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### **Staff News**

Congratulations to Kate Moore, Serials Procurement Coordinator, who received a student grant from the North American Serials Interest Group (NASIG).

*Submitted by: Lynda Clendenning, Head, Acquisitions Division, IUB*

### **Library News and Events**

#### **IU Adopts New Eldercare Benefit**

The Indiana University Eldercare Plan can assist employees who are in a caregiver role for an aging parent or other loved one. It is available to all of the university's full-time employees.

Taking care of parents is an increasingly stressful responsibility that not only affects our faculty and staff personally but also costs the University in absenteeism and increased healthcare expenses due to the stress it places on employees. As more employees balance work demands with raising a family and taking care of their aging parents, many of whom live thousands of miles away, this benefit will help faculty and staff, while also containing healthcare cost increases and other university expenses.

Details: <http://www.indiana.edu/~uhrs/benefits/eldercare.html>

Article: <http://newsinfo.iu.edu/news/page/normal/10333.html>

*Submitted by: Jennifer Chaffin, Director of Human Resources, IUB*

### **2009 Reference Retreat**

Mark your calendars for the 2009 Reference Retreat, which will be held in the Wells House, Friday, May 29, 8:30a-12:30p. There will be a variety of speakers and discussions on trends, practices, and technology regarding reference services. There will also be a hands-on workshop after lunch on EndNote Web. More details to come.

*Submitted by: Brian Winterman, Head, Geography and Map Library and Life Sciences/Chemistry Librarian, IUB*

### **New Archives Exhibit**

“From Seminary Square to Spanker’s Branch and Beyond: Campus Landscape Design at Indiana University”

Referred to often as one of the university’s greatest treasures, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt said the following in the introduction to his 1918 Commencement Address: “I want to say at the outset that I don’t think I have ever been at a more beautiful university commencement than this. I shall always keep in mind this scene here in the open by the

University buildings, a university which, in what we are apt to think of as a new nation, is approaching its centenary, here under these great trees, these maples and beeches, that have survived over from the primeval forest...it is a sight I shall never forget; it will always be with me..." While the campus as we know it today looks quite different from what it did in 1918, much of the natural beauty of the campus landscape has been retained over the decades through the ever evolving collaborative effort of numerous creative minds. The vision began in October 1883, when the campus Building Committee walked the grounds of the new campus to select the site for the first classroom building, and in the following decades included the plans of designers such as George E. Kessler of Kansas City, the Olmsted Brothers firm of Brookline, Massachusetts, and others. Most recently, in February 2009 the Board of Trustees approved a 20-year development plan for the university submitted by SmithGroup/JJR based out of Washington D.C. Drawn from the collections of the Indiana University Archives, this exhibit includes architectural plans, correspondence and photographs.

*Submitted by: Carrie Schwier, Assistant Archivist, IUB*

### **Next Digital Library Brown Bag**

Greetings! Please join us this coming Wednesday, April 8th for a digital library brown bag presentation by Mark Notess. The presentation will be held at the Herman B Wells Library, room E174, 12:00p-1:00p.

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Finding Again: A Survey of Web Rediscovery Behavior Mark Notess, Development Manager and Usability Specialist, Digital Library Program

How widespread is social bookmarking? Or do people just google to find something they've found before? In November/December 2008 we conducted a survey of re-finding behavior in the IU community. This talk presents the results of the survey, highlighting differences between students and other groups of users. Technology use

surveyed went beyond bookmarking to include personalization of OneStart or SecondLife and subscription to listservs and RSS feeds. These findings should be of interest to anyone creating websites in the IU community.

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Presentation slides and audio will be available via the Connect Meeting Service (formerly known as "Breeze"). Go to to view and listen to the presentation. If you are not a registered user for Connect Meeting/Breeze, select the "Enter as a Guest" option.

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The Digital Library Brown Bag series is held most Wednesdays this Fall semester. All presentations are in the Herman B Wells Library, room E174, from 12:00-1:00 pm unless otherwise noted. The complete schedule, including abstracts, is available on the Digital Library Program web site: .

To receive a reminder and an abstract of each presentation, send an email to [listserv@indiana.edu](mailto:listserv@indiana.edu) with the message body:

sub dl-brownbag-I Your Full Name

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*Submitted by: Michelle Dalmau, Digital Projects & Usability Librarian, IUB*

### **InULA Book Sale Call for Donations & Volunteers**

The InULA Book Sale is a major fund-raising event for the Indiana University Librarians Association to provide scholarships for SLIS students as well as grants for research and professional development for librarians. This year's sale will be held at the Herman B Wells Library, room E174, April 18 and 19.

Saturday, April 18

9:00a - 12:00p Preview Sale (Admission fee charged; order of entry by lottery)

1:00 - 5:00p (Free admission)

Sunday, April 19

11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Free admission & marked-down prices

- \* All books half-price from 11:00 to 2:30 Sunday
- \* All books \$2/bag from 3:00 to 5:00 Sunday
- \* Closed between 2:30 and 3:00 p.m.

Most Items \$1.00 - \$4.00 (Cash or Checks accepted)

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To donate, please contact David Frasier, [frasier@indiana.edu](mailto:frasier@indiana.edu), (812)-855-1630.

Donations accepted through: Friday, April 10

*Submitted by: Eric Snajdr, Assistant Librarian, IUPUI University Library*

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This is a call for volunteers to work during the InULA Book Sale. We need YOUR help with sorting, setting up for the sale, selling books, and cleaning up.

If you have an hour or two to volunteer, please contact Sherri Michaels (<mailto:shmichae@indiana.edu>) Please include your name, hours you can work, email address, and phone number.

Volunteers may select a couple of the regularly priced books at no cost in return for their work. Please note that volunteers for sorting and sale set-up will NOT be allowed purchase entrance to the preview sale.

Volunteers are needed for the following days and times:

Friday, April 10, 2009 – Sorting

3:30-6 pm

Help sort the donated books into the broad categories for the sale.  
Meet on the 11th floor of Wells East Tower.

Friday, April 17, 2009 -- Setup

12pm to ? (probably 4 or 5pm)

Help bring carts down from the eleventh floor storage area,  
remove the books from boxes, and arrange them by subject  
on tables in room E174.

Saturday, April 18, 2009 -- Book Sale

8:30 am to 5:00 pm

Help with sales in a variety of ways: door security during  
the preview sale, conducting the lottery, organization of books for major  
buyers, tidying up throughout the day, and collecting money from buyers.

Sunday, April 19, 2009 -- Book Sale

10:30 am to 5:00 pm

Help with collecting money from buyers and tidying up  
throughout the day.

Monday, April 20, 2009 -- Clean-up

9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Help with packing unsold books in boxes and taking them to  
the loading dock area; sweeping the floor.

THANK YOU for volunteering - our success depends entirely on YOU!

*Submitted by: Sherri Michaels, Intellectual Property Librarian, IUB*

### **David Lewis to speak at InULA Spring Event**

The InULA Program & Social Committee would like to invite you to join us for our Spring Program at the Herman B Wells Library, room E174, April 29, 3:00p. In announcing the appointment of David W. Lewis as IU Assistant Vice president for Digital Scholarly Communications, it was noted that “As assistant vice president, Lewis will engage in extensive dialogue with IU’s faculty and research scholars, librarians, faculty council committees, the IU Press, UITS, and other research universities. Thus InULA has invited Lewis to come speak with librarians about digital scholarly communications. Light refreshments will be served. The program will be broadcast on Breeze: go to <http://breeze.iu.edu/inulaspring2009/> to connect.

*Submitted by: Lou Malcomb, Head, Government Information, Microforms and Kent Cooper Periodicals & Head, Geology Library, IUB*

### **Deadline for Research Incentive Grants Extended**

The next deadline for the Research Incentive Grants has been extended to April 15, 2009 (the deadline was originally April 1). So there is still time to apply! To do so, go to [www.indiana.edu/~inula](http://www.indiana.edu/~inula) and click on the link for ‘Grants & Scholarship Opportunities’, then click on the link for the ‘Application Form for the Research Incentive Fund’.

Submitted by: Keith Cochran, Music Collection Development Librarian /Associate Director, IUB

Indiana Online Users Group (IOLUG) Spring 2009 Program

Registration is now open for the IOLUG Spring 2009 Program: Next-Generation Catalogs: New Worlds to Explore

Join your IOLUG colleagues for a day of programming centered on "Next-Generation Catalogs." Learn about the next-gen catalog movement and features of these new interfaces, from user reviews and images to more intuitive searching. Through keynotes and other sessions hear from librarians who have managed these solutions hands-on—their successes and challenges, as well as attempts to meet user needs and expectations using this new set of tools.

Eric Lease Morgan (University of Notre Dame), noted library trend-watcher and next-gen catalog expert, will be the keynote speaker. Other sessions include procurement and management of next-generation catalogs, an introduction to WorldCat Local, an open source ILS update, and lightning presentations and demos of eighteen different software solutions! In the closing keynote, Sean Robinson (Allen County Public Library) will focus on the user experience of next-gen catalogs and touch on ACPL's use of LibraryThing in their system. Come to IOLUG Spring '09 and explore these new worlds!

When: May 15, 2009

Where: Indiana Wesleyan University Indianapolis Education Center, North

Registration: \$30 for current IOLUG members or \$50 for non-members. This includes breaks, lunch, and speakers' handouts. For a complete schedule, directions, and to register online visit: <http://www.iolug.org/2009spring.php>

*Submitted by: IOLUG Program Committee*

### **2009 IU Circle of Life Mini Marathon**

The IU Circle of Life Mini Marathon and 5K races are set for April 4, 2009. These 13.1 mile and 5K races raise funds for scholarships for cancer survivors. Pre-race ceremonies will start at 7:30 am in the IU Athletics complex parking lot at 17th St. and Fee Lane. The Mini Marathon starts at 8am and the 5K at 8:10 am.



Race Participants can register, pick up packets, and visit an expo in the Harry Gladstein Fieldhouse from 4p.m. to 8 p.m. on April 3rd and from 6:15 a.m. to 7:45 a.m. on April 4th. Check out [www.iumini.com](http://www.iumini.com) to register or for more information.

*Submitted by: Health, Wellness, and Ergonomics Group, IUB*