1991 Graduates

Placement of the 5 graduates of the law librarianship program was tougher this year, but here's how it worked out:

- Mort Brinchmann: Reference Librarian, King County Law Library (temporary)
- Ingrid Holmlund: Special Projects (Collection Assessment Project), Gallagher Law Library (temporary)
- D.R. Jones: Reference Librarian, Lewis & Clark Law School
- Rob Jones: Reference Librarian, USC
- Laurie Miller: Librarian, Snohomish County Law Library

Amy Wong, who had a son in the summer of 1991, will complete her fieldwork and the Law Library Administration class in order to graduate in the summer of 1992. Congratulations to each of them!

NEW LAW LIBRARIANSHIP STUDENTS

The largest class ever has hit the Seattle beaches! A record 21 applied for the program this year. My staff and I welcome:

- Carroll Blend, Deputy County Attorney, JD U. Montana
  1973
  Justice of the Peace
  Cascade County
  Great Falls, Montana

- Leslie Campbell, Littler, Mendelson, JD U. Cal.
  Berkeley 1984
  (attorney)
  Dept. Labor, San Francisco
  (attorney)
Barbara Fritschel 1980 USAF, Judge Advocate JD U. Wisconsin
Law Campus Minister
Kris Gilliland 1991 Waller, Lansden JD U. Alabama
(summer assoc.)
Research Assistant (law professor)
Linda Kawaguchi 1990 Idaho Supreme Court JD U. Idaho
(law clerk)
Elliott Ohannes Pierce County Law Library JD UPS 1990
(Westlaw Operator) Pastor
Kara Phillips Washington 1991 Ciarncross, Ragen JD U.
(legal intern)
V.P. UW Graduate and
Professional Student Senate
Ellen Platt 1991 U. Oregon Law Library JD U. Oregon
(student asst.)
Jessica VanBuren U. Oregon Law Library JD U. Oregon
1989 (student asst.)
Heidi Weston U. Michigan Law Library. JD U. Michigan
1990 (student asst.)
Gallagher Law Library (research asst.)

NEWS OF GRADUATES

This is the news that's come to us one way or another (pardon any omissions!):

Pat Kehoe has been nominated for VP/President-elect of AALL. Also on the slate is Kay Todd with Paul Hastings in Atlanta.

Edgar Bodenheimer, professor emeritus at UC Davis, died May 30th at the age of 83. Edgar graduated with Betty Wilkins in 1940 from the law librarianship program and, as far as I can tell, never practiced librarianship. He taught at U. of California at Davis in the areas of
jurisprudence and his book, *Jurisprudence: The Philosophy and Method of the Law* is a widely used. A more complete obituary can be found in the *King Hall Counselor*, v. 17, no. 2, p. 3 (Fall 1991).

Rita Dermody has accepted a new position as Director of Bibliographic and Collection Management at the Dallas/Fort Worth School of Law Library.

Delsie Stayner opened the new U.S. Courts Library in Las Vegas in Sept. 1990. If you're ever down and out in L.V., she promised to buy you a cup of coffee!

Tim Kearley spent 9 weeks this summer as a Visiting Professor at Queensland U. of Technology Faculty of Law. At L.S.U., NOTIS is going in and an upgrade of facilities underway.

Al Coco "former 'Cajun' Law Librarian repeats--QUIT the law library profession and go into teaching (sic) (retirement)! Twice the pay--half the work. (Make that 1/3 the work)!!! You deserve it. You've PUNISHED YOUR BODY AND MIND ENOUGH! Regards to all of you."

Yongman Zhang has passed the Georgia Bar exam and is helping to establish a court ordered law library in a Georgia prison.

Ted Mahr has left law librarianship to snorkel in the Northern Marianas--and work as an Assistant Attorney General.

James Murray sends his best regards from the East Bonner County Library in Sandpoint, Idaho. He reports that public librarianship is similar but different from law librarianship!

Barbara Arnett has accepted a new position at Lewis & Clark as a Reference Librarian.

**University of Washington GSLIS**

Dr. Margaret Chisholm has agreed to continue as Director of GSLIS until the committee finds a replacement. This summer the Search Committee concluded it had seen very poor candidates and made no recommendations. A new committee has not yet been appointed.
The MLL and the Law Librarianship Certificate

I'm still puzzling over the variety of responses I got to my request for information/opinions about the special certificate and regular library (non-JD) students who take the law librarianship courses. I intended to make a recommendation of some sort to the new Director of the Library School—which we don't have yet. Dr. Chisholm is very open-minded, and I may yet get a plan to her. So far, I'm still not sure what I think is the right thing to do. Stay tuned . . .

Class of 1993

Lots of inquiries about law librarianship already—and I have the first 3 completed files to review! What's the largest number we can handle in the program?? If most of the students this year ask for the $1,000 loan, I will have very little money for the 1993 class. If you appreciated this loan when you were in school and currently have some extra money burning a hole in your pocket, contributions will be graciously accepted. The check should be made payable to the U. of Washington for the Law Librarianship Loan Fund and sent directly to me. THANK YOU!

GALLAGHER LAW LIBRARY NEWS

We survived the last year! A real accomplishment for us all! The staff has been wonderful in keeping everything under control and moving along. My thanks to them for their wonderful support and encouragement last year—and for all "my work" they handled! What a team!!

Marjan Wazeka resigned in June to accept the directorship of the Cedar Mill Community Library in Oregon. She is reportedly very happy being the boss (even if we were very sad to see her go)!

I am delighted that Richard Jost, formerly at the U. of Colorado Law Library (thank you, Barbara!) will join the Gallagher staff January 6, 1991. He has accepted our position as Assistant Librarian for Technical Services and will manage cataloging and serials. Under his leadership we hope to install INNOVACQ sometime in the near future, beginning with Serials. We all look forward to his arrival!

Because of a 2.5% budget cut mandated this month, we are glad that we have been reviewing our collection development policies. Mary Hotchkiss is working on this special project for us with the help of recent graduate, Ingrid Holmlund. We will have a more up-to-date policy framework for making acquisitions decisions now and in the future.
REUNION IN SAN FRANCISCO

I have tentatively scheduled our reunion gathering for July 19, 1991 (Sunday) 4:30-6pm before the Opening Reception. Tuesday is too late in the week to get together, and Monday has many conflicts. Can we try prior to the opening reception? Due to the cost of hotel food and beverages, I may include drinks only for a minimal cost to you. The law library has been picking up the difference, and I have limited funds for this purpose. I hate asking you to pay since there is so much "free," but I can keep the charge smaller if I eliminate food. Any comments or thoughts are, as always, appreciated.

Have Wonderful & Warm Holidays!