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Letter from the President

By Holly Kulikowski

Dear Members:

Professional Development... It is something we all know is important but don't always take the time to seek out. Professional development can take many different forms like reading specific articles to improve your knowledge of a topic, signing up and **completing** (always the hardest thing to do) on online course, or participating in a seminar or event put on by an organization.

Locally the opportunities are limitless. In the past few months I can think a large variety of programming that was available in our own backyard. The topics weren't necessarily related to research or the Internet but addressed issues facing us in our jobs. Our roles as librarians continue to shift and change. Just because an organization's focus isn't librarians doesn't mean that their programs won't appeal to you.

Take a look, you might be surprised!

Some local chapters to check out:

ALA (Association of Legal Administrators)
216.87.31.232/milehighala/

CAL (Colorado Association of Libraries)
cla-web.org/index.htm

RMSLA (Rocky Mountain Special Libraries Association)
www.sla.org/chapter/crmt/

ARMA (Association of Records Managers and Administrators)
www.armadenver.org/

Both Lexis and Westlaw are offering Certificate programs for librarians on a variety of topics. See if something interests you.

Lexis' Certificate of Mastery program:

www.lexis.com/infopro

Westlaw program:

www.westgroup.com/librarians

Keep your eyes and ears open for any opportunities that CoALL members might be interested in. Don't forget to check the CoALL webpage for upcoming events! Think about what you as a CoALL member want to learn about and tell me.

Holly

P.S. Don't forget about the CoALL Christmas party (details soon), the Institute and Colleague Connection in the Spring.

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CoALL Holiday Party

Dorsey & Whitney on December 5th.
Save the date! Details will follow

CoALL Members on AALL Committees

by Patty Wellinger

I am the Committee News column editor for AALL Spectrum. I recently spent some time notifying committee chairs of upcoming deadlines. While I was doing that, I noticed that the following CoALL folks are on AALL committees for the 2002-2003 year. Of course as the Past President, Barbara Bintliff is the Board Liaison for lots of committees so I didn't list her.

Lori Hedstrom - Professional Development Committee
Mariann Storck - Law Librarian Compensation Special Committee
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Scholarships are available for Library Science Students

by David Selden

Each year CoALL provides two scholarships in the amount of \$170.00 each for students enrolled in library school. We welcome applications for scholarships from CoALL members pursuing a degree in library science. New CoALL members are encouraged to apply. **Deadline** for applications is **10/16/2002**. Go to <http://www.aallnet.org/chapter/coall/> for a copy of the application and procedure or contact David Selden, the chair of the CoALL Grants and Scholarship Committee. dselden@narf.org or 303-447-8760.

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CoALL Membership Directory Reminder

Per the vote of the CoALL Executive Board on Sep. 19, 2002, in order to protect the privacy of CoALL members, the Web-based CoALL Member Directory has been moved to a secure portion of the CoALL Website: <http://www.aallnet.org/chapter/coall/>, click on "Member Directory". Access to the Web-based CoALL Member Directory is now restricted to CoALL members, and requires use of a User ID and Password. [Note: These were sent to members via email on September 20, 2002.]

Please let us know if you have questions, and thank you for your participation in CoALL.

Rob Richards
CoALL Web Weaver & Listserv Manager

Column for *The Colorado Lawyer*

The Legal Research Corner

by Mariann Storck
Secretary CoALL
Chair Colorado Lawyer Column Committee

Even before I was asked to be a member of the AALL Librarian Compensation Committee headed by Luis Acosta, I was convinced that the only way we librarians could create awareness of and value for our profession was through public activities that target our patrons, especially attorneys. A number of years ago, my former supervisor and a private law firm Library Manager told me that one of her National Library Week activities was a daylong contest titled "Stump the Librarian". If a patron could stump the librarian, a prize was awarded. I never had the courage to sponsor a similar a contest myself within such a short time frame but I did think that writing a column along these lines and aimed at attorneys would be an excellent promotional tool.

Consequently, my proposal in February to Arlene Abady editor of the Colorado Lawyer on behalf of CoALL was a

culmination of these experiences. In May, Arlene notified me that the proposal had been accepted.

How fortuitous, then, that publisher changes occurred with the Colorado Code of Regulations this past summer. It became the ideal topic for a first column. With that in mind, I sent out a request to members of the Colorado Librarian list serve for title suggestions offering a prize gift certificate at a local bookstore. I also asked for volunteers to assist with the column.

The response was tremendous. I received 55 suggested titles and offers to help from Wanda McDavid, Martha Keister, and Shannon Vicic. The winner of the title selected by the Colorado Lawyer Column Committee is Shannon Vicic who did not vote for her own title. Nor did Committee members know who had suggested which titles.

Committee members then volunteered to write and/or edit parts of the column which was submitted to the Colorado Lawyer by

the September 15 deadline for publication in November. We librarians being rather wordy at times (now where did that generalization come from?) ended up submitting 6 pages rather than the required three pages. Three double spaced pages is the requirement for a monthly column which the majority of committee members favored. Once Abady received the 6 double spaced pages, she suggested that we submit a quarterly column which requires 6 double spaced pages.

During the entire process, the committee has been in contact with Rob Richards CoALL's Web Master. Rob has agreed to place a link on the CoALL Web site for question submission and perhaps eventually copies of the columns.

Will the committee answer all questions? Well, the committee is like "Dear Abby". We will selectively answer questions via our new column, "The Legal Research Corner". Other questions may be posed to the list as opportunities for individual members to answer. Of course, any answer provided either via the column or personally will carry this disclaimer, "The information provided in this space is for educational purposes only and is not intended as legal advice. No endorsement

or recommendation is made of any product named in this department."

While I have been commended for my success in getting this rolling, I certainly do not deserve such credit. I think it's a commendation primarily for CoALL whose members have consistently provided high quality services to the legal community. On an individual basis, I would have to direct recognition to the CoALL Executive Board for encouraging and supporting the proposal, and for committing money to a gift certificate for the winner of the title chosen. Finally, special recognition should go to Wanda McDavid, Martha Keister, and Shannon Vivic for their eagerness to participate in this new committee.

So, final words of advice are to mark your calendar for November 1 to watch for that issue of the Colorado Lawyer. Read the first column; use it internally as a teaching tool and bask in the glory that you too deserve!

Code of Colorado Regulations and The Colorado Register

by Kathryn Christnacht

In April of 2002, Daily Journal Corporation (DJC), publishers of the Colorado Code of Regulation (CCR) and Colorado Register (CR) for over twenty-five years notified the State that it would not renew its contract. The contract terminated on July 20, 2002. Volume 25, No.7 was the last issue published by DJC.

Weil Publishing, Inc. located in Augusta, Maine entered into a contract with the Colorado Secretary of State office to continue publication of the paper code and register without interruption (August 2002 issue) for at least the next five years. All subscriptions

were transferred to Weil. Weil currently publishes the codes for the neighboring states of Nebraska and Wyoming and 14 other states.

The new contract with Weil necessitates several changes for the filing of rule-making material with the Secretary of State office. The deadline for filing rule-making material is the third Friday of each month for publication on the 10th of the following month. Previously, if agencies filed their notices by the end of a calendar month, the notice would be published on the 10th of the month.

The contract also changed the publication date for the Colorado Register. The publications date is still the 10th of each month, unless the 10th day of the month falls on a Saturday, Sunday or a federal holiday, in which case the publication date will be on the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or federal holiday. The Secretary of State in a directive issued to state agencies in July, warned agencies that the "State Administrative Procedure Act provides for that newly adopted and amended rules are effective 20 days after publication of the rule as finally adopted, agencies should consider how the revised publication date may affect the effective dates of their rules."

House Bill 02-1203 was passed by the legislature and signed into law by the Governor on May 14, 2002. This legislation provides for and funds the publication of an electronic publication system for the Colorado Rules and Regulations and the Colorado Register. The Secretary of State has requested that all state agencies "make every effort to have" their current rules in an electronic format by November 1, 2002.

On September 6, 2002, the Secretary of State issued a Request for Proposal (RFP) for Electronic Publication of the Agency Rules of the State of Colorado. The deadline for the proposals were Monday, September 30, 2002. Some of the design parameters set forth in the proposal are:

1. Electronic publication via the Internet, ADA compliant.
2. Subscriptions available to the public for an entire publication; parts of a publication; or for purchased access billed by specified time period (e.g. week, day, or hour). Payment for subscription by credit card, check or cash.
3. Keyword search available on database for easy searching access.
4. System shall "interface" well with print publication.
5. System shall store and achieve material as required.
6. System shall support subscribers, agencies as required by helps. Tutorials, or phone support.

According to the RFP, the successful Offeror will begin work immediately and under the contract, including testing and resolution phases shall be completed by approximately May 1, 2003.

Note: The Holme Roberts & Owen LLP online catalog has moved to a improved format on a new server at Simanet - and it's still available for CoALL members. The HRO ILL email address is: HROIILL1@hro.com.

The 10th Circuit has moved. – A note from Cathy Eason

After September 23rd our address will be:
U.S. Courts Library
Byron Rogers Federal Building
1961 Stout Street, Room 280
Denver, CO 80294

Our phone numbers, fax, e-mail and hours
will remain the same.
This is a temporary move. The Library will
occupy this interim space until the current District
Courthouse is renovated, at which time
we will return to our present location.

Legal Reference Training for the Western Slope

by Daniel B. Cordova and Martha Campbell

On behalf of CoALL, Martha Campbell and Dan Cordova volunteered their time on October 14, 2002 (Columbus Day) to teach basic legal reference skills to twenty-eight librarians from various locations on the Western Slope of Colorado. The presentation was made on the Mesa State College campus in the Tomlinson Library. Martha and Dan spoke in the afternoon, following a morning session on the Census.

This training event was organized by the Pathfinder Library System, a library cooperative serving publicly-funded libraries in seven Western Colorado counties: Delta, Gunnison, Hinsdale, Mesa, Montrose, Ouray and San Miguel.

Individual evaluations were quite favorable with 96% of the participants rating the overall quality of the session either Excellent or Good; 79% of the attendees felt that the content of the session would have either a major or moderate impact on their job performance and/or library service. In appreciation for our participation, Pathfinder graciously paid CoALL a \$100 honorarium, and indicated that they are considering making this an annual training session.

Speakers' Bureau

from Daniel B. Codova

We are currently investigating the formation of a CoALL Speakers' Bureau. I have volunteered to work on a committee to research how other organizations have launched and maintained such a group. Currently, I am a committee of one. There are two ways to help (and both would be gladly accepted): You can agree to be on the committee--I promise meetings will be short and task-oriented, or you can send me any information or contacts you might have related to this kind of undertaking.

Thank you in advance for assisting this effort.

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AALL Information

TELECONFERENCE ON LIBRARIES AND ANTI-TERRORISM MEASURES

WHAT: AALL is pleased to join the American Library Association, the Association of Research Libraries, the Medical Library Association and the Special Libraries Association in sponsoring a satellite teleconference entitled: "SAFEGUARDING OUR PATRONS' PRIVACY: What Every Librarian Needs to Know About the USA PATRIOT Act & Related Anti-Terrorism Measures."

WHEN: December 11, 2002
2:00 - 3:00 p.m. EST

WHY: The horrific events of September 11, 2001 resulted in swiftly enacted Federal legislation and other anti-terrorism measures to expand our Nation's surveillance laws. The purpose of this teleconference is to provide libraries and their governing institutions with an analysis of the implications of these recent anti-terrorism measures, including the USA PATRIOT Act, the Attorney General's Guidelines expanding the investigative powers of the FBI, and the Homeland Security Act.

Our distinguished panelists will address the key legal issues and policy implications for libraries, as well as the impact of legislative and regulatory proposals on the privacy and First Amendment rights of library users. Equally important, panelists will identify steps that institutions need to take to comply with proper search warrants, subpoenas, and wiretap requests from law enforcement.

PANELISTS:

- * Peter Swire, Professor of Law, Ohio State University.
- * Tracy Mitrano, Policy Advisor, Director of Computer Law and Policy, Office of the Vice President for Information Technology, Cornell University.

- * James Neal, Vice President and University Librarian, Columbia University Libraries.
- * Gary Strong, Director, Queens Borough Public Library.

INTENDED AUDIENCE:

Librarians
Legal Counsels
Library Administrators/Executives
Library Governing Board Members
Information Technologists
State Networks/Consortia Staff

COST: By November 1: \$350 each for 1-3 sites.
After November 1: \$400 each for 1-3 sites.
Pricing for additional sites is also available.

I encourage the AALL law library community to partner with other institutions in hosting this important educational event. Additionally, law librarians can make a significant contribution to this joint library initiative by serving as coordinators at local sites.

For more information about the teleconference, please go to:

[<http://www.ll.georgetown.edu/aallwash/>](http://www.ll.georgetown.edu/aallwash/)

To register as a host site for the teleconference, please go to:

[<http://db.arl.org/patriot/default.html>](http://db.arl.org/patriot/default.html)

Thank you,
Mary Alice Baish
AALL Associate Washington Affairs
Representative

Nomination Process for the PAGI Award:

The Government Relations Committee is currently soliciting nominations for the 2003 **Public Access to Government Information (PAGI) Award**. Established in 1999, this award honors significant contributions by persons or organizations involved in the protection and

promotion of greater public access to government information. Recipients need not be law librarians or members of AALL. Previous PAGI award winners have been the United States Government Printing Office in 1999 for its website, GPO Access, and the Library of Congress in 2000 in honor of its website, THOMAS. This year it was awarded to FirstGov for their wonderful revised web site.

Criteria for selection include :

1. A contribution that significantly improves public access to government information, thereby increasing the public's knowledge about the workings of government.
2. The extent to which the individual or organization has had a positive impact on protecting and promoting public access to governmental information.
3. The extent to which the effort advances the AALL mission and Government Relations Policy.

Nominations should be in the form of a letter to the chair, with at least one page of explanation about the nominee's qualifications for the award. Supporting documentation should also be included if available.

Nominations must be sent to the Chair of the Government Relations Committee, Charlene Cain (Louisiana State University, Paul M. Hebert Law Center Library, Baton Rouge, LA 70803-1010, llcain@lsu.edu), **no later than February 1, 2003.**

The Bottom Line: Managing Library

Finances invites librarians at any level of project or library management to write for the journal on any of the many financial aspects of library operations. The journal focuses on cost measurement and containment, fundraising, development, fiscal policies and procedures, and the financial implications of technological change. The journal seeks to provide current, practical information that can be applied in all types of libraries.

Recent law library applications have been articles regarding price increases in West case reporters and the costs of electronic serials. We look to continue these types of highly applicable articles for our readers.

The editor welcomes submissions which discuss budgeting, economic trends affecting libraries, endowments, leasing, outsourcing, insurance, resource allocation, cost analysis, funding technological innovation and alternative sources of revenue. For more information on submission requirements, contact the editor, James H. Walther at Bryan Cave in the Washington, DC office.

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CoALL Executive Committee Meeting Minutes

Date: June 20, 2002.

Location: Holme Roberts & Owen LLP in Denver, Colorado.

Attendees: Martha Campbell, Katheryn Christnacht, Dan Cordova, Mark Estes, Holly Hoxeng, Mary Killoran, Druet Cameron Klugh, Holly Kulikowski, Rob Richards, David Selden, Karen Selden, Nancy Sensel, Mariann Storck, and Tamara Tureson.

Druet Cameron Klugh called the Executive Committee Meeting to order at 4:12 pm.

A) Old Business:

1. **Colorado Legal Research tome:** Druet Cameron Klugh reported Bradford Publishing has found that Prof. Barbara Bintliff has already authored a book on legal research in Colorado. They are moving forward with plans to publish her book. CoALL's assistance is not needed at this point.

2. **Colorado Association of Libraries' Invitation to join:** Druet Cameron Klugh reported that the Colorado Association of Libraries (CAL) has invited CoALL to join CAL as an associate member. The Rocky Mountain Chapter of the Special Libraries Association, the Colorado Council of Medical Librarians, and the Colorado Academic Library Consortium have joined CAL as associate members. Associate membership requires no membership fee, and has the following potential benefits to CoALL: discounts for CoALL members to all CAL programming, inclusion in the joint membership directory, CAL's participation in joint programming, and CAL's providing a strong political voice for CoALL's advocacy agenda. David Selden asked about the congruence of CAL's and CoALL's legislative agendas. Druet Cameron Klugh said that CoALL had always had a representative to CLA's Legislative Committee, and that CLA and CoALL historically had very similar political objectives. Mark Estes asked if CAL's bylaws specify how CAL politically "represents" associate members, and whether associate members may opt out of particular CAL political activities. Mariann Storck suggested that CoALL's Website include a page linking to the legal research pages of CU Law Library, DU Law Library, the 10th Circuit Library, and the Colorado Supreme Court Library.

ACTION: Druet Cameron Klugh said she would investigate how CAL politically "represents" associate members, and whether associate members may opt out of particular CAL political activities. Druet Cameron Klugh said she would report back to the Executive Board.

ACTION: This summer, Rob Richards, CoALL's incoming Web weaver, will create a page linking to the legal research pages of CU Law Library, DU Law Library, the 10th Circuit Library, and the Colorado Supreme Court Library.

3. **Chapter VIP Program:** Druet Cameron Klugh and Nancy Sensel reported that CoALL's finances do not permit participation in the AALL Chapter VIP Program this year.

4. **Name Scholarship in Honor of Mary Wilder:** Druet Cameron Klugh proposed that CoALL name a grant or scholarship in honor of former member Mary Wilder. Several aspects of the proposal were discussed, including Mary Wilder's CoALL involvement, CoALL members' desire to honor Mary Wilder in some way, and honors planned by Front Range Community College (FRCC), where Mary Wilder served as library director. Mark Estes noted that no other CoALL member has been honored with a named grant or scholarship, and that so honoring Mary Wilder would limit

CoALL's ability to name a grant or scholarship in the future. Katheryn Christnacht asked under what circumstances AALL had created its named scholarships. Mark Estes replied that most AALL named scholarships had been funded with very large vendor donations, in honor of active AALL members who had died. Observing CoALL's limited funds, Mariann Storck suggested CoALL host, or partner with FRCC on, a fundraising event to support a scholarship in honor of Mary Wilder.

ACTION: Druet Cameron Klugh said she would contact FRCC to learn how they plan to honor Mary Wilder, and would solicit CoALL member input regarding how to proceed.

5. Column in *The Colorado Lawyer*: Mariann Storck announced that the editors of *The Colorado Lawyer* had agreed to host a monthly column in which CoALL members would answer readers' challenging legal research questions. Mariann Storck asked the Executive Board to approve her pursuing this project with the editors. By consensus the Executive Board approved the request. Mariann Storck asked Executive Board members to consider writing a column. Mariann Storck and Tamara Tureson suggested creating a page for the column on the CoALL Website, offering full text of columns and an e-mail link with which users could submit legal research questions.

ACTION: Mariann Storck will discuss details of a CoALL legal research column with the editors of *The Colorado Lawyer*.

ACTION: This summer, Rob Richards, the incoming CoALL Web weaver, will set up a column page on the CoALL Website.

6. AALL Chapter Awards: Druet Cameron Klugh announced that CoALL had been nominated for two AALL Chapter awards: the AALL/FindLaw Excellence in Marketing Award for Best Public Relations Toolkit, and the One-Time Chapter Professional Development Award. CoALL was awarded the latter award for its 2001 Annual Legal Institute, "As We Enter the New Millennium..." The Executive Board congratulated Druet Cameron Klugh, Linda Rose, Holly Kulikowski, and all those who planned or presented at the Institute.

7. Bridge the Gap Program: Holly Kulikowski reported that the first CoALL "Bridge the Gap" Program, formally entitled "CoALL's Summer Associates Research Institute," held on Thu. June 6 from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. at Holland & Hart in Denver, was a great success, with more than 70 associates attending. Co-sponsors included ALA, DALRA, LexisNexis and WESTLAW. Holly Kulikowski read excerpts from several evaluations, most of which offered very favorable comments. Holly Kulikowski thanked all the program presenters, and Mark Estes for assistance in negotiating with the co-sponsors. Holly Kulikowski said CoALL will hold the program again next year, and will charge admission. The Executive Board congratulated and thanked Holly Kulikowski and all the program presenters.

ACTION: Tamara Tureson volunteered to tabulate results from the "Bridge the Gap" evaluation forms.

8. Approval of Minutes of Apr. 25, 2002 Executive Board Meeting: Druet Cameron Klugh moved that the minutes of the Apr. 25, 2002 Executive Board Meeting be approved. Mariann Storck seconded. The minutes were approved by a unanimous vote.

B) New Business:

1. Annual Reports:

a. Programming: Holly Kulikowski reported on CoALL's programming for the past year. Programs included Prof. Marianne Wesson's discussion of her novels, at CU Law School, in Sep. 2001; the CoALL Holiday Party at Holland & Hart in Dec. 2001; a successful librarians' happy hour at Arnold & Porter in March 2002; and a well-attended "Bridge the Gap" program at Holland & Hart in June 2002. The Executive Board congratulated Holly Kulikowski on the success of this year's programming, and thanked her and all program planners, presenters, participants, and host institutions.

b. Finances: Nancy Sensel gave the Treasurer's report. The current checking account balance is \$1777.12. Nancy Sensel stated that the association's income was down this past year, and that the Janus fund alone cannot support the association's expenses. David Selden asked about the recent transfer of funds from the Janus fund to the checking account. Druet Cameron Klugh stated that \$1,000 had been transferred in December to cover up-front costs of the CoALL Holiday Party, and to cover spring expenses. The Executive Board discussed ways to increase income in 2002-2003, including holding an Annual Institute, and charging admission to the "Bridge the Gap" program. The Executive Board thanked Nancy Sensel for serving as CoALL Treasurer this past year.

c. Colorado Library Marketing Council: Holly Hoxeng, CoALL's liaison to the Council, reported on the activities of the Council, which consists of representatives from Rocky Mountain Chapter of SLA, CCML, CoALL, and CLA/CEMA, and which helps librarians develop skills for marketing their libraries. Holly Hoxeng said the Council plans a diversity workshop later this year, as well as a basic marketing skills workshop, which she plans to attend. The Executive Board thanked Holly Hoxeng for serving as CoALL's liaison to the Council this past year, and for continuing to serve in 2002-2003.

d. CoALL Web Master: Tamara Tureson reported on the CoALL Website and listserv. About the listserv, Tamara Tureson said that AALL employs effective filters which allow minimal spam onto the list. About the Website, Tamara Tureson noted that she had added a CoALL History page - with content provided by Georgia Briscoe and Patty Wellinger - and a "Bridge the Gap" program page, added pictures of recent CoALL events, and updated the membership and events pages. Dan Cordova praised the CoALL Website as being among the best chapter Websites he had used. The Executive Board

thanked Tamara Tureson for doing an outstanding job as CoALL's Web Master for the past four years.

e. **Grants and Scholarships:** David Selden reported on CoALL's grant and scholarship activity. David Selden revised the grant and scholarship forms, to provide more opportunities for recipients to contribute to CoALL. David Selden reported that one CoALL Scholarship had been awarded this past year, to Tamara Tureson. No travel grants were awarded. David Selden revised the Grants and Scholarships Web page, by adding links to other grant and scholarship sources. Druet Cameron Klugh moved that the revised grant and scholarship forms be approved and made available on the CoALL Website. Holly Kulikowski seconded. The motion was approved unanimously. David Selden thanked the Executive Board for input on revising the forms, and Tamara Tureson for adding the revised forms and information to the CoALL Website.

2. **New Officers:** Druet Cameron Klugh thanked the CoALL officers for 2001-2002 (Holly Kulikowski, Vice President/President Elect; Nancy Sensel, Treasurer; Rob Richards, Secretary; Gay Ellen Roesch and Mariann Storck, Members at Large; and Linda Rose, Immediate Past President) and announced the new CoALL officers for 2002-2003: Holly Kulikowski, President; Martha Campbell, Vice President/President Elect; Mariann Storck, Secretary; Dan Cordova, Treasurer; Mark Estes and Karen Selden, Members at Large; and Druet Cameron Klugh, Immediate Past President).

3. **New Committee Chairs:** Druet Cameron Klugh announced the new CoALL Committee Chairs:

4. **Committees Still in Need of Chairs:** Druet Cameron Klugh announced that the following CoALL Committees need chairs:

- * AALL Library School Liaison
- * AALL Recruitment Liaison

- * Government Relations
- * Nominations

5. **Installation of President:** Druet Cameron Klugh handed over the gavel to CoALL's new President, Holly Kulikowski.

The CoALL Executive Board meeting was continued under new President, Holly Kulikowski at 5 p.m.

I. Old Business

- A. CoALL's reunion at AALL in Barbara Bintliff's suite was discussed. Barbara offered her suite for 5 - 6:30 p.m. Tuesday, July 23. Some concerns were the cost of food and drinks through the Peabody Hotel; members could not bring in the food and beverages; CoALL's fund level has been decreasing for a couple of years and we need to be concerned about it. Suggestions include contacting

vendors to underwrite it but Holly Kulikowski feels that she had exhausted vendor resources at this time due to their assistance with funding the Bridge the Gap program; and/or having a cash bar. It was suggested that the membership be repolled to see how many people are actually attending AALL and, in turn, how many would be interested in this Tuesday night reunion. Further action will be dependent on those responses. Both Holly Kulikowski and Georgia Briscoe will plan the event if there is one.

- B. The first Bridge the Gap program for Colorado summer clerks was a great success according to Holly Kulikowski. There were nearly 80 attendees and most comments were positive. Holly will have a videotape of the seminar if anyone wants to see it. She also has knowledge/skill self assessment survey that all participants were asked to complete. She would like to find someone to compile the data and then have the attendees reassess their skills toward the end of July or early August. The plan is to send it to participants as at RTF attachment and ask the librarians to follow-up with their clerks.

II. New Business

- A. There will be a special event to commemorate CoALL's 25th anniversary. Druet Cameron Klugh and Martha Campbell are members of this subcommittee. Their ideas are to have a fall event tentatively scheduled for October 24, 2002. It is the 4th Thursday of October. They will be putting out a request for memories and memory items to recognize CoAll's 25 years in existence.
- B. Colorado code of Regulations will no longer be published as of July 1, 2002. The Secretary of State's office is looking for an interim publisher and a permanent publisher. They are also exploring the feasibility of electronic publishing beginning January, 2003. Members express their concern about archival material. While the CCR is currently available electronically on both LoisLaw and Westlaw, neither includes historical information.

Currently the Colorado Supreme Court Library keeps old and superceded regulations and will continue to do so as long as there are copies to keep.

Rob has been in contact with Johanna Billmyer, Director of the Secretary of State's Office, Division of Licensing and Enforcement. He will follow up with her to get more information and the status of finding another publisher. He also volunteered to chair a special committee to monitor the situation, possibly contact Mary Alice Baisch at AALL for ideas; and, draft a letter on behalf of the Colorado Law Library Association [sic] expressing our concerns and offering assistance in some form. Katheryn Christnacht and Martha Campbell volunteered to assist Rob with this committee.

- C. There have been a couple of requests for outreach.
 - 1. Anne Knowles from Plains and Peaks Library System in Colorado Springs has asked for a program on Colorado's legal resources. It is thought that the presentation would cover both print and electronic for 20 - 25 people. Something similar was done about 10 years ago and that program could be used as a starting point. Dan Cordova volunteered to assist with this outreach.

2. Western Slope Mesa State College asked for a presentation for October 14, 2002. They will pay. Dan Cordova volunteered again. Martha and Holly will post this opportunity to the list for additional volunteers.
 3. As yet to be determined by CoALL is whether to charge fees for attendance versus having CoALL pay for expenses.
- D. Another date to keep in mind while planning events is October 17 - 20. The CAL conference is being held in Keystone at that time. Holly Kulikowski along with Sheila Green may be making a presentation on legal materials including Internet resources.

The Executive Board meeting was adjourned at 5:38 p.m.

Colorado Association of Law Libraries (CoALL)
TREASURER'S REPORT - Dan Cordova
July - September 2002

Beginning Balance: (June 3, 2002) \$ 1,909.01

Receipts:

Memberships	\$ 1195.00
Lexis	\$ 60.00
WestGroup	\$ 150.00
Interest Accrual	\$ 0.42

Total Receipts: \$ 1405.42

Disbursements:

AALL	\$ 200.00
Bev Agnew - Reimbursement	\$ 29.77
Barb Bintliff - Reimbursement	\$ 299.88
Linda Rose - Reimbursement	\$ 50.00
Holland & Hart - Reimbursements	\$ 760.27
Ace Kauffman - Deposit Stamp	\$ 18.17

Total Disbursements: \$ 1358.09

Ending Balance: (August 31, 2002) \$ 1,956.34

Janus Fund Balance: (June 30, 2002) \$ 3,835.60

Barbara Bintliff was appointed Nicholas Rosenbaum Professor of Law in July 2002. In commemoration of her named professorship a first edition of Timothy Walker's INTRODUCTION TO AMERICAN LAW will be added to the University of Colorado's rare book collection in her honor. Published in 1837, this book is one of the earliest guides to U.S. legal research.



The **Nicholas Rosenbaum Professor of Law** was endowed by a gift from the estate of Nicholas Rosenbaum. Mr. Rosenbaum was born in Hungary and lived in New York City from 1957 until his death in 1979. A businessman and banker, he served as the President of the City Bank of Gibraltar. Initially the funds were earmarked for projects connected with the Society of International Law. The endowment has since been redirected to augment the salary of regular teaching positions to attract and retain outstanding legal scholars. We are very grateful to Nicholas Doman (School of Law, 1935) for his assistance in establishing this endowment.



Previous Rosenbaum Professors:

Courtland H. Peterson, 1991-1994

Pierre J. Schlag, 1995-1997

J. Dennis Hynes, 1999-2001

Norton L. Steuben, 1997-2002



Barbara A. Bintliff received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Central Washington State College in 1975, and a Juris Doctor (1978) and M.L.L. (1979) from the University of Washington. She was named Distinguished Alumnus for the College of the Sciences, Central Washington University, in October 2000. A nationally prominent law librarian, she recently completed a term as President of the American Association of Law Libraries. Professor Bintliff is active in the ABA and the AALS, as a committee member, section officer, and consultant. She received the Clifford Calhoun Service Award from the School of Law and the Excellence in Service Award from the Boulder Faculty Assembly.

Professor Bintliff has many publications to her credit, especially in the areas of library technology and historical legal bibliography, her main areas of expertise. She is a contributor to *FUNDAMENTALS OF LEGAL RESEARCH*, the dominant casebook in the legal research field, and serves on the editorial boards of *Perspectives: Teaching Legal Research* and *Writing and Legal Reference Services Quarterly*.

She is a frequent presenter at national and regional conferences, and teaches a course in advanced legal research in the School of Law. In 1996 she was a visiting professor at the University of Washington. Professor Bintliff was elected to membership in the American Law Institute in 2001. She has been a member of our faculty since 1984, and Director of the Law Library since 1989.

