
ACRL seeks volunteers for committees

*The Association needs your help to achieve
its goals and objectives.*

Would you like to volunteer for appointment to an ACRL standing committee or editorial board? Are you interested in being considered for appointment to a section committee? If the answer is yes to any of these questions, here is what you need to do.

ACRL committees

ACRL has 23 standing committees to which appointments may be made:

- Academic Library Statistics Committee;
- Academic or Research Librarian of the Year Award Committee;
- Academic Status Committee;
- Appointments and Nominations Committee;
- ACRL/AECT Joint Committee;
- Audiovisual Committee;
- Budget and Finance Committee;
- Conference Program Planning Committee;
- Constitution and Bylaws Committee;
- Copyright Committee;
- Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship Committee;
- K.G. Saur Award for Best *C&RL* Article;
- Legislation Committee;
- Membership Committee;
- National Conference Committee;
- Planning Committee;
- Professional Association Liaison Committee;
- Professional Education Committee;
- Publications Committee;
- Research Committee;

- Samuel Lazerow Fellowship Committee;
- Standards and Accreditation Committee.

To learn about the areas of responsibility covered by these committees, see the *ALA Handbook of Organization 1989-90*.

When selected vacancies occur on ACRL standing committees, the Appointments and Nominations Committee recommends to the president-elect of ACRL the names of members who might fill the vacancies. The president-elect makes the final appointments. If you are interested in being considered for an appointment to an ACRL committee, you should complete the ACRL Committee Volunteer Form that is included in this issue of *C&RL News* and mail it to Pat Rom, chair of the Appointments and Nominations Committee, before December 15, 1989.

ACRL section officers

ACRL has 15 sections (their names are listed later in this article). You will find a description of their areas of responsibility in the *ALA Handbook of Organization*.

The chair-elect of a section appoints the chair and members of all section committees when scheduled vacancies on these committees occur. If you would like to be considered for appointment as chair or member of a section committee, fill out the ACRL Committee Volunteer Form and mail it to the chair-elect of the appropriate section (see "People to Contact" below) before December 15, 1989.

ACRL COMMITTEE VOLUNTEER FORM

If you are interested in serving on an ACRL standing committee, please complete this form and mail it before December 15, 1989, to:

**Pat Rom, Director of Library Services,
Andrews Library, Wooster, OH 44691.**

If you would like to serve on an ACRL section committee, send this form to the appropriate section vice-chair/chair-elect before the ALA Midwinter Meeting.

You must be a member of the section to be considered for appointment.

NAME, TITLE, INSTITUTIONAL ADDRESS

PREFERRED MAILING ADDRESS

DATE OF APPLICATION _____

NUMBER OF YEARS AS MEMBER OF ALA _____ ACRL _____

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND (List institutions, dates of degrees, and relevant subject areas)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

ALA or ACRL Committee Assignments

State and Regional Committee Assignments

ALA or ACRL Offices Held

State and Regional Offices Held

Publications

Other _____

ACRL COMMITTEE PREFERENCES

RELEVANT BACKGROUND OR EXPERIENCE FOR COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT

Can you regularly attend the ALA Midwinter and Annual Conferences? YES NO

(Members of ACRL committees are expected to attend all meetings. Failure to attend two in a row may constitute grounds for removal.)

Please express your major concerns for strengthening the Association of College and Research Libraries on a separate piece of paper.

- If I can't be appointed a full committee member, I would be willing to serve as an intern.

Editorial boards

ACRL has six editorial boards:

- the *Choice* Editorial Board;
- the *College & Research Libraries* Editorial Board;
- the *College & Research Libraries News* Editorial Board;
- the Non-Serial Publications Editorial Board;
- the *Publications in Librarianship* Editorial Board;
- the *Rare Books & Manuscripts Librarianship* Editorial Board.

When a vacancy occurs on an editorial board, the editor recommends the name of a person to fill the vacancy. The Publications Committee must approve the recommendation, and the president of ACRL makes the appointment.

If you would like to be considered for appointment to an editorial board, contact the editor of the editorial board (see "People to Contact" below).

Remember that at any given time there are only a limited number of vacancies on ACRL's committees, sections, and editorial boards. If at first you don't succeed in obtaining an appointment, try again. Make yourself known to committee chairs by sitting in on meetings, volunteering to help with committee projects, etc. If committee chairs see that you are interested in the work of their committees, they may recommend your name to the appropriate appointing body when a vacancy occurs.

People to contact

Afro-American Studies Librarian Section

Chair: Clarence E. Chisholm, Circulation Librarian, Ohio University, Vernon R. Alden Library, Park Place, Athens, OH 45701-2878.

Anthropology and Sociology Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Cheryl C. Kugler, Head of Monograph Services, Heard Library, Vanderbilt University, 419 21st Ave. South, Nashville, TN 37240-0007.

Art Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Joan D. Kunselman, Head, Fine Arts Libraries, 21534 URL, University of California, Los Angeles, CA 90024-1575.

Asian and African Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Joanne M. Zellers, Area Specialist/African Section, Library of Congress, Washington, DC 20540.

Bibliographic Instruction Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Betsy Wilson, Assistant Director for Undergraduate and Resource Sharing Libraries, Undergraduate Library, 1408 W. Gregory Drive, University of Illinois, Urbana, IL 61801.

College Libraries Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Michael D. Kathman, Director of Libraries, Media and Academic Computing, Alcuin Library, St. John's University, Collegeville, MN 56321.

Community and Junior College Libraries Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Marilyn M. McDonald, Dean of Learning Resources, Foothill College, 12345 El Monte Road, Los Altos Hills, CA 94022.

Education and Behavioral Sciences Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Tara Lynn Fulton, Head of Reference, Cudahy Library, Loyola University of Chicago, 6525 N. Sheridan Road, Chicago, IL 60626.

Law and Political Science Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Marta A. Lange, Head of Reference, North Carolina State University Libraries, Box 7111, Raleigh, NC 27695-7111.

Rare Books and Manuscripts Librarianship

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Daniel H. Traister, Special Collections, University of Pennsylvania Libraries, Van Pelt Library, Philadelphia, PA 19104-6206.

Science and Technology Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Colleen J. Power, Coordinator of Regional Services and Bibliographic Instruction, Meriam Library, California State University, Chico, CA 95929-0295.

Slavic and East European Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Nina Shapiro, Leader, Slavic/Germanic Cataloging Team, Princeton University, Firestone Library, One Washington Road, Princeton, NJ 08540.

Western European Specialists Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Eva Sartori, Bibliographer for Modern Languages, University of Ne-

braska, 217N Love Library, Lincoln, NE 68588-0410.

Women's Studies Section

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Patricia A. Kreitz, Head, General Reference Services, 208 Main Library, University of California, Berkeley, CA 94710.

Editorial Boards

Choice Editor: Patricia Sabosik, *Choice*, 100 Riverview Center, Middletown, CT 06457.

College & Research Libraries Editor: Charles Martell, University Librarian, California State

University, 2000 Jed Smith Drive, Sacramento, CA 95819.

College & Research Libraries News Editor: George M. Eberhart, ACRL/ALA, 50 E. Huron St., Chicago, IL 60611.

Non-Serial Publications Editor: Mary Ellen Davis, ACRL/ALA, 50 E. Huron St., Chicago, IL 60611.

Publications in Librarianship Editor: Jonathan A. Lindsey, Coordinator of Library Affairs, Baylor University, Waco, TX 76798.

Rare Books & Manuscripts Librarianship Editor: Alice D. Schreyer, Head, Special Collections, University of Delaware Library, Newark, DE 19717.



SPICE programs in Nebraska

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Minority high school students in a university setting.

The University of Nebraska at Lincoln (UNL) held its second annual SPICE (Summer Pre-College Instruction and Career Experience) program in June 1989. The week-long program, coordinated by the university's Multi-Cultural Affairs Office, is designed to promote the value of higher education to tenth- and eleventh-grade racial minority students in Nebraska by giving them a sense of what a college education involves. It is also designed to provide information about career opportunities in the various disciplines. This year the libraries joined with eight other colleges, four departments, and two vice-chancellor's offices at UNL to provide programs and workshops for the students. In 1988 students who would be entering the tenth grade attended

the SPICE program. In 1989, these same students were invited along with a new group of tenth graders. The sixty-one students in 1989 were divided into two groups by grade. Each group included an equal mix of racial minorities, as well as an equal number of males and females. These Nebraska students came from a wide variety of backgrounds. Some were from Omaha and Lincoln, while others were from rural areas. They also had different levels of academic achievement and school involvement.

Planning for the program began in February 1989. Campus-wide SPICE meetings were held monthly with the representatives of each college involved in the program. Each college or department could choose to conduct either a three-hour