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All you need in this life is ignorance and confidence; then success is sure.

Mark Twain,  
*Mark Twain at Your Fingertips*,  
edited by Caroline T. Harnsberger

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## Calendar of Events

### Meeting Moratorium Week

The first full week of each academic quarter has been designated Meeting Moratorium Week, and insofar as possible meetings should not be scheduled or held during that week. For the remainder of the current academic year, the appropriate weeks will be the weeks beginning March 27 and June 19, 2000.

### Faculty Meeting

April 13, 2000 at 3:00pm in 122 Main Library. Agenda items may be submitted to Betty Sawyers, faculty secretary, no later than noon on April 7, 2000.

### Exhibits

*Ruby Elzy and "Porgy and Bess": American Classics*

Lawrence and Lee Theatre Research Institute, 14 floor Lincoln Tower  
Mondays-Fridays, 9:00am - 5:00pm, until April 14, 2000. Further  
information is available by contacting the Institute at 614-292-6614 or  
the theatreinst@osu.edu.

A Tribute to Public Service: The Many Missions of John Glenn  
An exhibit presented by The John Glenn Institute and The Ohio State  
University Libraries September 20 - April 26, 2000. Philip Sills  
Exhibit Hall, The Ohio State University Libraries.

For other University events, see [OSU Electronic Calendars](#)

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## **Announcements**

### **Active Faculty Search Committees**

The Libraries currently have three active faculty search committees for the positions of Chemistry Librarian, Physics/Astronomy Librarian, and Slavic and East European Studies Librarian. Each search committee is composed of a chair, Libraries' faculty and staff members, department faculty member(s), the position supervisor, and manager of Libraries' Human Resources. The supervisor and manager of HR serve as ex-officios. The committees reflect the different constituent departments and levels in the Libraries. The three faculty search committees for the Libraries follow:

#### **Search Committee for Chemistry Librarian:**

- Susan Logan, Chair and Agriculture Librarian
- Mary Jo Arnold, Science and Engineering Library
- Terry Camelford, Serials/Electronic Resources Department
- Kathy DeGray, Science and Engineering Library
- Gideon Fraenkel, Department of Chemistry
- Carol Powell, Health Sciences Library
- Mary Scott, Head, Science and Engineering Library, ex-officio
- Linda Gonzalez, Libraries Human Resources, ex-officio

#### **Search Committee for Physics/Astronomy Librarian**

- Reggie Brown, Chair and Geology Library
- Mike Derr, Science and Engineering Library
- Greg Kilcup, Department of Physics
- Jane McMaster, Science and Engineering Library
- David May, Department of Physics
- Steve Rogers, Map Library
- Noelle Lydic, Monographs Department
- Mary Scott, Head, Science and Engineering Library, ex officio
- Linda Gonzalez, Libraries Human Resources, ex-officio

#### **Search Committee for Slavic and East European Studies Librarian**

- Dona Straley, Chair and Middle East Studies Librarian
- Daniel Collins, Slavic and East European Languages and Literature
- Tschera Connell, Serials/Electronic Resources
- Donna Distel, Language and Area Studies
- Goldie Shabad, Political Science
- Susan Wyngaard, Fine Arts Librarian
- Gay Dannelly, Assistant Director Collections, ex-officio
- Linda Gonzalez, Libraries Human Resources, ex-officio

The search process involves several months to recruit and screen applicants and is a large investment of time and energy for all search committee members. To view the position descriptions for professional positions in the libraries, go to the OSUL home page and click on "About the Libraries".

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## **Deadline Extended**

The Academic Library Association of Ohio has extended the deadline for presentation proposals for the annual conference to be held November 3 at Ashland University.

The deadline for proposals for presentations is now March 17. Poster session proposals are still due June 27.

Further information about the conference, or to submit a proposal, is available at

<http://alaoweb.org>

or

[radcliff@kent.edu](mailto:radcliff@kent.edu)

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## **Collection Managers' Forum**

- The Collection Managers' Forums for 2000 have been scheduled. All

occur from 10:00 - 11:30am in 122 Main Library.

- May 17, 2000
  - Aug 16, 2000
  - Nov 15, 2000
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## Features

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### Luminous Lucubrations

Last week's entry was "rectitude", which means "moral uprightness."  
This week's entry is "quotha."

Online resources for this question are available:

- [WWWebster Dictionary](#) - brief definitions
- [The Oxford English Dictionary](#) - lengthy, historical entries

### Laughs

- [Dilbert's Daily Mental Workout](#)
  - [Cartoon of the Day](#)
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## Meeting Notes

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## Human Resources

### Appointments

===Staff===

*Language and Area Studies:* Yoko Hayden has accepted a Library Media Technical Assistant 2, effective March 3, 2000.

*Serials/Electronic Resources:* Michael Grimes has accepted a Library Associate 1 position (replacing Hagerman), effective February 21, 2000.

### Vacancies

===Faculty===

*Cataloging Department:* Cataloger (New Position)

*Science and Engineering Library:* Chemistry Librarian (replacing Simons)

*Science and Engineering Library:* Physics/Astronomy Librarian (replacing Mays)

===Administrative & Professional===

*Cartoon Research Library:* Project Archivist (new position)

===Staff===

*Circulation:* Library Associate 2 50% (replacing Person)

*Depository:* Library Associate 1 (replacing Weeks) 2nd listing

*Director's Office:* Office Administrative Associate (replacing Wilhoff) 1st listing

*Education, Human Ecology, Psychology, and Social Work Library:* Library Media Technical Assistant 2 (replacing Buhrts-Circelli) 1st listing

*Science and Engineering Library:* Library media Technical Assistant

2 50% (replacing Jones)

*Serials/Electronic Resources*: Library Media Technical Assistant 2  
(replacing Cole)

To comply with University procedures, employees who are applying for listed vacancies must complete a Promotion/Transfer Request (form 8931, Rev 9/97) during the week of the first listing of the vacancy in the University Personnel Posting (green sheet). To ensure awareness of all library vacancies which have been posted, applicants should consult the weekly green sheet rather than relying on the listing in NEWS NOTES Online and are encouraged to attach a resume and/or other supporting documents to the form. Prospective faculty and staff applicants who are absent during the five day posting period and wish to apply should see Toni Morrison.

Library personnel may also view University employment opportunities at [OSU Jobs](#)

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