

\* **SPECIAL NOTE:** IUL News will not go out next week. The next issue to be distributed will be on January 11, 1999.

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### 1. Staff News

Effective December 11, Doug Barley has resigned from his position in Library Administration.

Effective December 28 Garry Harrison has accepted the Conservation Assistant position in Preservation. Besides bookbinding experience, Garry's varied background includes work as a carpenter, violin-maker, and certified disaster restoration technician.

### 2. Preservation Consultant To Visit IUB Libraries

Preservation Consultant to Visit IUB Libraries in January 1999

With the advent of major institutional changes, including renovation and ALF planning as well as the inauguration of the digital library, it is an auspicious time to re-examine the role and functions of our Preservation Department in the context of the Indiana University Bloomington Libraries' mission and goals. To this end, the IUB Libraries have invited Paul Conway, Head of the Preservation Department at Yale University, to conduct an on-site evaluation of the preservation and conservation operations in both the Main Library and Lilly Library, January 11-13, 1999.

Paul was selected after consultation with the Council on Library & Information Resources (CLIR) and other national experts, also with the endorsement of both Lorraine Olley and Lisa Browar. However, he is no stranger to Indiana University, having received his BA in History here in 1975, before moving on to the University of Michigan where he completed an MA in History (and the administration of archives) in 1980 and his PhD in Information and Library Studies in 1991. Paul is a recognized expert on a wide array of preservation issues in the digital environment and serves frequently as a lecturer and instructor.

If you would like additional information about Paul's consultation, please contact Martha Brogan, Director of Collection Development & University Bibliographer (855-3406; [mbrogan@indiana.edu](mailto:mbrogan@indiana.edu)). We are in the process of arranging his appointment schedule now. He is expected to submit a final report to the IUB Libraries by the end of January 1999.

Martha Brogan  
Director of Collection Development & University Bibliographer

### 3. Jenkins Award --- Reminder

Nominations for the Jenkins Award are due in Libraries Human Resources on February 1, 1999. This award is presented annually to current or former IU librarians in recognition of outstanding contributions to the IU Libraries or to the library profession. For a copy of the nomination form or for more information about the award, consult the Library Faculty Handbook or contact Betty Andis ([bandis@indiana.edu](mailto:bandis@indiana.edu)) in Libraries Human Resources.

### 4. Weekly Calendar

Bi-Weekly Payday  
Wednesday, December 23

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