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Schurz Library Celebrates 10-year Anniversary

Please join us for a year-long celebration of libraries, books, and information. Beginning in September, a variety of events will educate and inform around the theme, "IUSB Schurz Library: Treasuring the Past, Exploring the Future." The fall semester begins with a discussion by Kenneth Crews, IUPUI Assistant Professor of Law and Assistant Professor, IU School of Library and Information Science entitled, "Your Teaching, Your Research, and the Meaning of Copyright and Fair Use." This event is scheduled for September 11, from 9:30 a.m. - noon in the Alumni room.

On October 15, 7:00 p.m. in NS113, Paul Gehl from the Newberry Library in Chicago will present "How did Michelangelo Learn to Read and Write? School Books of the Renaissance." A reception follows. To complement the lecture, Karen Ackoff, Assistant Professor of Fine Arts, will coordinate a display in the Schurz Library Lobby entitled, "Handmade Books - Past to Present." She will also give demonstrations of gilding technique on October 23 at 11:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. in the Schurz Lobby.

John Perry Barlow, co-founder of the Electronic Frontier Foundation and a respected voice in the electronic community, will speak about the Internet and society at a public lecture in IUSB's Main Auditorium on Sunday, April 11, 1999. This event coincides with National Library Week, April 11-19, 1999.

A complete calendar of events is enclosed.

Staff News

Ellen Maher has joined the library faculty as Associate Librarian and Head of Collection Development. We welcome Ellen's broad experience and knowledge. You may reach Ellen at 237-6500 or emaher@iusb.edu.

Linda Fisher is on sabbatical leave beginning August 1st. She will be returning to the Library as Head of Government Publications in January. Her phone number is 237-4805. Beth Schuck continues as Visiting Assistant Librarian and Acting Head of Government Publications for the fall semester.

Laura Lyles has been appointed Visiting Reference Librarian for the fall semester. Laura holds her MLS degree from Indiana University, and was previously employed at the Michigan City Public Library. Laura may be reached at 237-4410, or llyles@iusb.edu.



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<http://www.iusb.edu/~libg>

LIBRARY ELECTRONIC SERVICES: RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AND COMING ATTRACTIONS

Change and progress are the order of the day for the library's electronic collections and services. The library recently received additional funds to provide better and more convenient access to the wealth of information available over the Internet and other electronic media. See the newly revised library home page (<http://www.iusb.edu/~libg>) for more information about improvements and new databases. Recent developments and additions to the collections include:

EBSCOhost's Newspaper Source Database adds Full-text Articles

Newspaper Source, part of the EBSCOhost group of databases offered to the IUSB community and Indiana residents through the state's Project INSPIRE, now offers access to selected full-text articles from over 100 regional U.S. newspapers including such stellar publications as the Chicago Tribune. Several international newspapers are also included. These additions build upon the core database covering nationally prominent newspapers: full-text coverage of the Christian Science Monitor and abstracts/indexing for USA Today, the New York Times and the Wall Street Journal. Access to the EBSCOhost databases and Newspaper Source requires an IUSB network connection (users of commercial internet services such as America Online will not be able to automatically connect). Once logged into EBSCOhost, select Newspaper Source from the database menu. Click on the "Browse Newspapers" button at the top of the search page to view a list of papers included in the database.

In-depth Company Information from Hoover's Online Now Available

Through a new subscription supported by the library, IUSB network users can now get premium, in-depth company information from the respected Hoover's Online web site. Point your browser to <http://www.hoovers.com>

and click on the "Members Enter Here" button on the homepage for a list of services. They include:

- ◆ Search Hoover's Company Profiles. Search for in-depth reports on more than 3,000 companies.
- ◆ Hoover's Custom Search. Search by location, industry, sales, and/or company type.
- ◆ Search Historical Financial Reports. Search historical financials for thousands of public companies.
- ◆ Search Industry Lists. Search for lists of companies in major industries.

Search the WorldCat Bibliographic Database on the Web

Through a new IU Libraries subscription, IUSB network users can now search a web version of WorldCat, the national bibliographic database with tens of millions of records for books, periodicals, audiovisual materials, etc. held in libraries throughout the country. See the library's News page (<http://www.iusb.edu/~libg/news.html#worldcat>) for more information about this valuable database and a link to the web search page.

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Search "Books in Print" on the Web

After a short period of "trial and error," the Books in Print database has found a permanent home on the web for IU network users. See the library homepage for more information and a link, or go directly to the search engine at:

<http://erlsvr2.lib.indiana.edu/cgi-bin/bip.cgi> to find information on books currently available from U.S. publishers.

Coming Soon to a Network Near You!

New databases and services that will premiere in Fall, 1998:

- ◆ JSTOR, a web-based archive of scholarly journals (go to <http://www.jstor.org> and click on "Demo" for a preview of this service).
- ◆ Web access to PsychINFO, the comprehensive database for psychology literature. (PsychINFO will join the EBSCOhost database collection; see the library's online services page at <http://www.iusb.edu/~libg/online.html#ebSCO> for more information about EBSCOhost).
- ◆ ProQuest Direct Newsstand, providing access to full text articles from newspapers including the South Bend Tribune.

"The purpose of the Library is to bring together human beings and recorded knowledge in as fruitful a relationship as is humanly possible."
- Jesse Shera.

Reserves Revamped

Two changes in Library Reserves should improve efficiency.

Copyright permissions

On a trial basis, we have subscribed to the Copyright Clearance Center's Electronic Reporting Service (CCC's ERS) which enables us to request copyright permission for electronic reserve items via the web. For a nominal fee, CCC's ERS then contacts the publishers directly. This process adds legitimacy, saves staff time, and speeds up the permission-seeking process considerably. At this time, the process applies only to electronic reserve items, and print items will follow standard procedures.

Reserve Automates

All reserve items will soon be circulated on the library's automated system rather than being charged out manually. The summer project is nearing completion, with all items being entered into the NOTIS system and physically barcoded. Library patrons will present their library card and library staff will charge the item to their account. Please see Sheila Willis, Head of Reserves, 237-4377, if you have questions or concerns about either of these changes.

Did you know?

There were one million articles on chemistry written between 1907-1937. Today, one million articles are written in 1.7 years.

Schurz Library gains \$52,000

The Library has received \$52,000 from the IU Quality Improvement fund to expand its “virtual library.” The funds, which have been added to our base budget, will allow us expand our electronic offerings, including a subscription to JSTOR, an online service of backfiles of scholarly journals. Other new additions are discussed in the Electronic Services article in this newsletter. We hope that these expanded services will especially assist our students and faculty who connect to our resources from remote locations.

Yes, we’re still buying books

As you may recall, the Library received \$10,000 in extra monies last spring to buy modern literature. Some recent additions to the collection include:

American Pastoral by Philip Roth
The God of Small Things by Arundhati Roy
Reading in the Dark by Seamus Deane
Underworld by Don DeLillo

\$39,000 in funds were earmarked for library materials that were chosen as “Outstanding Academic Books” by CHOICE, the journal devoted to comparative reviews of academic books. These books are also arriving daily. Check the New Book Room on the first floor to see what’s available.

We Don’t Do Windows

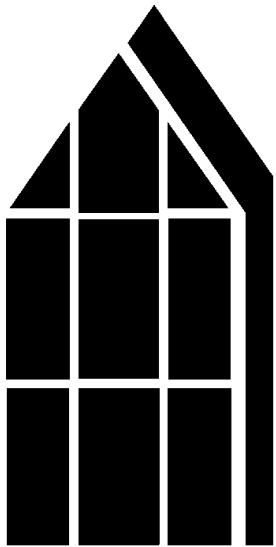
Schurz Library employees dressed down on Friday, August 14th to spruce up the building for the upcoming year’s celebration. Teams of librarians, professional and biweekly staff and student assistants dusted shelves, rearranged furniture, cleaned tables and carrels and repotted plants. We also made lists of minor repairs and major cleaning to be completed. We hope you notice the difference.

Internet Addresses of Interest

PubList.com, the Internet Directory of Publications, at <http://www.publist.com>, is the most comprehensive directory of information about more than 150,000 publications and more than 8,000 newspapers around the world. Its data comes from authoritative sources such as *Ulrich’s International Periodical Directory* and *Editor and Publisher International Yearbook*, and the database can be searched by subject, title, publisher or ISSN (International Standard Serial Number) number.

The **Green Web of Knowledge**, sponsored by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Great Lakes National Program Office, provides the public with information about the environment. Various section on the site include: Home and Garden, Community, and the Webs of Life section, which informs visitors about the Great Lakes ecosystem and relevant environmental dangers such as ozone depletion and wetlands preservation. The Librarian’s Links section guides the user to other EPA resources on the Internet. Available at:
<http://www.epa.gov/glnpo/ala/index.html>.

If you don’t have time to sleep, at least you can learn about it. At the **Basics of Sleep Behavior** site, at: <http://bisleep.medsch.ucla.edu/sleepsyllabus/>. This online textbook of sleep behavior comes from the Brain Information Service at UCLA. The textbook is part of the comprehensive and award-winning **Sleep Home Pages**, at: <http://bisleep.medsch.ucla.edu/>, which include a variety of resources for students and practitioners alike.



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Calendar of Events

September 11, 1998, 9:30 - 12:00 p.m., IUSB's Alumni room. Kenneth Crews, IUPUI will present "*Your Teaching, Your Research, and the Meaning of Copyright and Fair Use.*"

September 15 - October 15, Schurz Library 5th floor, Art Display, The works of *Rodolfo Zarate Guzman*, in observance of Hispanic Heritage Month.

September 19, 1998 - IUSB Fest. Fun events, an information booth, used book sale and giveaways. Mini-University presentation: "*Internet Investigators: How to Tell Truth From Fiction*"

Month of October, Schurz Library lobby, Display, "*Handmade Books - Past to Present.*" Karen Ackoff, Assistant Professor of Fine Arts.

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October 23, 1998, 11:00 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., Schurz Library Lobby, Demonstration: "*Gilding for Manuscript Pages (or How to Prepare for any Crisis you might meet in the 12th Century)*", Karen Ackoff, Assistant Professor of Fine Arts.

November 17, 1998, 7:00 p.m., Schurz Library 5th floor, "*Explorations and Destinations: A Celebration of Libraries and Publishing at Indiana University*", - IU Press/Schurz Library/IUSB joint event. Reception following.

Fall Finals week - coffee for IUSB students in the Library.

FALL

SPRING

January - Public lecture on Government Information, the Government Printing Office and electronic information. Speaker, date and time TBA.

February 25, 1999, 1:00 - 4:00 p.m., *“Going about Your Business - Using Government Information on the Internet”*, Schurz Library Instruction room (L009). Beth Schuck, Visiting Assistant Librarian.

April 11, 1999, 7:00 p.m.,

John Perry Barlow

kicks off National Library Week (April 11-19, 1999) in IUSB's Main auditorium.

Mr. Barlow is co-founder of the Electronic Frontier Foundation and a respected voice in the electronic community. He will speak about the Internet and Society, followed by a question & answer session.

April 13-14, 1999, Used Book Sale, Friends of the Library

Spring Finals week - coffee for IUSB students in the Library.

SUMMER

June 4, 1999, 1:00 - 3:00pm Panel presentation, *“Navigating toward the New Millennium - Libraries in Transition”*, Northside 158. Reception following.

Panel moderator:

John N. Berry III, Editor-in-Chief of *Library Journal*

Panel members:

Suzanne E. Thorin, Indiana University, University Dean of University Libraries

Jennifer Younger, University of Notre Dame, Director of University Libraries

Thomas G. Kirk, Earlham College, College Librarian

“Stories for a Summer Day - Schurz Library Short Story Series”

May 20 and 27; June 3, 10, 17, 24; July 8, 15; Noon to 1:00 p.m. Short story readings by members of the academic community in the 3rd floor conference room, L301. Stories and readers TBA. Brown-bag.

Summer 1999 - Learning Resource Center and Schurz Library open-house for area teachers. ERIC demonstrations, hands-on practice. Date and time TBA.

All events are free and open to the public. For more information, please contact the Library administrative offices at 237-4449 or Nancy Colborn at 237-4321.

