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## ACRL Seeks Volunteers for Offices and Committees

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Would you like to run for an ACRL office or volunteer for appointment to an ACRL standing committee? Are you interested in seeking office in an ACRL section or being considered for appointment to a section or being considered for appointment to a section committee? If the answer is yes to any of these questions, here is how you proceed.

### ACRL PRESIDENT

The ACRL Appointments and Nominations Committee will nominate candidates for the office of ACRL vice-president/president-elect at the January 1983 Midwinter meeting of ALA. The election for this office will be held in the spring of 1983. The winner of the election will serve as vice-president/president-elect during 1984-85 and as president of ACRL during 1985-86. If you wish to be considered for nomination to this office or if you would like to submit names for consideration, contact the chair of the Appointments and Nominations Committee, Mary Sue Ferrell, 1011 West King St., Carson City, NV 89701.

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### ACRL COMMITTEES

ACRL has fifteen standing committees to which appointments may be made: Academic or Research Librarian of the Year Award Committee, Academic Status Committee, Appointments and Nominations Committee, Audiovisual Committee, Budget and Finance Committee, Conference Program Planning Committee, Constitution and Bylaws Committee, Continuing Education Committee, Legislation Committee, Membership Committee, National Conference Committee, Planning Committee, Publications Committee, Standards and Accreditation Committee, and Supplemental Funds Committee. To learn about the areas of responsibility covered by these committees, see the *ALA Handbook of Organization 1982-83*.

When scheduled vacancies occur on ACRL standing committees, the Appointments and Nominations Committee recommends to the president-elect of ACRL the names of members who might fill the vacancies. The president-elect makes the final appointments. If you are interested in being considered for appointment to an ACRL committee, you should complete the ACRL Committee Volunteer Form that is included in this issue of

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ACRL SECTION OFFICES

ACRL has thirteen sections (their names are listed later in this article). You will find a description of their areas of responsibility in the *ALA Handbook of Organization*. Each section has an executive committee and a nominating committee. The nominating committee nominates persons to run for the elective offices of the section. The major offices of a section are the chair and vice-chair/chair-elect. Some sections also elect secretaries and members-at-large to the section executive committee. If you would like to run for the office of vice-chair/chair-elect of a section or for secretary or member-at-large, contact the chair or a member of the appropriate section nominating committee (see "People to Contact," below), before January 1, 1983.

ACRL SECTION COMMITTEES

The committees of ACRL sections offer a variety of opportunities for service to the division. The Community and Junior College Section alone has ten committees. For a complete listing of ACRL section committees, see the *ALA Handbook of Organization*.

The chair-elect of a section appoints the chair and members of all section committees when scheduled vacancies on these committees occur. If you would like to be considered for appointment as chair or member of a section committee, fill out the ACRL Committee Volunteer Form and mail it to the chair-elect of the appropriate section (see "People to Contact," below), before January 1, 1983.

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If you would like to be considered for appointment to an editorial board, contact the editor of the publication (see "People to Contact," below).

Remember that at any given time there are only a limited number of vacancies on ACRL's committees, sections, and boards. If at once you don't succeed in obtaining an appointment, try again. Make yourself known to committee chairs by sitting in on meetings, volunteering to help with committee projects, etc. If committee chairs see that you are

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interested in the work of their committees, they may recommend your name to the appropriate appointing body when a vacancy occurs.

#### PEOPLE TO CONTACT

##### *Anthropology and Sociology Section*

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Patricia W. Silvernail, 4890 Donald Street, Eugene, OR 97405.

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##### *Education and Behavioral Sciences Section*

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##### *Law and Political Science Section*

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Nominating Committee: To be appointed.

##### *Rare Books and Manuscripts Section*

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Stephen Ferguson, Department of Rare Books and Special Collections, Princeton University Library, Princeton, NJ 08544.

Nominating Committee: Chair, Kenneth E. Carpenter, Harvard University Library, Wadsworth House, Cambridge, MA 02138.

##### *Science and Technology Section*

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Jan Kennedy-Olsen, Main Library, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY 14853.

Nominating Committee: To be appointed.

##### *Slavic and East European Section*

Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: G. Koolemans Beynen, 460 East Norwich, Apt. C, Columbus, OH 43201.

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##### *University Libraries Section*

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Nominating Committee: Chair, Murray S. Martin, University Librarian, Tufts University, Medford, MA 02155; Joan I. Gotwals, Deputy Director of Libraries, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA 19104; Carolyn A. Kacena, Library, California State University, 800 N. State College Blvd., Fullerton, CA 92634.

Note: Add Sec. 4.6 requirements for Committee Service to this section

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If you would like to serve on an ACRL section committee, send this form to the appropriate section vice-chair/chair-elect before the ALA Midwinter Meeting.

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NUMBER OF YEARS AS MEMBER OF ALA \_\_\_\_\_ ACRL \_\_\_\_\_

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND (List institutions, dates of degrees, and relevant subject areas)  
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#### PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

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#### ACRL COMMITTEE PREFERENCES

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#### RELEVANT BACKGROUND OR EXPERIENCE FOR COMMITTEE ASSIGNMENT

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## International Exchange of Librarians and the Ohio University Internship Program

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### INTRODUCTION

"International exchange of librarians" is often interpreted as those bilateral arrangements between institutions to exchange librarians on a short-term basis. The details of such arrangements vary from agreement to agreement and, as a rule, are expected to work out to the mutual advantage of both institutions and of the individuals. But, practically speaking, not all exchanges are bilateral nor on a one-to-one basis. Some may begin as unilateral and later become bilateral as a result of the relationships established while others may lead to multilateral or other asymmetrical relationships. No matter the form, it is likely that exchanges will require considerable negotiation, patience, and time to finalize a multitude of details. This paper will illustrate the above points by discussing some of the exchange opportunities available for American librarians and then by focusing on the library internship programs offered by the Ohio University Libraries.

### OPPORTUNITIES FOR AMERICAN LIBRARIANS

Many of the exchange arrangements among American librarians and their foreign counterparts result from personal contacts. While this means that those individuals with international connections are most likely to develop further contacts, those wishing to join the international library community are not excluded. One of the media for initial contacts which has been little utilized is the ad-

vertisement section of professional journals.<sup>1</sup> This year, in response to an ad in *College & Research Libraries News*, April 1981, p. 108, placed by a French librarian, a colleague is arranging to switch jobs with his French counterpart. The realization of such exchanges requires not only the willingness of both individuals to agree to a mutually satisfactory arrangement but also the strong yet flexible support of their respective library and institutional administrations. This latter is essential as not all exchanges are perfectly matched in terms of specific positions held or the qualifications of each individual; therefore, special administrative actions may be required to make an exchange possible.

In addition to personal contacts, a variety of other approaches may also prove fruitful.

The Fulbright Exchange Program and the Peace Corps, for examples, are two of the best known programs administered by the U.S. government. The Fulbright Program offers opportunities for teaching or research in professional fields, including library science, in many parts of the world--both developed and less developed. The Peace Corps, which lists library science as a programming emphasis is suitable for both young and experienced librarians interested in library service in less developed countries. Opportunities for Peace Corps Volunteers with library background or expertise include teaching, consulting, and service. Although monetarily the Peace Corps may not be the most attractive, the experience itself can be both challenging and rewarding. Two of my colleagues on a field trip to Southeast Asia last year reported encountering Peace Corps Volunteers working in libraries and teaching in library science programs. For such positions the Peace Corps offers a standard of living comparable to locally em-

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<sup>1</sup>Also potentially valuable are the exchange notices sometimes carried in the *IFLA Journal*.