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## ACRL Internship Program

The Association of College and Research Libraries, a division of the American Library Association, announces the selection of four interns to participate in the third year of its program for administrators of predominantly black college and university libraries. The three-year program, funded by a grant from the Andrew W. Mellon Foundation, is intended to accelerate the development of the management ability of librarians in black colleges and universities by providing them with experience in the administration of strong and progressive academic libraries.

The third-year interns are: Claude Green, li-

brary director, Elizabeth City State University, Elizabeth City, North Carolina; Reta J. Lacy, catalog librarian, Morris Brown College, Atlanta, Georgia; Alberta J. Mayberry, teacher education librarian, Texas Southern University, Houston; and Brenda D. Sloan, circulation librarian, Virginia State College, Petersburg.

During the period of the nine-month internship, each intern will work closely with the director of a major academic library. The host libraries in the third year of the program are: Austin Peay State University, Emory University, Mt. Holyoke College, and the University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill. The Mellon Foun-

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dation grant provides salaries, benefits, and approved expenses for the intern. The host library provides the training experience. Several workshops for the participants are also planned.

Applications from librarians and host institutions were reviewed by the project's advisory committee, chaired by Virginia Lacy Jones, dean, School of Library Service, Atlanta University. Other members of the committee are: Phyllis B. Cartwright, Miami, Florida; Richard

M. Dougherty, University of California, Berkeley; James F. McCoy, Hudson Valley Community College; Annette L. Phinazee, North Carolina Central University; Katharine M. Stokes, Alexandria, Virginia; and David C. Weber, Stanford University. Casper L. Jordan, university librarian, Atlanta University, serves as project director. Beverly P. Lynch, executive secretary, Association of College and Research Libraries, is principal investigator. ■■

## Eighth Class of CLR Fellows Selected

Sixteen outstanding midcareer librarians have been selected as Council on Library Resources (CLR) fellows for the academic year 1976-77. Each fellow will spend three months or more pursuing a self-developed study project, aimed at improving his or her competence in the substantive, administrative, or technical aspects of librarianship.

The new fellows will examine such diverse topics as the functions of children's rooms in metropolitan libraries, the UNESCO depository system, government documents collections in community college libraries, Japan's library resources on the People's Republic of China, library development programs of state boards of higher education, the open university concept, and the role of locally generated title derivative indexing. Among the fellows, who must be either U.S. or Canadian citizens (or have permanent resident status in either country), is a librarian currently working in Paris.

In addition to the requirement concerning citizenship, to receive an award applicants must be librarians or other professionals working directly with libraries. Their employers must be willing to provide them with a period of continuous leave of not less than three months in which to carry out the proposed program. Although the awards do not cover salary, the council does pay for approved travel, supplies, and services directly related to the proposed program. Approximately 180 librarians have benefited from the fellowship program since it began in 1968.

In order to help with the evaluation of fellowship applications, the council solicits the participation of a number of eminent librarians. First, a screening committee reviews the applications, which numbered thirty-six for the current program, and makes recommendations to the final selection committee. For this year's screening committee, the council drew on the expertise of Mary E. Corning, assistant director for international programs, National Library of Medicine; Charles D. Churchwell, university

librarian, Brown University; F. Kurt Cylke, chief, Division for the Blind and Physically Handicapped, Library of Congress; Augusta Baker, retired coordinator of children's services, New York Public Library; Joan I. Gotwals, associate director of libraries, University of Pennsylvania; and Foster E. Mohrhardt, retired CLR senior program officer.

Final selections were made by the council's Fellowship Committee, chaired by Louis B. Wright, director emeritus of the Folger Shakespeare Library, and composed of CLR board members: Page Ackerman, university librarian, University of California, Los Angeles; William S. Dix, CLR consultant and retired university librarian, Princeton; Robert Vosper, professor of library science, University of California, Los

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