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CALENDAR

1 October - Library Faculty annual meeting - 9-4 PM, Carnahan House. (See note below)

6 October - Pre-conference Workshop at UK: "Cataloging non-print media" (For further information, see Faith Harders, Director's Office).

7-9 October - KLA meets at Louisville.

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ABOUT THE LIBRARIES

Library access for off-campus students:

The Libraries are currently investigating ways to meet the needs of off-campus students, according to a recent memo from the Director to Steve Langston, Vice-President for Continuing Education. Arrangements have been made to allow students enrolled in off-campus courses (for example, at IBM, or in the master's program offered by the College of Social Professions at Hazard) to have special borrower's privileges. As special liaison to off-campus students, Ed O'Hara will be responsible for developing a program to respond to their needs.

About that stampede through King Library:

Instructional Services is about to begin the fall tours for the Freshman English classes. This year there are 100 sections of English 101 (2700 students) who will be taking the General Orientation Tours of the King Library starting October 4.

Beginning September 27, 550 students in English 102 are slated for our Instructional Tours, which include explanation of sources ranging from Reader's Guide and Encyclopaedia Britannica through Bibliographic Index.

Business English (English 203) is becoming more and more popular, and starting November 3, 750 of these students will take the Business English Tours. These tours combine orientation to the building and an explanation of various business-related reference tools.

So, approximately 4000 students will be shattering that traditional peace and quiet of the corridors and stacks of King Library in the next two months. Offers to help conduct any of the above tours will be gratefully received by the Instructional Services staff (phone 257-1025).

DATA SERVICES--On-line Newspaper Indexes:

This past week two new services were added in the Reference Department. With the installation of another computer terminal, direct access was established to the Courier-Journal and Louisville Times Index and to The Information Bank of the New York Times Company. The latter includes not only materials from the New York Times but also from about 60 other journals and newspapers such as Business Week, Los Angeles Times, The Wall Street Journal and The Washington Post.

Trudi Bellardo invites all curious staff members to visit Data Services (in its new location, Room 201A) during the coming week while we have some "free" computer time to experiment with and demonstrate these computerized newspaper indexes.

Courses-by-newspaper:

"Oceans: Our Continuing Frontier," the latest offering of the Courses by Newspaper program, is currently being published in 250 U.S. newspapers. The sixteen week "Oceans" series began the week of September 5, under the sponsorship of the National Endowment for the Humanities. Topics to be discussed in the articles include the oceans' impact on art and literature; their valuable resources and importance to international order; their allure as a place to work and play; and the new knowledge of earth's history derived from their study. Newspapers carrying the course and available in the Newspaper/Microtext Department include: State Journal (Frankfort), News-Enterprise (Elizabethtown Ky.), Kentucky Enquirer (Cincinnati), and several prominent national newspapers. More information on the source is available in N/M.

Library Faculty annual meeting:

The program for the October 1 meeting at Carnahan House is as follows:

- 9:00- 9:30 - Coffee and Donuts
- 9:30-10:30 - Miscellaneous Announcements and Discussions
 - Role of Library Faculty, Library plans 1976-77, Director's reaction to MRAP Report.
- 10:30-11:00 - Break
- 11:00-12:00 - Continuation of Morning Discussions
- 12:00- 1:30 - Lunch
- 1:30- 2:15 - Discussion Group Meetings

<u>Topic</u>	<u>Room</u>
Transactional Analysis	Board Room (2nd fl.)
Space in King	Sun Room (2nd fl.)
Public Services (T.Frye)	Blue Room (2nd fl.)
Role of Library in Non-print (G.Webb, K.Sandvik)	Meeting Room

- 2:15- 2:30 - Summary of Discussion Groups
- 2:30- 3:00 - Break
- 3:00- 3:45 - Discussion Group Meetings

<u>Topic</u>	<u>Room</u>
Copyright	Meeting Room
Women in Management	Sun Room
Future of Card Catalog	Board Room
Staff Rotation	Blue Room
Role of Library in Non-print (J.Sackett)	Game Room

- 3:45- 4:00 - Summary of Discussion Groups

MONEY FOR LIBRARIANS

Mini-Grants for Instructional Improvement are available in amounts up to \$200 from the Office of Undergraduate Studies, 321 Office Tower. Any project intended to improve the undergraduate teaching-learning process is eligible. National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Stipends are available to university faculty for two months of study or research in an area that enable them to "enlarge their competence." Deadline 18 October; details from the Director's Office. Other deadlines: 1 Oct.: CLR's Advanced Study Program for Librarians 15 Oct.: American Council of Learned Societies' Travel Grant to International Congresses and Conferences; 22 Oct.: CLR's Academic Library Management Intern Program.

PERSONNEL

Job opening: Tech IV (Circulation - Med. Center). For information call Sara Leech at 3-5496.

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Assistant Head, Serials Department. Indiana University Libraries, Bloomington, Indiana. Application deadline Nov. 1, 1976. Available immediately. Salary: Up to \$13,750.

Special Collections Cataloger. Syracuse University Libraries. Application deadline Nov. 1, 1976. Available Jan. 1, 1977. Salary: \$11,265+.

ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES MOVING

As of 29 September Administrative Services will have a new look and a new location. The new location will be on the 3d floor of King North between Bindery and Collection Development. The new look will include new faces and expanded functions. Liz Pogue will become Eva Cooper's replacement within the Accounting Section. Eva has dropped to student status, but will continue to work with payroll in the Director's Office. Bob Turner will become Projects Coordinator for the Library. Bill Short, a student, will be handling fines and copy service money. There will also be an Administrative Secretary to provide typing assistance for the Library system. If you have typing projects and need assistance contact John Gray.

GRAPHIC SIGN MEETING

There will be a meeting at 3:00 Monday afternoon, September 27 to discuss ideas for completing the King Library Graphic Signs Project. Anyone with either interest or an idea is welcome to attend.