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CALENDAR

- April 24 Kentucky SOLINET User's Group, 1:00, Gallery
- April 25 The Library and the Handicapped, Gallery, 2:30 pm.
- April 26 AAUP, Alumni House
- April 26-27 Library Book Sale, Student Center Patio, 9:00 - 3:00
- May 21 Medical Library Association Continuing Education Course, UK Med. Center
- June 1 Locating Census Data in Printed Reports

EXHIBITS: Nuclear Power Plants. Engineering Library. King North Lobby Continues.

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ABOUT THE LIBRARIES

The Library and the Handicapped

The Staff Development Committee will sponsor a program on the handicapped and the Library on Wednesday April 25 at 2:30 pm in the Gallery. Jake Karnes of Handicapped Services will lead the discussion. Handicapped students and faculty will be the discussants.

Library of Congress

If you missed the BBC film on the Library of Congress, April 10, you can view it on videotape in the AIDS/Instructional Services Room of King Library. Allow 90 minutes for viewing it.

SPEC Kits

The Reference Department has received a new SPEC Kit, no. 52, entitled "Cost Studies and Fiscal Planning." The SPEC Kits are published by the Systems and Procedures Exchange Center of the Association of Research Libraries; they are available at the Reference Desk.

And How Does Your Garden Grow?

The Government Printing Office estimates that one inch of filing space contains 56 diazo microfiche in individual fiche envelopes, with a weight of 8.5 ounces. One inch of horizontal filing space contains 43 fiche envelopes with 83 microfiche packed two per envelope, with a weight of 11.5 ounces.

Kentucky SOLINET Users' Group

An organizational meeting of the Kentucky SOLINET Users' Group will be held on Tuesday, April 24 at 1:00pm in the Gallery. Jane Starnes SOLINET Asst. Training Coordinators, will be guest speaker. All interested persons are encouraged to come.

Open Employee Meetings

University Administration has asked the Employee Benefits Committee to hold open meetings on three committee recommendations that have been forwarded for consideration. These meetings are being scheduled expressly for the purpose of obtaining employee input on these three recommendations before any final action is taken. The meetings are scheduled for Tuesday, April 24th as follows: 1:30pm - Student Center Auditorium; 7:00pm - Seay Auditorium. The committee's recommendations to be discussed in both meetings are Option for Early Retirement, Retirement Age for Employees, and Deferred Retirement Benefit.

Library Faculty Nominating Committee Report

At the next meeting of the Library Faculty May 18, members will be asked to select a representative to fill the unexpired term of Susan Csaky on the Administrative Committee. Before they do so, they will be asked to decide whether the one selected will serve merely the summer months or the following year since this one is almost completed. The Committee wishes to propose the following persons listed alphabetically: Larry Greenwood, Gail Kennedy, Jane White. Nominations may be made from the floor but only if the one nominated agreed to serve. The Committee is composed of Judy Sackett, Harry Gilbert, and Bess Clotfelter.

CONTINUING EDUCATION

Time Management

A summer in Time Management for Library/Media Personnel is offered in response to indicated needs. This is one in a series of continuing education workshops and seminars being developed under the aegis of its Community and Junior College Roundtable of the Kentucky Library Association. Other sponsors of this study are the University of Kentucky Community College System and the Lexington Technical Institute Office of Continuing Education. For further information, contact Wendell Lee Hisle at LTI.

Library Management/Marketing

This course, sponsored by the Medical Center Library, is designed to enable librarians to understand how "Selling" concepts applied to the operation of a library will increase its effectiveness. For further information, contact Janet Stith at the Medical Center Library, UK, 40536. Application by May 7.

Locating Census Data in Printed Reports

The purpose of the workshop is to provide basic information on Census Bureau programs, products and services and to promote a better understanding of Census Bureau statistics. Persons who have had little or no experience using Census Bureau data, or those who use the statistics only for specific needs will be served. For further information, contact Rebekah Harleston, or Nancy Little, College of Library Science, UK. Application deadline May 1. All programs carry CEU's.

COMMENCEMENT

The University Senate Council is urging everyone to be on hand for this year's Commencement, Saturday, May 12. As faculty members, we have the privilege, as well as the duty, to be a part of the academic procession, to show that we have had a part in the intellectual and professional maturity of these young people. As invaluable supporting members of the University community, we can show our pride in them and in our role by attending the Commencement exercises.

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Pompeii...What Was It Like to Live There? Mason Hammond explores the city, its mores, its people Wednesday May 2. The occasion is the annual meeting of the Harvard-Radcliffe Club of Kentucky. See Mr. Willis for information about guest invitations.

NUCLEAR POWER PLANTS

The Engineering Library has prepared an exhibit of Nuclear Power Plants. Books and other materials from around the library system are the basis for the display. Maps giving locations of plants around the world show the source of the approximately 10% - 15% of the world's electric energy.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

Associate University Librarian, University of Arizona. Salary \$28,000+. No deadline given.

Reference and Library Instruction Librarian, University at Albany. Salary \$11,200 - \$17,000. Application deadline, April 30.

Head, Current Periodicals and Microtext Division, Stanford University. Salary \$13,200 - \$16,000 (1978-79 range) Application deadline May 15.

Head Librarian, Mont Alto Campus, Pennsylvania State University. Salary, \$13,296+. Application deadline May 18.

Assistant to the Director for Systems and Automation, University of Houston. Salary \$1,250/month+. Application deadline, June 1.

Slavic Bibliographer, Syracuse University. Salary \$13,004+. Application deadline June 4.

Principal Cataloger and Assistant to the Head of the Catalog Division, University of Minnesota. Salary \$18,000. Application deadline June 11.

Assistant Director of Libraries for Technical Services, University of South Carolina. Salary, negotiable; Application deadline April 30.

Reference Librarian, Health Science Library, University of Washington. Salary, \$13,440 - \$15,012. Application deadline, June 23.

For further information, see Faith Harders.