ANADP/program>.

Buttler also testified at the U.S. Copyright Office on 2 and 3 June, 2011, as part of public hearings on copyright law and pre-1972 sound recordings, <<http://www.copyright.gov/docs/sound/>>.

On April 20, 2011, Buttler served as an invited speaker at the Eighth Annual Copyright Conference at Ball State University, "Digital Trek 2: The Wrath of @han", <http://cms.bsu.edu/Academics/Libraries/CollectionsAndDept/Copyright/CopyrightConference.aspx>.

Robert K. Detmering, Assistant Professor, University Libraries, presented "Government Gals' Gone Wild: Gender Politics and the Pawnee Library on *Parks and Recreation*" in the Libraries, Archives, Museums, and Popular Research Area at the National Popular Culture and American Culture Conference, San Antonio, TX, April 21, 2011.

Robert E. Fox, Jr., Dean of University Libraries participated in a joint Georgia Tech/Emory University panel presentation, entitled "Mashup or Crashup: Collaborating with Intra and Extra Library Partners to Create a Merged Library Service Desk" at the Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) 15th National Conference in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, during March 2011.

Professors **Terri Holtze** and **Rachel Howard** of the University Libraries in collaboration with Amber Duke of the Braden Institute, presented "History Meets Technology: Using Omeka to Create Online Exhibits," at the 2011 Kentucky Converging Trends Conference (Erlanger, KY, May 25, 2011).

Emily Symonds gave a panel presentation "Content, Context, and Cost Analysis of Digital Collections," at the Kentucky Council on Archives Spring Meeting, in Louisville, KY, on May 20, 2011.

Other Items of Interest

Angel Clemons, Associate Professor, was appointed archivist for SLA's Information Technology Division in January 2011.

Associate Professor **Chad Owen** was appointed to the State Historical Records Advisory Board (SHRAB) which is the central advisory body in the state for historical records planning and for those projects in Kentucky funded by the National Historical Publications and Records Commission (NHPRC).

KDLA Continuing Education Events

For more information, check the website at <http://www.kdla.ky.gov/libsupport/continuinged.htm>

- 07/01/2011 Reaching Reluctant Readers (Online)
- 07/01/2011 Managing Difficult Patrons with Confidence (Online)
- 07/07/2011 Social Networking with Seniors (Online)
- 07/07/2011 The Future of Library Technology: How Trends in Scholarly Communications and Technology are Impacting Academic Libraries (Online)
- 07/07/2011 Five Secrets for Delivering Engaging Online Presentations (Online)
- 07/12/2011 Introduction to Disability Awareness: Providing Services to People with Disabilities (Online)
- 07/12/2011 Your Board and Fundraising (Online)
- 07/12/2011 Ten Tips for Basic Cataloging with Melissa Powell (Online)
- 07/12/2011 Speaking with Sizzle, Substance and Style (Online)
- 07/13/2011 What's Happening with Genre Headings (Online)
- 07/13/2011 Connecting With Your Community via Facebook—They already like you! (Online)
- 07/19/2011 E-rate Form 486 (Online)
- 07/20/2011 How to Identify and Manage Critical Project Risks (Online)
- 07/20/2011 Q & A on State Construction Grants (Online)
- 07/20/2011 Information Cartographer: Social Media Librarians of the Future (Online)
- 07/21/2011 Outreach to Seniors (Online)
- 07/21/2011 Killer Collections: Libraries Beyond Books (Online)
- 07/25/2011 Brain Bandwidth: Reducing Cognitive Load (Online)
- 07/26/2011 Book Group Buzzing (Online)
- 07/26/2011 I Didn't Know the Census Bureau Did That! Finding and Using Data from Lesser Known Censuses and Surveys (Online)
- 07/27/2011 Q & A on State Construction Grants (Online)
- 07/27/2011 Voice of the Customer: Designing Library Services to Meet User Expectations (Online)
- 07/27/2011 Finding a Legal Comfort Zone on the Web (Online)
- 07/27/2011 Howdy Partners! Don't be a Lone Ranger: Building Community Partnerships to Augment Adult Services (Online)
- 07/27/2011 Spotlight! On National Library of Medicine Resources (Neurological Disorders) (Online)
- 08/01/2011 Reaching Teenagers (Online)
- 08/01/2011 Homework Help: "Your Project is Due WHEN?" (Online)
- 08/03/2011 What's Happening with Genre Headings (Online)
- 08/03/2011 Introduction to Web Accessibility: Section 508 Compliance (Online)
- 08/04/2011 Ten Tips for Writing Well with Dixie Darr (Online)
- 08/09/2011 Turning Stress Into Power (Online)
- 08/09/2011 Math, Science & More (Online)
- 08/09/2011 Cuddle Up & Read: Storytimes for Pregnant and Parenting Teens (Online)
- 08/10/2011 Google+ (Online)
- 08/11/2011 SLJ Fall Nonfiction Announcements (Online)
- 08/17/2011 The Focuses Leader (Online)
- 08/17/2011 Puppetry Without Tears (Online)
- 08/17/2011 Grantseeking Basics (Online)
- 08/18/2011 Using Technology for Time Management (Online)
- 08/19/2011 Focus on Library Science Information Resources (Online)
- 08/22/2011 Library Technology (Online)
- 08/22/2011 Developing Enhanced Searching Tools for Your Library Users (Online)
- 08/22/2011 Collection Development (Online)
- 08/22/2011 Mixing in Math: Enhancing Story Times, crafts, displays, and family programs with math (Online)
- 08/23/2011 Twitter 101 (Online)
- 08/23/2011 YA Announcements: Fall 2011 (Online)
- 08/24/2011 Birds Do It, Bees Do It: Sexual Health Resources (Online)
- 08/24/2011 Spotlight! On National Library of Medicine Resources: Anatomy Resources (Online)
- 08/24/2011 Worse than Death? Practical Tips on Public Speaking for Library Personnel (Online)
- 08/30/2011 E-rate BEAR Form (Online)
- 08/31/2011 Tech Talk with Michael Sauers (Online)
- 09/01/2011 Improving Your Communication Skills: Presentation Skills for Librarians (Online)
- 09/01/2011 Online Research Strategies for Librarians (Online)
- 09/06/2011 Staff's Day Out (Boyle County Public Library)
- 09/07/2011 NCompass Live: Every Child Ready to Read @ your Library (Online)
- 09/07/2011 Taking Your Leadership to the Next Level (Online)
- 09/08/2011 Staff's Day Out (Rowan County Public Library)
- 09/08/2011 Video Book Trailers As a Way to Reel in Customers (Online)
- 09/13/2011 Staff's Day Out (Hopkins County-Madisonville Public Library)
- 09/13/2011 RDA (Resource Description and Access) Basics: Foundations and Background (Online)
- 09/13/2011 Mystery Fall Announcements (Online)
- 09/13/2011 Grantseeking Basics (Online)
- 09/13/2011 Ready for Romance? New Novels and Hot Trends (Online)
- 09/13/2011 Libraries in a Post-Print World (Online)
- 09/14/2011 Breezing Along with the RML (Online)
- 09/14/2011 Your Board and Fundraising (Online)
- 09/14/2011 Maximizing the Mobile Opportunity (Online)
- 09/14/2011 Book Repair Basics for Libraries (Online)
- 09/14/2011 Location-Based Social Networks (Online)
- 09/15/2011 E-rate Form 486 (Online)
- 09/15/2011 Proposal Writing Basics (Online)
- 09/15/2011 Stop Managing To Much with Too Little, with Pat Wagner (Online)
- 09/15/2011 Books for Boys (Online)
- 09/19/2011 Proposal Budgeting Basics (Online)



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09/20/2011 Green Acres is the Place to Be: Using Market Segmentation to Know What Your Customers Really Want (Online)	(Online)	(Online)
09/20/2011 Getting Started with Collection Development (Online)	09/26/2011 Putting the Public Back in Public Libraries: Community-Led Libraries (Online)	09/29/2011 You Got the Grant! Now What? (Online)
09/20/2011 Innovation from America's Best Small Libraries 2011 (Online)	09/27/2011 Nuts and Bolts of Social Media (Online)	09/30/2011 You're Hired! Effective Job Hunting Tools (Online)
09/21/2011 Training the New Generation: Teaching through Volunteerism (Online)	09/27/2011 The Scoop on Series Nonfiction: What's New for Fall 2011 (Online)	
09/22/2011 Video on the Web: Making Your Video Content Accessible (Online)	09/27/2011 Connecting Community: Why a Library's Public is an Essential Component to its Survival (Online)	
09/22/2011 SLJ Young Adult Fall Announcements (Online)	09/28/2011 Become an Expert Google Searcher in an Hour (Online)	
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	09/29/2011 Project Compass Workforce Recovery—Session One	

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