
ACRL meetings in San Antonio

A tentative schedule for ALA's Midwinter Meeting, January 7-14.

ACRL BOARD OF DIRECTORS

- First meeting:** Sunday, January 10, 2:00-5:30 p.m.
Second meeting: Tuesday, January 12, 2:00-5:30 p.m.
Orientation breakfast: Saturday, January 9, 8:00-9:00 a.m.
Joint meeting with Budget & Finance Committee: Saturday, January 9, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Leadership development luncheon and meeting: Friday, January 8, 12:30-5:30 p.m.; by invitation only, at Trinity University, Holt Continuing Education Center, 106 Oakmont.

ACRL DIVISIONAL COMMITTEES

- Academic or Research Librarian of the Year Award:** Monday, January 11, 2:00-5:30 p.m.*
Academic Library Statistics: Saturday, January 9, 8:00-9:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; Wednesday, January 13, 9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon.
Academic Status: Sunday, January 10, 9:00-11:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 9:00-11:00 a.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 9:00-11:00 a.m.
ACRL/AECT Joint Committee: Friday, January 8, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Appointments and Nominations: Saturday, January 9, 8:30-11:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 8:00-9:00 a.m.*
Audiovisual: Sunday, January 10, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Awards Task Force: Monday, January 11, 9:00-11:00 a.m.
Books for College Libraries, 3d ed., Advisory: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Budget and Finance: Saturday, January 9,

2:00-4:00 p.m.; Sunday, January 10, 8:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 8:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989: Tuesday, January 12, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Constitution and Bylaws: Saturday, January 9, 8:00-10:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 8:00-10:00 a.m.

Continuing Education Courses Advisory: Sunday, January 10, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Copyright: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Doctoral Dissertation Fellowship: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.*

Fundraising Task Force: Sunday, January 10, 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Legislation: Sunday, January 10, 9:30-11:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Librarians as Instructors Task Force: Sunday, January 10, 8:00-9:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 8:00-9:00 a.m.

Libraries and Computer Centers Task Force: Saturday, January 9, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Library Access Task Force: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Membership: Monday, January 11, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

National Conference Executive: Saturday, January 9, 12:30-2:00 p.m.

Performance Measures: Saturday, January 9, 9:30-11:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Planning: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-5:30 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 2:00-5:30 p.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Professional Association Liaison: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.; Monday, January 11,

*Denotes a closed meeting.

2:00-4:00 p.m.

Professional Education: Monday, January 11, 8:30-11:00 a.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Publications: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Research: Sunday, January 10, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Samuel Lazerow Fellowship: Monday, January 11, 9:00-11:00 a.m.*

Standards and Accreditation: Saturday, January 9, 9:00-11:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Standards and Accreditation—Open Discussion: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

ACRL CHAPTERS COUNCIL

Business and orientation: Sunday, January 10, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Information Exchange: Saturday, January 9, 7:30-8:30 p.m.

Presidential Candidates Forum and Reception: Saturday, January 9, 8:30-10:00 p.m.

Strategic Planning: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

ACRL DISCUSSION GROUPS

Australian Studies: Saturday, January 9, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Black Studies Librarianship: Saturday, January 9, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; Sunday, January 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Canadian Studies: Saturday, January 9, 8:00-10:00 p.m.

English and American Literature: Monday, January 11, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

English and American Literature—RLG/NCIP Supplemental Guidelines: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Extended Campus Library Services: Monday, January 11, 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Fee-Based Information Service Centers in Academic Libraries: Sunday, January 10, 9:30-11:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Heads of Readers/Public Services: Saturday, January 9, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Home Economics/Human Ecology Librarians: Sunday, January 10, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

The ACRL Suite

ACRL groups wishing to meet informally may sign up for a suite at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in San Antonio reserved by ACRL for such occasions. The ACRL Suite will be available from 3:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 9, through noon on Tuesday, January 12. To reserve a time slot, call Cathleen Bourdon at ACRL Headquarters, (312) 944-6780, or sign up at the ACRL desk in the ALA Office Area at the Midwinter Meeting.

Librarians of Library Science Collections: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Microcomputer Services and Academic Libraries: Sunday, January 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Personnel Administrators and Staff Development Officers: Friday, January 8, 2:00-5:30 p.m.; Saturday, January 9, 9:30-11:00 a.m.; Sunday, January 10, 9:30-11:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Public Relations in Academic Libraries: Sunday, January 10, 2:00-5:30 p.m.

Research: Monday, January 11, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Undergraduate Librarians: Monday, January 11, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

ACRL EDITORIAL BOARDS

Choice: Sunday, January 10, 9:30-11:00 a.m.

College & Research Libraries: Sunday, January 10, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

College & Research Libraries News: Sunday, January 10, 8:00-9:00 a.m.

Publications in Librarianship: Monday, January 11, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Rare Books & Manuscripts Librarianship: Saturday, January 9, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

ACRL SECTIONS

Activity Sections Council

Meeting: Monday, January 11, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

Section Officers/Executive Committee Luncheon: Monday, January 11, 12:30-2:00 p.m.

Anthropology and Sociology Section

Executive: Saturday, January 9, 9:00-11:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Bibliography: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.; Sunday, January 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989: Sunday, January 10, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

Nominating: Saturday, January 9, 4:30-5:30 p.m.*

Art Section

Executive: Saturday, January 9, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Membership: Sunday, January 10, 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Remotely of interest?

A discussion forum, "Remote Online Users: Issues and Trends," sponsored by the BIS Chapters Concerns Committee, will be held at the ALA Midwinter Meeting on Tuesday, January 12, 9:30-11:00 a.m. Librarians experienced with the instruction of remote users of online catalogs and databases will be present to engage in the discussion and answer questions.

Conference Program Planning—New Orleans, 1988: Saturday, January 9, 9:30–11:00 a.m.

Asian and African Section

Executive: Sunday, January 10, 9:30–11:00 a.m.

Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Bibliographic Instruction Section

Executive: Friday, January 8, 4:30–5:30 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 8:00–9:00 a.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; Wednesday, January 13, 8:30–11:00 a.m.

Advisory Council: Saturday, January 9, 8:30–11:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11, 9:30–11:00 a.m.

Clearinghouse: Sunday, January 10, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Communication: Sunday, January 10, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 9:30–11:00 a.m.

Computer Concerns: Sunday, January 10, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 9:30–11:00 a.m.

Conference Program Planning—New Orleans, 1988: Sunday, January 10, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 9:30–11:00 a.m.

Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989: Saturday, January 9, 2:00–4:00 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 2:00–4:00 p.m.

Continuing Education: Sunday, January 10, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 9:30–11:00 a.m.

Education for Bibliographic Instruction: Saturday, January 9, 2:00–4:00 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 2:00–4:00 p.m.

Miriam Dudley BI Librarian of the Year Award: Saturday, January 9, 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 2:00–4:00 p.m.*

Nominating, 1988: Saturday, January 9, 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.*

Planning: Saturday, January 9, 11:30 a.m.–12:30

p.m.; Monday, January 11, 8:00–9:00 a.m.

Policy: Sunday, January 10, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 9:30–11:00 a.m.

Preconference Program Planning—New Orleans, 1988: Saturday, January 9, 2:00–4:00 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 2:00–4:00 p.m.

Research: Sunday, January 10, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 9:30–11:00 a.m.

College Libraries Section

Executive: Saturday, January 9, 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

CLIP Notes: Monday, January 11, 9:00–11:00 a.m.

College Library Directors' Discussion Group: Sunday, January 10, 2:00–4:00 p.m.

Historical Commission: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 8:00–11:00 a.m., 2:00–5:30 p.m.

National Advisory Council Steering: Saturday, January 9, 2:00–4:00 p.m.; Sunday, January 10, 9:30–11:00 a.m.

Newsletter: Sunday, January 10, 9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Real Income: Sunday, January 10, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Standards: Sunday, January 10, 9:30–11:00 a.m.; Tuesday, January 12, 9:00–11:00 a.m.

Community and Junior College Libraries Section

Executive: Saturday, January 9, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

All committees: Sunday, January 10, 9:30 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Education and Behavioral Sciences Section

Executive: Tuesday, January 12, 8:00–11:00 a.m.
Bibliographic Instruction for Educators: Sunday, January 10, 9:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989: Sunday, January 10, 9:00–11:00 a.m.; Monday,

WANTED ! !

Librarians who have recently served on regional or specialized accrediting teams.

WHY ! !

To brainstorm with members of ACRL's Standards and Accreditation Committee on ways to achieve one of our strategic goals: increase knowledge of and dissemination of ACRL standards and guidelines in the higher education community.

WHEN ? ?

Mid-winter meeting
Saturday, January 9, 2:00 pm

WHERE ? ?

Watch the conference program for ACRL/Standards and Accreditation Committee/Open Discussion on the Accreditation Process.

January 11, 9:00-11:00 a.m.
Conference Program Planning—New Orleans, 1988: Monday, January 11, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Curriculum Materials/Problems of Access and Control: Sunday, January 10, 2:00-5:00 p.m.
Education Librarian of the Year: Saturday, January 9, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Education Services and General Reference: Saturday, January 9, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Psychology/Psychiatry: Monday, January 11, 2:00-5:30 p.m.
Publications: Saturday, January 9, 8:00-9:00 a.m.

Law and Political Science Section

Executive: Sunday, January 10, 8:00-9:00 a.m.
Business: Sunday, January 10, 9:00-11:00 a.m.
Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Conference Program Planning—New Orleans, 1988: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Publications: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Why measure performance? Find out in San Antonio

"Why Measure Performance?" will be the topic of the University Libraries Section's Current Topics Discussion Group, 2:00 to 4:00 p.m. on Saturday, January 9, at the ALA Mid-winter Meeting.

In 1984 the ACRL Committee on Performance Measures was charged "to plan and advise the ACRL Board of Directors on a contract for the publication of an initial set of performance measures for academic libraries." A "Request for Proposals to Write a Manual for Output Measures for Academic Libraries" has now been completed, and an author for a measurement manual is being sought.

The purpose of the meeting will be to measure and promote interest in measuring academic library performance, and to seek input for further activities, which may include conference or institute programs, or a CE course in performance measurement.

Discussing the necessity, purpose and possible results of measuring academic library performance will be Patricia Kelley of George Washington University, Douglas Zweizig of the University of Wisconsin-Madison School of Library and Information Studies (author of *Output Measures for Public Libraries*), and Paul Kantor of Tantalus, Inc., (author of *Objective Performance Measures for Academic and Research Librarians*).

For further information, contact: Steve Marquardt, McIntyre Library, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, Eau Claire, WI 54702-4004.

Review and Planning: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

Rare Books and Manuscripts Section

Executive: Sunday, January 10, 4:30-5:30 p.m.; Monday, January 11, 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Conference Program Planning—New Orleans, 1988: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Conservators' Collations: Sunday, January 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Continuing Education: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Curators and Conservators Discussion Group: Saturday, January 9, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Developing Guidelines for Borrowing Special Collections Materials for Exhibition: Saturday, January 9, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Exhibition Catalogues Awards: Saturday, January 9, 9:00-11:00 a.m.; Sunday, January 10, 9:00-11:00 a.m.*
GODORT Joint Committee: Saturday, January 9, 8:00-9:00 a.m.
Information Exchange: Saturday, January 9, 4:30-5:30 p.m.
Legislative Information: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Literary Rights: Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Manuscripts and Other Formats: Saturday, January 9, 8:00-10:00 p.m.
MARC for Special Collections: Sunday, January 10, 9:00-11:00 a.m.
New Orleans Conference Security: Sunday, January 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Nominating, 1989: Saturday, January 9, 8:00-10:00 p.m.*
Orientation Manual: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Preconference Program Planning—New Orleans, 1988: Saturday, January 9, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Publications: Sunday, January 10, 9:00-11:00 a.m.
Security: Saturday, January 9, 9:00-11:00 a.m.

New CLS discussion group

A College Library Directors Discussion Group was formally established by ACRL's College Libraries Section at ALA Annual Conference last summer in San Francisco. The group is co-chaired by Caroline Coughlin of Drew University and John Sheridan of Colorado College, and it will meet for the first time in San Antonio on Sunday, January 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m. All interested individuals are encouraged to attend.

Standards: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.;
Sunday, January 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m.,
8:00-10:00 p.m.

Science and Technology Section

Executive: Saturday, January 9, 8:30-11:00 a.m.;
Tuesday, January 12, 9:00-11:00 a.m.
Comparison of Science and Engineering Libraries:
Sunday, January 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Conference Proceedings/Executive: Saturday, Jan-
uary 9, 8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989:
Sunday, January 10, 2:00-5:30 p.m.
Conference Program Planning—New Orleans,
1988: Monday, January 11, 2:00-5:30 p.m.
Discussion Group: Sunday, January 10,
8:30-11:00 a.m.
Membership/Executive: Tuesday, January 12,
8:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Newsletter: Monday, January 11, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Oberly Award: Monday, January 11, 11:30
a.m.-12:30 p.m.*
Planning: Monday, January 11, 9:00-11:00 a.m.
Publisher Relations: Sunday, January 10,
4:30-5:30 p.m.
Scientific Databases: Saturday, January 9,
2:00-5:30 p.m.
Subject and Bibliographic Access to Scientific and
Technical Information: Monday, January 11,
8:00-11:00 a.m.

Slavic and East European Studies Section

Executive: Monday, January 11, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989:
Sunday, January 10, 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
Continuing Education on Slavic and East Euro-
pean Librarianship: Sunday, January 10,
2:00-4:00 p.m.
Cyrillic Romanization and Automation: Sunday,
January 10, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Ethnic Slavic and East European Publications in
the U.S.: Monday, January 11, 8:00-9:00 a.m.
Newsletter: Sunday, January 10, 4:30-5:30 p.m.

University Libraries Section

Steering: Saturday, January 9, 9:30-11:00 a.m.;
Monday, January 11, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989:
Sunday, January 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Conference Program Planning—New Orleans,
1988: Saturday, January 9, 4:30-5:30 p.m.
Current Topics Discussion Group: Saturday, Jan-
uary 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Current Topics Planning: Sunday, January 10,
9:30-11:00 a.m.
Performance Measures: Sunday, January 10,
2:00-4:00 p.m.
Review the Guidelines for Branch Libraries: Satur-
day, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Standards Review: Friday, January 8, 9:00
a.m.-12:00 noon, 2:00-5:30 p.m.; Sunday, Jan-
uary 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m.; Monday, January 11,

2:00-4:00 p.m.

Western European Specialists Section

Executive: Saturday, January 9, 4:30-5:30 p.m.;
Tuesday, January 12, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Classical, Medieval, Renaissance Discussion
Group: Saturday, January 9, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Conference Program Planning—Dallas, 1989:
Sunday, January 10, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Conference Program Planning—New Orleans,
1988: Sunday, January 10, 8:00-9:00 a.m.;
Tuesday, January 12, 8:00-9:00 a.m.
European Conference: Sunday, January 10,
8:30-11:00 a.m.; Monday, January 11,
8:30-11:00 a.m.
Germanists Discussion Group: Sunday, January
10, 9:30-11:00 a.m.
Martinus Nijhoff Award Jury: Monday, January
11, 8:00-9:00 a.m.*
Membership/General Discussion Group: Sunday,
January 10, 2:00-4:00 p.m.
Nominating: Sunday, January 10, 8:00-9:00
a.m.*
Publications: Sunday, January 10, 9:30-11:00
a.m.
Research and Planning: Monday, January 11,
2:00-4:00 p.m.

Women's Studies Section

Executive: Friday, January 8, 2:00-4:00 p.m.; Sat-
urday, January 9, 9:30-11:00 a.m.; Monday,
January 11, 2:00-4:00 p.m. ■■

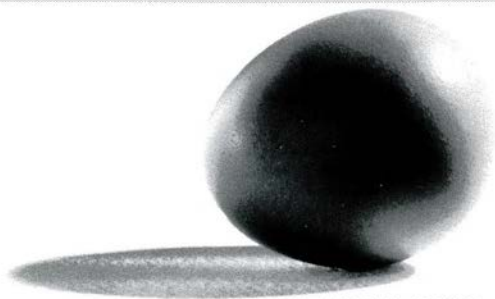
PCs for conference-goers

Beginning with the 1988 Midwinter Meeting in San Antonio, ALA will provide PCs in the ALA office area at ALA conferences. The intent is to help both staff and ALA members to get work done faster and more efficiently. Because this equipment is not budgeted, the number of typewriters available for staff and members will be cut in half (from 40 to 20). The resultant savings will allow for the rental of three IBM PCs, one Mac or Apple computer, and one additional printer. Users will have to provide their own software and diskettes.

Use of the equipment will be on a first come, first served basis with the following exception: the COGNOTES staff, which usually rents two PCs and two printers, will have exclusive use of all equipment from 3:00 p.m. through midnight. The rest of the time other ALA members and staff can use the equipment, limited to one hour per sign-up.

Because RASD/MARS has volunteered their services and because conference staff are not computer experts, ALA will rely on them (or other interested member groups or staff) to develop a survey for users to determine how the equipment was used, monitor the sign-in process, and provide technical expertise to users. ■■

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