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## **Staff News**

The American Library Association (ALA) has announced that Latrice Booker, Coordinator of Instruction and Reference Librarian in the Indiana University Northwest Library, has been accepted into the ALA Emerging Leaders 2009 program. Latrice joined the IU Northwest Library in January 2008; previously she had served as a Technical Services Librarian at Murray State University in Murray, KY.

Submitted by: *Tim Sutherland, Director of Library Services, IU Northwest Library*

Megan Watson has accepted the Reference/Technical Associate position in the Wells Library Reference Department, effective 10/20/08. Megan is a current SLIS student and has reference experience gained from the University of Washington in Tacoma.

Kate Moore has been promoted within Technical Services to Serials Procurement Specialist, effective 10/13/08. Previously Kate held the position as Serials Control Coordinator.

Submitted by: *Susie Trisler, Library Human Resources*

SALC is delighted to announce the appointment of Catherine Minter as Librarian for Germanic Studies, French and Italian, Classical Studies, Comparative Literature, and Linguistics, beginning January 12, 2009. Dr. Minter is currently an assistant librarian at the Modern and Medieval languages Library at the University of Cambridge, England, and prior to that she was a library assistant at the Warburg Institute at the University of London. She holds a PhD in German from the University of Oxford and an Mac in Information and Library Science from Aberystwyth. Dr. Minter is the author of a book, *The Mind-Body Problem in German Literature 1770-1830* (Oxford University Press, 2002), and co-editor of an edition of Karl Gutzkow's *Boerne's Leben* (Oktober Verlag, 2004).

Please join us in welcoming Catherine to the IU Libraries!

Submitted by: *Moira Smith, Librarian for Anthropology, Folklore, Sociology, & Social Work*

## **Library News and Events**

### **BFC Minutes Web Site Launch**

The Digital Library Program and the Office of University Archives and Records Management are proud to announce the launch of the Bloomington Faculty Council Minutes web site! Responsible for faculty governance on the Bloomington campus, the BFC records are a rich source of information for campus decisions and it is now possible to fully search over 10 years of minutes and circulars. The project is ongoing and additional documents will be added to the site regularly. Bookmark and use it often: [www.dlib.indiana.edu/collections/bfc](http://www.dlib.indiana.edu/collections/bfc).

Submitted by: *Carrie Schwier, Assistant Archivist*

### **Digital Library Brown Bag Presentation: Digital Video Scholarship**

Greetings! Please join us this coming Wednesday, October 29th for a digital library brown bag presentation by Will Cowan. The presentation will be held at the Herman B Wells Library, room E174, from 12:00-1:00. Please note that we will also provide remote access to the presentation (see details below).

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Digital Video Scholarship: Issues collecting and using Field Work Video Will Cowan Digital Library Program/Institute for Digital Arts and Humanities

The primary examples will be video collected in the Ethnographic Video for Instruction and Analysis Digital Archive project but I won't really focus on technical issues. I plan to discuss issues about these videos involving Intellectual Property, the rights of the groups being filmed, what does "public access" mean and do we really want it for video used for scholarship, revealing "raw" data versus a finished product, the scholarly process of working with and presenting video vs. more traditional methods of scholarship, what does video on the internet mean for traditional pedagogy and is there even such a thing as video scholarship involving field video or other video shot by the scholar and can we arrive at a consensus about the value of such an endeavor. These issues have all been discussed as part of the EVIADA project at one time or another and the project team has attempted to solve some of them. I plan to share some of those solutions as well as pose some questions we don't have answers for yet.

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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

Submitted by: *Michelle Dalmau, Digital Projects and Usability Librarian*

**2009 William Evans Jenkins Award Nominations**

Former Jenkins Award winners agree – It's great to get recognition from your colleagues. Put another outstanding BLF colleague's name in the hat for the 2009 William Evans Jenkins Award. Send your "intention to nominate" message to Betty Davis ([betdavis@indiana.edu](mailto:betdavis@indiana.edu)) by November 30, 2008.

Timetable:

November 30, 2008: Intent to nominate due

February 1, 2009: Jenkins Award nomination form due

March 1, 2009: Supporting letters due (minimum of three)

On the Intranet:

The Jenkins Award nomination form: <http://www.libraries.iub.edu/intranet/data/form/Jenkins%20Nomination%20F...>

The Jenkins award documentation: <http://www.libraries.iub.edu/intranet/data/policy/Jenkins%20Award.doc>

Past Jenkins Award recipients: <http://elmo.libraries.iub.edu/intranet/materials.php?mt=paper&Id=2394>

Submitted by: *Jennifer Chaffin, Jenkins Award Committee Ex-Officio*

### **Countdown to ILF's 2008 Annual Conference**

Libraries Without Walls: Always Here, Virtually There

When: Nov. 18-20

Where: Indianapolis IN, Indiana Convention Center, 100 South Capitol Ave.

How to Register: online at [www.ilfonline.org](http://www.ilfonline.org) and receive the advance registration discounted rate if register before Oct. 31st.

Lodging: Receive ILF hotel rates at the Westin Indianapolis until Oct. 20th.

We all have to make fiscally sound decisions in these difficult economic times. I can't think of a better way to spend my and my library's time and money than to attend the Indiana Library Federation's annual conference. Where else can you obtain high quality, educational programming at the cost of less than \$1.00/session?

The two-day, action-packed conference fee of \$110 (advance registration rate until the end of October) includes over 150 programs addressing issues for all types of librarians and trustees - academic, public, school, and corporate and network. Looking closely at the programs they are fairly evenly divided between topics of interest to academic, corporate/network, public, and school librarians with a lot of overlapping content for all groups. This fee also includes time to interact with an exhibit hall full of vendors with the latest in services, equipment, and products. For librarians in public libraries these programs include the added benefit of qualifying for LEU credits now required by the state. Best of all, it provides the immeasurable opportunity to network with colleagues across the entire spectrum of libraries and library experiences. You can see the preliminary program

at: <http://www.ilfonline.org/Assets/Indiana+Library+Federation+Digital+Asset...>

Submitted by: *Cheryl B. Truesdell, Dean, Walter E. Helmke Library IUPUI*

### **One Book One Bloomington**

One Book One Bloomington voting is currently underway. You can vote at either the IC reference desk or the East tower circulation desk. Voting will take place through November 15. The chosen book will be announced at the Martin Luther King Day celebration.

One Book One Bloomington and Beyond is a project of the Bloomington Area Arts Council, City of Bloomington Parks and Recreation Department, Monroe County Public Library, and Monroe County Community School Corporation.

Here is a link to the nominated books: [http://www.monroe.lib.in.us/fiction/obob\\_vote.html](http://www.monroe.lib.in.us/fiction/obob_vote.html)

Submitted by: *Susan Yoon, Executive Director of Development*

### **GIS Day 2008**

GIS Day is November 19 this year. Mark your calendar to stop by the various booths and exhibits between 10:00a and 3:00p, but also try to attend the keynote address by Jim Sparks, Indiana State Geographic Information Officer, from 12:00 to 1:00 in Wells Library E174. Jim Sparks has spent most of his career working with geospatial

information. His experience has come through positions as construction surveyor, cartographer, parcel mapper and consultant, and in capacities as technician, supervisor, team leader, project manager, and director. Of note among the 40-plus significant GIS projects that Jim has led is the 200,000 person-hour IMAGIS (Indianapolis Mapping and Geographic Infrastructure System) data conversion project, which was completed between July 1987 and July 1989.

For more information see the GIS DAY at Indiana University website: <http://www.indiana.edu/~gis/gisday/index.htm>

Steven Swartz, our rep for SimplyMap will be at the Libraries table during GIS Day to demo SimplyMap (<http://www.libraries.iub.edu/scripts/countResources.php?resourceId=3677490> ). I have asked him also to give a SimplyMap demo in Wells Library E174 at 1:30 which I encourage reference staff to attend.

Submitted by: *Lou Malcomb and Brian Winterman (Libraries representatives on the GIS Day Campus Committee)*

### **Enjoy the Fall Foliage with Hiking Sponsored by InULA**

The InULA Program & Social Committee would like to invite you and a guest to join us for a hike this October.

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The hike will occur in Brown County State Park (Hiking Trail #6) on Saturday, October 25, starting at 10:00am. We'll meet at the parking lot near the Strahl Lake shelter (Shelter G on the map)

Trail #6:

Info: <http://www.browncountystatepark.com/trails.html>

Map: [http://www.browncountystatepark.net/imagesbrown\\_County\\_State\\_Park\\_overvi...](http://www.browncountystatepark.net/imagesbrown_County_State_Park_overvi...)

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What better time to go hiking in Indiana than when Autumn is in full bloom in October? InULA will provide snacks and water for all hikers who join us. We recommend arriving slightly earlier than 10am so that we can gather everyone together and begin each hike on time at 10am. The Pioneer Mother's Trail is 1 mile long but will be a 2-mile round trip hike to return to our starting point. Hiking Trail #6 in Brown County State Park goes around Strahl Lake and is about 1.75 miles. Please wear appropriate clothing for the weather and be aware that the trails could be muddy if the

ground is wet. Both trails should be relatively easy-going (no steep inclines or declines from what we can tell) so the scenery will be what takes your breath away!

Please RSVP to Julie Hardesty ([jlhardes@indiana.edu](mailto:jlhardes@indiana.edu)) if you plan to attend either or both hikes and if you plan to bring a guest.

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This is our fourth monthly event for InULA, although we are combining 2 events into one month to cover our lack of scheduling an event in September (that whole "beginning of school" thing is really an InULA Outing

Disruptor!). :) We have one more event to schedule in November before our Annual December Luncheon so watch for those upcoming events and we'll see you in the Great Outdoors in October!

Submitted by: *Julie L. Hardesty, Usability & Interface Specialist, Digital Library Program*