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### Staff News

Effective July 25, Mary Graham accepted the position of Library Conservation Technician for the Special Collections Unit of the E. Lingle Craig Preservation Laboratory. Mary was an Assistant Conservator for the preservation laboratory and received her MLS with a Special Collections Specialization in 2006.

Submitted by: *Jennifer Chaffin, Human Resources & Staff Development Coordinator, IUB.*

### Appointed Visiting Librarian of African Studies

Effective August 1, 2007, Kate Schroeder will be the Visiting Librarian for African Studies at IU-B Libraries. This is a half-time, 10-month appointment, replacing Marion Frank-Wilson who is on sabbatical.

Kate holds a Master of Library Science (2004) and a Master of Arts (2000) in African History from Indiana University, as well as a Bachelor of Arts (1998) in History, International Economics, and International Studies from Hastings College in Nebraska. She is currently working on her PhD dissertation on "Civilizing the Family: Race, Citizenship and Gender in German Southwest-Africa, 1840-1915" for which she conducted extensive research in Namibia (southern Africa) during 2005 and 2006. Kate speaks Afrikaans, German, and Zulu (a South African language) and has bibliographic knowledge of French and Portuguese.

Prior to accepting this position, Kate was the Senior Collections/Reference Assistant in the Wells Library's African Studies Collection. Before that, she worked as a Reference Assistant at the RC Reference Desk, and as an Intern/Reference Assistant in GIMSS.

Kate also has an impressive record of publications and conference presentations. Most notably, she is the editor of "African History" in RCL: Resources for College Libraries, 3rd ed. (Choice, 2006).

Her background in African History and Library Science, as well as her teaching experience, language skills, and previous positions in the Wells Library make Kate an exceptionally well qualified candidate for this position. Please join me in welcoming her to the Libraries!

Submitted by: *Moira Smith, Head of SALC, IUB.*

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