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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Greetings! By now you should have received SEAALL's 1995 Annual Meeting program and brochure. Plan to attend this meeting and take advantage of another superb opportunity to enjoy and learn from the excellent array of programs and collegial encounters presented. Several vendor representatives also will be on hand to exhibit their legal information products. Please support this effort to provide personal contact with vendor representatives at the regional level. This activity is beneficial to SEAALL, its member libraries and publishers. Information about local attractions in the Richmond area can be found on page 6 of this newsletter.

Following is information about SEAALL's support for the National Conference on Legal Information Issues to be held in conjunction with the AALL Annual Meeting in Pittsburgh. The National Conference presents a great opportunity to network with colleagues in the legal community and to showcase the excellent educational opportunities provided by our Association. At the same time, attention will be focused on the problems and opportunities presented by the information revolution.

AALL President Carol Billings sent a packet of information to all chapter presidents to solicit sponsorship for delegates to the National Conference. A special brochure about the programs for the National Conference was also mailed with the December newsletter to all AALL members. SEAALL's Executive Board is considering ways to support one or more delegates. Let me assure you that we all agree that any financial support provided should not negatively impact SEAALL's ability to support our own activities. The cost for sponsoring a delegate is a minimum of \$150 (to cover meal events normally covered by the AALL registration

fee). Transportation and hotel expenses also may be covered if they are not provided by the delegate's employer and do not exceed available SEAALL funding.

The Board will select delegates and determine support for expenses from the pool of potential delegates recommended by SEAALL members. Currently we have one proposed delegate and hope to sponsor two more. A request for delegates was posted on law-lib and private law lib-I. Please contact me if you do not have access to these list serves and would still like to recommend a delegate.

We also are looking forward to the 1997 SEAALL Annual Meeting. Over the years the Southeastern Chapter has met at a variety of locations that have each provided an engaging local setting and memorable events. It is very helpful (and a lot more fun) to identify a Local Arrangements Chair/Committee well in advance of the Annual Meeting. Please let me know if you would like to volunteer your site!

Congratulations to recipients of Lucile Elliot Scholarships, and thanks to the Scholarship Committee for their hard work! This year SEAALL awarded 6 Scholarships to chapter members.

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EDITOR'S NOTE

So far in 1995, I've had to learn how to use Word Perfect 6.1, Pegasus mail, and Netscape! I don't really mind becoming familiar with new software—I just prefer to learn them one at a time. I'm looking forward to a few days in Richmond to get my professional life back in perspective—the local arrangements committee has made it all sound great!

I want to thank everyone for sending in their material by the deadline. For anyone who wants to contribute material for the next issue, I finally have a really easy e-mail address on Pegasus mail: mary@law.scarolina.edu. I'm having trouble with UUDECODE, so if you can send ascil text straight, or as an attachment to P-mail, I'd greatly appreciate it.

The list of Committee members will be printed once a year in the Newsletter, so save the issue if you want this year's list. Next year's list will go in the first issue after I receive it from the President.

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 Dues
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SEALL/VALL ANNUAL MEETING

Richmond, Virginia

Registration Information

All SEALL members should have received their Annual Meeting registration information by now. If you haven't received your packet, call Joyce Manna Janto, University of Richmond Law Library. Phone: 804-289-8223 Fax: 804-289-8683. E-mail: janto@uofrlaw.urich.edu

Mentor/Mentee Program. The 1995 SEALL Annual Meeting Registration Package includes the "Mentor/ Mentee Program Participation Form." The program helps new members go through their first Annual Meeting under the counsel of "senior" or "experienced" members. We encourage SEALL members to participate in the program by filling out the form as volunteers (mentors) or requesting a mentor (as mentees). Just watch your mail for the packet.

Pre-Conference Workshop

This year the pre-conference workshop is titled "Life in Your Organization: From Hiring to Retiring." The focus of the presentations will progress from how to get into an organization to how to handle the daily stresses incurred once in the organization, and will finish up with how to maintain job satisfaction over a long period of time. The presentations will include some case studies as well as some role playing based on situations which have occurred at both academic and private law libraries.

Day Trips

Entire books have been written about the many historical attractions in and near Richmond, Virginia, the site of the 1995 SEALL/VALL Annual Meeting. Here are some of the many sites that are within driving distance from Richmond:

Within one-half hour:

Agecroft Hall - reconstructed 15th-century

Tudor manor

Maymont - Victorian Romanesque mansion
with formal gardens

Virginia House - 16th-century English manor house

Within one hour:

Colonial Williamsburg

Busch Gardens

James River Plantations - Shirley, Westover, Evelyntown

Civil War sites - Fredericksburg, Petersburg, Hopewell

Within one and one-half hours:

Charlottesville

Monticello - Thomas Jefferson's home
University of Virginia - Thomas
Jefferson's university

Within two hours to two and one-half hours:

Blue Ridge Mountains

Yorktown Battlefield and Victory Center Jamestown - reproduction of 1607 settlers' village

Atlantic Ocean

Virginia Beach resort area Mariner's Museum

Washington, D.C.

United States capitol

Smithsonian Institution and National

Zoo

Library of Congress

National Archives

National Gallery of Art

Holocaust Memorial Museum

Vietnam Veterans Memorial

The White House

Lincoln, Jefferson and Washington

Memorials

Ford's Theater

Other nearby attractions

Arlington National Cemetary

Mount Vernon

The Pentagon

"On to Richmond"

| Mileage from | To Richmond |
|------------------|-------------|
| Atlanta | 511 |
| Baltimore | 142 |
| Charleston, WV | 309 |
| Louisville | 549 |
| Nashville | 599 |
| Washington, D.C. | 110 |

Welcome to Richmond, its surrounding areas and to the 1995 SEALL/VALL Annual Meeting.

SEALL/VALL Dinner Menu

Virginia Museum of Fine Arts Marble Hall Friday, April 7, 1995

Shrimp Bisque
Spinach and Strawberry Salad
Filet Mignon
Roasted New Potatoes
Bouquet of Vegetables
Chocolate Ice Cream Crepe

Vegetarian Choice Pasta Primavera

Virginia Trivia

- 1. What well known actor and actress are brother and sister who were born and raised in Virginia?
- 2. How many U.S. presidents have been born in Virginia?
- 3. What parkway extends from Virginia's Shenandoah National Park to the Great Smoky Mountains National Park of North Carolina and Tennessee?
- 4. How many consecutive terms may a Virginia governor serve?
- 5. How many Virginians does it take to replace a lightbulb?

Answers:

- 1. Warren Beatty and Shirley MacLaine
- 2. Eight: Washington, Jefferson, Madison,

Monroe, Harrison, Tyler, Taylor and Wilson

- 3. The Blue Ridge Parkway
- 4. None
- 5. Two:One to change the bulb and the other to reminisce about how good the old one used to be.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Public Relations

The Public Relations Committee is focusing on "getting the word out" to law students and other patroms of law libraries in the southeast. We have placed our, "What Is A Law Librarian?" Brochure at the reference desk of several law libraries inclduing, The University of Kentucky, Loyola University and St. Thomas University.

Additionally, we hope to again send literature to the state bar associations for distribution at the state bar conventions in the spring.

If anyone would like to have brochures available to their patrons or would like to give them to students in legal research classes, please contact Amy Osbome at (606) 255- 2424 or E-Mail: AOSBORNE@DELPHI.COM. We would also welcome any public relations ideas that SEALL members might have.

Government Relations

Timothy L. Coggins, Chair SEAALL Government Relations Committee

The December, 1994 issue of *Information Today* included an article about a new statewide electronic library of information in Texas. In addition to other materials, the Texas State Electronic Library includes Texas legislation available through the

Texas Legislative Council's gopher. After reviewing this article about Texas, the SEAALL Government Relations Committee decided to investigate similar services that are available for the states in the Southeast. Sandra Dyer (UNC) and Kelly Browne (Tennessee) assisted with the following information. All states are not listed below, but the committee will report on the other states in the next issue.

ALABAMA: DIALUP is an acronym for the Alabama Office of the Secretary of State online subscriber service. DIALUP provides access to corporate records, Uniform Commercial Code filings in the Office of the Secretary of State, Fair Campaign Practices Act data, Notaries Public, and Acts of Alabama legislation via a modem attached to a personal computer. Subscribers must register for access to DIALUP through the Secretary of State's office (205-242-7200, ask for the DIALUP Coordinator). If you would like a copy of the brochure describing the DIALUP service, contact Timothy Coggins at the University of Alabama.

GEORGIA: Georgia has a new dial-up information system called "Georgia Net" that contains bills, notices of the General Assembly, and the unannotated state code. Specific software to access the system is required. There is a \$75.00 registration fee, plus a \$0.45 per minute connect charge. Legislation has just been introduced to allow schools and universities free access to the system. There is some indication that there might be free access to public liabraries also. For more information about Georgia Net, call 404-651-8690. Martha Lappe (404-651-5822), the Georgia State Law Librarian. would be happy also to answer questions about this system.

KENTUCKY: Kentucky has established the Kentucky Information Systems Commission, which is charged with managing government information, including broad public access to non-restricted public records and efficient dissemination of mission-related information. One guideline in the "Information Policy Statement" of the Special Committee on Information Policy of the Kentucky Information Systems Commission states that "state agencies should provide online access to non-restricted government information," but it leaves online access at this point to the discretion of the individual agencies. James A. Nelson is a member of the Commission and also is the State Librarian and Commissioner of Library and Archives.

LOUISIANA: Louisiana has a system in place that is similar to Alabama's DIALUP. It provides access to legislation, AG opinions, administrative regulations and materials. The price is \$50.00 per month, plus a charge per minute. Louisiana is developing the LANET system also, which will offer access to legilsative information. This system is not functioning yet, but should be available later this year. Contact Mike Baer at 504-342-0629 for additional information.

MISSISSIPPI: Nothing is available on the Internet or dial-in according to the staff at the Legislative Reference Bureau of the Mississippi Legislature. (There is pending legislation, however, requiring laptop computers for each legislator; therefore, electronic access likely will follow from this legislation.)

NORTH CAROLINA: The North Carolina General Assembly Legislative Internet Access Program contains the text of North Carolina bills. There is no charge for access. You can access the system via ftp (ftp@legislature.state.nc.us; login: anonymous; password: your email address) or via gopher. To obtain an instruction manual, contact the North Carolina General Assembly Legislative Automated System Division at 919-733-6834, or e-mail to leginfo@ftp.legislature.state.nc.us.

^{&#}x27;(Internet users can access the Texas system at capital tic. texas.gov).

SOUTH CAROLINA: Nothing is available on the Internet or dial-in according to the staff at the South Carolina Legislative Library.

VIRGINIA: The Legislative Information System was developed last year; it contains the text of all bills since the system's inception. There is a \$100 registration fee for an identification number and the software necessary to dial into the system. There also is a \$20 per hour connect charge. A special feature of this system is that a user can create personal lists to track specific bills. For more information and a copy of the user guide, contact the Help Desk at 804-786-9631.

Look for information about other states in the next issue of the *Southeastern Law Librarian*. Call us (numbers in the last issue of the newsletter) if you have information about your state.

Kelly Browne (Tennessee) forwarded an interesting case dealing with the Open Records Act in Georgia. The Georgia Supreme Court in Jersawitz v. Hicks, 448 S.E.2d 352 (Ga. 1994) held that a computerized database of real estate deed records currently available to the public on computer tape was a "public record" within the meaning of the Open Records Act, but the clerk of court is not required to create a new program to provide public access with personal computers. The requirements of the Open Records Act are satisfied by making records available to the public on computer tape; records do not have to be available via a telephone modem on a personal computer. The court concluded, "While we are mindful that the prevalence of computers in homes, offices, and schools may make on-line access to computerized records desirable, requiring that means of access must be adressed by the General Assembly." (448 S.E.2d at 353)

SEALL Briefs

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If you have items you wish to include in the SEALL Briefs column, please e-mail cwatson@uga.cc.uga.edu

ALABAMA

Fran Parker Tankersley joined the University of Alabama Law Library as Manager of the Alabama Lawyers Research Service on January 3, 1995. Fran is a 1989 graduate of the University of Alabama Law School. She clerked for a federal district court judge after graduation and has practiced for several years in Birmingham.

The University of Alabama Law Library sponsored a presentation by Professor Roger Newman, author of the recently published <u>Hugo Black: a Biography</u>, on November 4, 1994.

Professor Newman's biography of Justice Black, a University of Alabama law school graduate, is considered the most authoritative biography of Justice Black to date. Newman completed some of his research for the book in the library's Hugo Black Collection. **Paul Pruitt**, Assistant Law Librarian for Collection Development & Special Collections, coordinated Professor Newman's visit to the law school.

FLORIDA

The Reference Librarians at Stetson College of Law Library, in St. Petersburg, FL., encountered the real world in December and gained knowledge of the function of law librarians in law firms. Pamela Burdett and Dorothy Clark each spent a week at Carlton, Fields in Tampa.

Madison Mosley spent time in Orlando at Akerman, Senterfitt & Edison and at Rumberger, Kirk & Caldwell. Sally Waters worked for one week in the library at the St. Petersburg Times. All four librarians came away from the experience with new insight about the roles that librarians have at different libraries, the many kinds of work environs, and new sources for legal and general information.

GEORGIA

The Emory University School of Law is pleased to announce the availability of its new World Wide Web server. This new server, almost identical in performance and capacity with Emory University's main WWW server, has enabled Emory Law School to make many new and innovative improvements to its World Wide Web. The increased and improved features of the new Emory Law School Web include:

The Emory Law Library Electronic Reference Desk, which is intended to include a link to every legally relevant Web site in the United States and internationally, categorized for use in the most research-oriented manner possible.

New Comments pages which allow, among other things, submission of legal research questions to the Law Library's Reference Desk Staff.

A new search engine which allows users to quickly find information anywhere within the Emory Law School Web.

A collection of the highest quality and most useful Mac and Windows Internet client software available for downloading through your Web browser.

The Emory Law School World Wide Web is the first of many exciting projects planned by the Law School's Information Technology Services Division as part of the Emory Legal Information Technology Environment (ELITE) Project. The URL for the new Emory Law School World Wide Web is: http://www.law.emory.edu/For more information, please send e-mail to: www@law.emory.edu.

The University of Georgia Law Library held a reception to celebrate the arrival of its new Innovative Interfaces, Inc. on-line catalog on January 26 from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Festivities included announcement of the name of the on-line catalog, awarding prizes to the winner of the Name the On-line Catalog Contest and demonstrations of the on-line catalog. The name selected for the University of Georgia on-line catalog is GAVEL (Georgia's Visual Electronic Law). A recent UGA law school graduate submitted the winning name. He received many prizes including Ed Kroll's The Whole Internet, Westlaw and Lexis t-shirts, a

home-baked cake, computer diskettes, and a copicard. If you have telnet access, GAVEL can be reached by telnetting to tawtib.tawsch.uga.edu. No login is necessary.

KENTUCKY

Herb Cihak is the new Director and Associate Professor of Law at the University of Kentucky Law Library as of July 1994. He formerly was Director at the University of Mississippi Law Library.

Cheryl Jones, former Associate Director of the University of Kentucky Law Library, has resigned. She has taken a position with the main campus library in Special Collections.

Sue Burch, former Circulation/Reference Librarian, University of Kentucky Law Library, is now Public Services Librarian. Shaun Esposito has joined the staff as Reference Librarian. Shaun, a Kentucky native, was formerly at the University of Toledo Law Library.

Dee Woods has been promoted to Cataloguer/Government Documents Librarian, University of Kentucky Law Library. Dee had been the Cataloging Technician. After receiving her MSLIS in May, 1994, she moved into this newly created position.

Chris Corman, from the University Computing Center, has joined the staff as Coordinator of Information Systems Services for the University of Kentucky College of Law.

NORTH CAROLINA

The Duke Law School will be dedicating its new building the week of April 6th. The Duke Law Library invites anyone going to SEALL who may be passing through the Raleigh-Durham area on their way to Richmond to stop by and see the renovated library. If you are interested and would like a tour of the facility, please contact Mark Bernstein, Associate Director at the Duke Law Library, (919) 613-7113 or e-mail at mpb@faculty.law.duke.edu.

TENNESSEE

D. Cheryn Picquet, Associate Director and Professor, and Reba A. Best, Head of Cataloging and Professor, at the University of Tennessee College of Law Library have co-authored the second edition of The Insanity

<u>Defense: A Bibliographic Research Guide.</u> The book was recently published by The Harrison Company, Publishers. The book will be updated by pocket parts.

Mary Elizabeth (Liz) Glankler has been named to the new position of Computer/Reference Librarian at the University of Memphis. Liz has an M.S.L.S. from the University of Tennessee, a wealth of computer knowledge, and many years of law library experience.

VIRGINIA

The Virginia Association of Law Libraries (VALL) presented a Continuing Legal Education (CLE) program entitled "Responsible and Cost-Effective Legal Research" on November 16 in Tysons Corner and November 17 in Richmond. The faculty was Donna Bausch, Law Librarian of the Norfolk Law Library; Barbara Folensbee-Moore, Library Manager of McGuire, Woods, Battle, & Boothe; Prof. Steven D. Hinckley, Director of the Law Library. University of Richmond: Christopher Allen Meyer of Allen, Allen, Allen, & Allen, Richmond; Robert D. Murphy, Library Director of Woods, Rogers, & Hazelgrove, Roanoke; and Gail Warren, State Law Librarian, Virginia State Law Library. There were video replays in ten locations on Tuesday, January 17 and Wednesday, January 18, 1995.

The program was coordinated by the VALL Legal Information Outreach Committee. The committee Chair, Martha Rush, Marshall-Wythe Law Library, College of William and Mary, and several committee members met with Virginia C.L.E. committee representatives to plan topics and select speakers. Prior to the program the full panel met with C.L.E. Committee representatives to fine tune the presentation. VALL received a portion of the registration fee based upon the number of those in attendance at the two live presentations and ten video replay sites. Over one thousand dollars was raised for the Association.

SEALL NEW MEMBERS

Pauline M. Aranas, Director, Vanderbilt University Law Library, Nashville, TN, 37240.

Kurt A. Brenneman, Assistant Librarian, Smith Helms Mulliss & Moore, 316 W. Edenton Street, Raleigh, NC 27603.

Carolyn P. Brown, Librarian, Robinson & McElwee, P.O. Box 1791, Charleston, WV 25326.

Kelly Browne, Ass't. Professor and Reference Librarian, University of Tennessee College of Law Library, 1505 W. Cumberland Ave., Knoxville, TN 37996-1800.

Peter Scott Campbell, Automation Librarian, University of Louisville Law Library, Belknap Campus, Louisville, KY 40292-0001.

Thomas P. Davis, Assistant Librarian for Public Services, North Carolina Supreme Court Library, 500 Justice Bldg., 2 E. Morgan Street, Raleigh, NC 27601-1428.

Melanie J. Dunshee, Reference Librarian, Duke University Law Library, Box 90361, Durham, NC 27708-0361.

Janie S. Gilliland, Reference Librarian, Faulkner University, Jones School of Law, 5345 Atlanta Highway, Mongomery, AL 38109.

Victoria Kahn, Library Director, Tucker, Flyer & Lewis, 1615 L. Street, N.W., Suite 400, Library, Washington, DC 20036-5610.

Allen R. Moye, Reference/Research Services, University of Richmond, T.C. Williams School of Law, Richmond, VA 23173.

Charles H. Oates, Acting Director, Regent University Law School Library, 1000 Regent University Drive, Virginia Beach, VA 23464-9897.

Sabina Petrova, Circulation Specialist, Dade County Law Library, 75 W. Flagler Street, Room 321A, Miami, FL 33130.

Virginia L. Smith, Law Librarian, Chaffe, McCall, Phillips, Toler & Sarpy, 1100 Poydras St., Suite 2300, New Orleans, LA 70163-2300.

Sonja D. Yarbrough, Library Assistant, Jefferson Co. Public Law Library, Old Jail Building, 514 W. Liberty St., Louisville, KY 40202.

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

FLORIDA

REFERENCE LIBRARIAN THE UNIVERSITY OF MIAMI LAW LIBRARY

RESPONSIBILITIES: Provide reference and research assistance for law school and university faculty and students, the local legal community, and the general public. Prepare and teach classes on research methods, LEXIS, Westlaw, and other online services, and other topics as required. Participate in faculty liaison program and law library collection development. Reports to the Head of Reference Services.

QUALIFICATIONS: Master's degree in library science and J.D. (law library reference experience may substitute for one degree requirement.) Proficiency in using LEXIS, Westlaw and other online databases. Strong service orientation. Excellent interpersonal, communication and teaching skills. <u>Desired</u>: Microcomputer background, including experience with PC software, CD-Roms, and Internet use in law libraries.

SALARY AND BENEFITS: This is a faculty appointment with all the benefits of regular faculty except tenure. Minimum starting salary is \$28,000 annually, but may be adjusted commensurate with qualifications and experience. A comprehensive benefits package includes life, health, and dental insurance; retirement plans; 22 vacation days and 13 paid holidays annually; tuition remission for employee, spouse and children.

FOR CONSIDERATION: Please send resume and names of three references to: Anne Klinefelter, Head of Reference Services, University of Miami Law Library, P.O. Box 248087, Coral Gables, FL 33124. Position available immediately. Applications will be considered until position is filled.

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DIRECTOR, COMPUTING SERVICES, LAW SCHOOL/LAW LIBRARY ST. THOMAS UNIVERSITY, M IAMI, FLORIDA

RESPONSIBILITIES: Directs computer services program, including management of client/server and peer-to-peer (LAN) networks, computer laboratory and LEXIS/WESTLAW programs. Supervises two full time staff and part-time and student assistants. Qualifications: Master's degree in Information/Computer/Library Sciences; J.D. and/or law library experience preferred; minimum of 2 years management experience with networking systems; strong service orientation, excellent oral and writing skills. Salary is competitive and commensurate with experience and background. The position is available Spring 1995. Application deadline is March 1, 1995. Send resume to Bea Citron, Chair. Search Committee, Head of Public Services. St. Thomas University Law Library, 16400 N.W. 32 Avenue, Miami, FL 33054.

NORTH CAROLINA

REFERENCE LIBRARIAN NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF LAW

REQUIREMENTS: MLS and JD required with one year of reference experience and some experience with government documents and serials. Strong service and interpersonal skills. Excellent oral and written communication skills. Knowledge of computer applications. Available July 1, 1995. Weekend and evening rotation required. Submit applications to Deborah Mayo-Jefferies, NCCU School of Law Library, 1512 S. Alston Ave., Durham, NC

27707. Review of candidates will continue until the position is filled.

AALL

AALL GRANTS AVAILABLE

Attending an AALL Annual Meeting, Summer Institute or Workshop is an extremely rewarding professional experience. Money woes? Don't fret....financial grants are available. To be awarded a grant, an applicant must be a member of AALL or of an AALL Chapter, not have received an AALL grant in the past and submit a timely, complete application. The grant application has been published in the February issue of the AALL Newsletter and will also be published in the March issue of the AALL Newsletter. Pay particular attention to the April 1 deadline for submission of the grant application and accompanying documentation.

Grant applications are evaluated to ensure that newer members who show promise in the profession will bear less of a financial burden in attending one of their first professional educational events. Applicants are judged by the following criteria: AALL or AALL Chapter membership, years of experience, financial need, letters of recommendations and personal statement. Canadian librarians should take special notice. One grant has been earmarked for a Canadian librarian.

AALL AWARDS COMMITTEE SEEKING NOMINATIONS - DEADLINE EXTENDED

The Awards committee is seeking nominations for the Joseph L. Andrews Bibliographical Award, the Marian Gould Gallagher Distinguished Service Award and

the Law Library Publication Award. These awards are judged according to the criteria listed below. Any AALL member may make nominations, and library staffs are encouraged to submit their own libraries' publications. Send all nominations to Bettie Scott, 1994/95 Chair, AALL Awards Committee, CUNY Law Library, 65-21 Main St., Flushing, NY 11367. The deadlines for nomination for all awards have been changed for this year only and will be May 1.

The Joseph L. Andrews Bibliographical Award recognizes a significant contribution to legal bibliographical literature. Bibliographies published in 1994 are eligible for consideration. The bibliography may be a book, a pamphlet, a periodical contribution or a publication in ssome other form. To nominate a bibliography, please provide as complete a description as possible. It is not necessary to submit a copy of the work, and the award is not limited to works by law librarians or AALL members. The deadline for nominations is May 1, 1995.

The Marian Gould Gallagher

Distinguished Service Award is presented to an individual for outstanding, extended and sustained service to law librarianship and to AALL. The award is presented to an AALL member nearing or following completion of an active professional career. Honorees may be recognized for achievement in a particular area of law librarianship, for service to the Association or for outstanding contributions to professional literature. The deadline for nominations for this award is May 1, 1995.

The Law Library Publication Award has been discontinued and a new award entitled the Law Library Public Relations Award has been established in its place. Nominations for this award should be forwarded to the Public Relations Advisory Committee, which will be responsible for publishing criteria for

the award. The deadline for this award has also been extended to May 1.

AALL CALL FOR PAPERS

The deadline for submission of papers to the AALL Call for Papers competition is postmark April 15, 1995. Papers must be received by April 21, 1995.

Copies of the application form and guidelines appeared in the November issue of the AALL Newsletter and are available from the Chair of the Call For Papers committee. For more information, please contact Susan Catterall at 612-335-1742, Leonard, Street and Deinard, 150 South Fifth Street, Suite 2300, Minneapolis, MN 55402.

SEALL E-MAIL UPDATE

Please check your entry carefully. These entries supplement those listed in the last issue. Send me any changes/additions, thanks.

Margie Axtmann
Michael Brantley
Sue Burch
Peter Campbell
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Patricia Cervenka
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NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE WANTS YOUR HELP

The SEALL Nominations Committee would like your input in the nomination process. We will be filling the offices of vice-president/president-elect and treasurer this year. We want suggestions for nominees from our members. You can specify someone for either office or just list names of members you think would be effective. If you are interested in serving, don't be shy, nominate yourself.

You do not need to contact the person(s) you suggest to the Committee. We will consider all suggestions and volunteers. We want suggestions for ALL types of libraries in SEALL, law school, firms/corporate, and court libraries. Let us hear from you!

Please return this form by February 24, 1995 to:

Steve Thorpe, Chair University of Tennessee 1501 West Cumberland Avenue 615-974-6736 Internet: STHORPE@UTKVX.UTK.EDU

Bernstein, Raleigh, N.C.).

SEALL Nominations Committee College of Law Library Knoxville, TN 37996-1800 Fax: 615-974-6571

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You may also contact any member of the Nominations Committee. Members are: Donna Bausch (Norfolk Law Library), Ed Edmonds (Loyola Univ. Law Library), Eugenia

Minor (Univ. of Mississippi Law Library) and Lisa Williams (Parker, Poe, Adams &

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