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Staff News

It is with regret that I announce the resignation of Steven Sowell, Head of Social Sciences and the Business/SPEA IC. Effective July 1, Steven will be leaving Indiana University to become the Head of the Collections and Resource Sharing Department for the Oregon State University Libraries in Corvallis, OR. In this position, he will manage the collections budget and supervise four of the library's units: Collection Development, Acquisitions, Interlibrary Loan, and Access Services (Circulation and Collection Maintenance).

Steven has a rich history working for the Libraries. In 1981, he started in his first position with the IU Bloomington Libraries as the head of what was then the Biology Library and during this time, he served as Chair of the Sciences Libraries. In 1995, he became Head of the Education Library. During this appointment, which ended in 2004, he also acted as the Interim Administrative Head of the Music Library, the Interim Associate Dean and Director of Technical Services, Coordinator of the Humanities & Social Sciences Libraries, and the Coordinator for the Campus Libraries. For several years between 1988 and 2005, he was also an adjunct assistant professor for SLIS. In 2004, Steven left the Libraries to become the Associate Director & Chief of Staff for Habitat for Humanity of Monroe County. In 2007, he returned to the Libraries as Head of the Business/SPEA Library. Steven has made many significant contributions through his leadership and service over the years. His most recent significant accomplishment was his role in the transformation of the Business/SPEA Library to an Information Commons. He has been a wonderful colleague and supervisor throughout his years at IU and he will be greatly missed.

Please join me in congratulating Steven on his new position and thanking him for a job well done here at IU.

Arrangements for handling the Head of Social Sciences and the Business/SPEA IC responsibilities will be announced at a later date.

Submitted by: *Diane Dallis, Associate Dean, Library Academic Services, IUB*

Library News and Events

Last Chance: IU Archives Exhibit Closing Soon

The Indiana University Archives is host to the exhibit: Borkenstein and His Monster: The Man Behind the Breathalyzer.

Over the course of his life, Professor Robert F. Borkenstein (1912-2002) rose from a full career in the police ranks to become an Indiana University professor, administrator, and highly respected leader in forensic science and traffic safety. Borkenstein's most celebrated single achievement was his groundbreaking invention of the Breathalyzer in 1954.

The Robert F. Borkenstein Papers at the IU Archives contain a rich record of Borkenstein's many professional and personal endeavors. Highlights from this collection, including the original Breathalyzer prototype, several successive models, photographs, and evidence of Borkenstein's extensive influence, are featured on display through May 2011.

All are encourage to visit the exhibit in the IU Archives reception area (room E460) at the Herman B Wells Library at IU in Bloomington. It was curated by Amy Jankowski.

Submitted by: *Carrie Schwier, Assistant Archivist, IU Office of University Archives and Records Management, IUB*

CALA Conference

CALA Midwest Chapter 2011 Annual Conference:

Emerging Trends in Libraries

Date: May 21st, 2011 Saturday

Location: Indiana University Southeast Library

This year, the conference has a line-up of trendy presentations, from projects to case studies, from knowledge management to information access, from supporting faculty and students to discussion on social media marketing.

Check out the program at http://www.midwest.cala-web.org/annual_program/annual_program2011/progra...

Can't make the conference? You can still join the virtual conference by filling out the virtual conference registration form. It's free!

Prizes! We have several drawings throughout the program; prizes include gift cards from iTunes, Starbucks, Marathon and more!

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions. We look forward to seeing you on May 21 at the beautiful Indiana University Southeast campus!

Submitted by: *Hong Cheng, Instruction/Reference Librarian, IU Southeast*

Annual InULA Business Meeting

Are you an expert on authors of the classics? Perhaps you are secretly a card shark... Want a chance to show off your skills to friends and colleagues?

You're in luck! It's almost time for the annual InULA Business Meeting, and this year's theme is Authors, the card game. Not only will you have an opportunity to catch up on all the latest InULA news, but you will also have the opportunity to win your very own game of Authors!

Date: May 26, 2011

Time: 3:00-5:00 pm

Location: Herman B Wells Library, E174

Can't make it to Bloomington? No worries! Join us by conference call:

Phone Number: (812) 856-3600

Host PIN: 667770#

Participant PIN: 559790#

If you are planning on joining us by phone, please RSVP at ccwray@indiana.edu.

Submitted by: *Christina Wray, Librarian, Center for Disability Information and Referral Indiana Institute on Disability and Community, IUB*

2011 Librarians' Day

Theme: The IU Libraries: A Framework of Excellence

Date: June 10, 2011

Location: IUPUI University Library

Registration is now open for Librarians' Day 2011.

Advanced registration for Librarians' Day is required and must be received by May 31st. Please contact Lora Baldwin [mccllell@iue.edu] with the below information in order to register. Registration costs will be covered by IU Libraries.

Provide the following information as it should appear on your nametag:

Name

Library

Institution

Box lunches will be provided for this year's event, and will include a sandwich, potato chips, cookie, whole fruit and a drink. Please select one of the following sandwich options:

_____ Smoked Ham and Baby Swiss on Deli Style Hoagie

_____ Shaved Turkey and Provolone on Cracked Wheat Kaiser

_____ Slow Roasted Beef and Cheddar on Corn Dusted Kaiser

_____ Grilled Chicken Salad on Buttered Croissant

_____ Marinated Garden Vegetable on Grilled Pita Bread

We look forward to seeing you at Librarians' Day!

Submitted by: *The IULFC Librarians' Day Committee, Lora Baldwin, Lori Duggan, Chair, Willie Miller, Janet Seymour,*

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