



LIBRARY LINES

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DIRECTOR'S LINE

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"We must know all the facts and hear all the alternatives and listen to all the criticisms. Let us welcome controversial books and controversial authors."
- Senator John F. Kennedy

ARCHITECTURAL SITE STUDY The Library has engaged the architectural firm of **Fields Devereaux Architects & Engineers** to redesign the Library building. This remodel will transform the appearance as well as the technological capabilities of the Library for use well into the 21st Century. Fields Devereaux has extensive experience in successfully addressing the specialized needs of tomorrow's academic libraries. Recent projects include: the post-earthquake restoration of the Library at CSU Northridge, designing the new Leavey Library at the University of Southern California and the Feuchtwanger Memorial Library – a special collection area of USC's Doheny Library. Fields Devereaux's current project is the renewal of the venerable Green Library at Stanford University. The architectural site study prepared for our Library is a first step, enabling us to:

- provide an infrastructure to support technology
- ensure that our built environment is fluid enough to accommodate continuous change
- complement the campus master plan currently being developed by Robbins, Jorgensen, Christopher Architects
- enable a future in which students and faculty have universal anyplace/anytime access to multiple information resources in all possible media via a single multifunctional workstation

Our efforts will lay the groundwork for a renewed library facility where future generations of students and faculty will come because they want to, not because they have to. This new master plan will preserve the Library as a place where people can meet, interact, and work as well as create a contemporary learning environment where print information resources can be used in conjunction with electronic resources.

WHAT'S NEW IN THE LIBRARY?

MORE WORKSTATIONS FOR ONLINE LIBRARY RESEARCH Twenty five new computers (Macintosh G3s and Dell Pentiums) have replaced the text-based terminals in the Library. Provided for library research, these workstations provide access to the Library Catalog, offer online database searching, as well as allow research via the Internet. The additional Web terminals are located on the Ground, First, and Second Floors, with provisions for printing or downloading to disks. Priority use will be given to Cal Poly Pomona faculty, staff and students.

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E-JOURNALS: FULL-TEXT ON THE WEB

In an effort to meet the increasing demand of users for electronic journals published on the Internet, the Library has launched an ongoing project to catalog selected electronic journals. Library users have immediate **full-text** access to these resources on the Web when using the Library Catalog. From the Library homepage click: "Research Tools & Resources," then "Electronic Journals" to view a list of available titles. Library users can also gain access to these **e-journals** by searching individual titles in the Library Catalog. For more information contact Yvonne Zhang (ywzhang@csupomona.edu) x3107.

THREE INTERNET BARS INSTALLED

The Library received a donation of 15 Macintosh Quadras from ITAC for quick lookups, Web browsing and email. The new "Internet Bars" consist of five workstations each on the Ground, First, and Second Floors and are available to all Library users.

WEB QUEST FOR DOCUMENT DELIVERY

WEB QUEST is the newest way to send requests to Document Delivery via the World Wide Web:

- It's the fastest, easiest way to send a request to Document Delivery.
- It's available 24 hours a day from any Internet connected computer.
- WEB QUEST requests are processed faster because the complete information is in digital form.

To access WEB QUEST, logon to the Library's Home Page. Scroll down to "Library Services & Resources." Click on 1 - Document Delivery, 2 - Ordering, 3 - Web Quest. Choose the type of item you want to request—book, journal article or conference paper. Follow the screen directions to fill out your request. Click on "Information on Ordering Options" to find out about other ways of obtaining materials.

IKON TAKES OVER PHOTOCOPYING

IKON Office Solutions has been awarded the photocopying service contract for the Library. New photocopy machines, new microform reader/printers, and printers for various computer workstations were installed throughout the Library during the summer. A new **Vend-a-card** dispensing system was installed, as well as a change machine for \$1, \$5 and \$20 dollar bills. All self-service copiers accept Vend-a-cards, cash, or coin. Old copy

cards from West Coast Copy can be converted to IKON's new Vend-a-card until October 15, 1998. For additional service stop by the IKON Office in Room 205 on the second floor, or call x4819.

"Education has produced a vast population able to read but unable to determine what is worth reading."

- G.M. Trevellyan

GIFTS, AWARDS & GRANTS

CLASS OF '97 GIFT TO THE LIBRARY & CAMPUS The Library was honored to be the recipient of the Cal Poly Pomona 1997 Class Gift for benches to be placed along the sides of the bridge leading to the Library entrance. The benches will provide convenient outdoor seating space for students and will have plaques indicating that they are a gift from the class of 1997.

THE JOHN GILL MODERN POETRY COLLECTION The Library received a poetry collection from Mrs. Elaine Gill, President and CEO of The Crossing Press, Watsonville, California. Mainstream as well as small regional presses published the collection, comprising 2,654 titles of rare and significant works by poets.

The Collection belonged to Mrs. Gill's late husband, poet and publisher John Gill, who for nearly four decades, had been a leading spirit in advancing alternative and small press writing. His *New American and Canadian Poetry*, dating from the 1960's, was then the only small-press journal cross-fertilizing the poetry of the two cultures. The Crossing Press launched poets with superbly designed and edited books.

Rare books from the Collection will be housed in the University Library's Special Collection, and the rest will reside in the general circulating collection. For more information, please call Kate Seifert, Humanities Librarian, x3100 or Danette Cook-Adamson, Special Collections Librarian x3109.



GIFT OF RARE AGRICULTURAL BOOKS

The family of Paul Erdos (1908-1988) has donated several hundred books from his personal collection to the Library. Included are a number of rare agricultural and veterinary books dating from the 1850s to the early 20th century. Mr. Erdos, was born in Szeged, Hungary and came to the United States during the late 1920's. For many years he was the executive director of SYMPA (the Serve Yourself and Multiple Pump Association), a professional organization for independent gas station owners. He was also owner of the Trianna Ranch in Aguanga and raised purebred Hungarian horses.

Selected titles will be added to the Library's circulating collection, with the rarest titles shelved in the Special Collections room.

CSU INFORMATION COMPETENCE ASSESSMENT GRANT

The Library, in collaboration with the Faculty Center for Professional Development and Instructional Technology and Academic Computing, received a \$9,000 grant from the CSU Information Competence Work Group. The grant project will develop a Web-based assessment instrument to test the information competence skills of incoming freshman and transfer students. For more information, contact Dr. Kathleen Dunn, Project Director, at x3080.

"Talented or gifted writers? We should talk of gifted and talented readers." -Milorad Pavic

DATABASE UPDATES

The following new databases are available remotely or onsite via the Web to Cal Poly Pomona domain users. For access go to the Library home-page at <http://www.csupomona.edu/~library/> and click on "Databases:" Most of the databases index periodicals and other publications, while some allow full-text searching and printing of actual articles.

BRITANNICA ONLINE *The Encyclopaedia Britannica* is fully searchable as **Britannica Online**. It includes *Britannica's* latest **article** database, hundreds of articles not found in printed versions of *Britannica*, as well as *Merriam-Webster's Collegiate Dictionary*, the *Britannica Book of the Year*, and links to other World Wide Web sites selected by *Britannica* editors. Classic articles from earlier editions have also been included.

CLC SELECT *Contemporary Literary Criticism* is now available online as **CLC Select**. It contains an extensive collection of critical essays on contemporary writers. **CLC Select** also provides an integrated index to the entire *Contemporary Literary Criticism* print series located in Reference.

CollegeSource OnLine searches the **full-text** of over **7,200 college catalogs** representing 2-year, 4-year, graduate and professional schools.

CQ LIBRARY provides access to the **full-text** of two of Congressional Quarterly's premier publications, the *CQ Weekly* and the *CQ Researcher*. Through the CQ Library database patrons may search the current issues, as well as the archive for either publication.

DOW-JONES INTERACTIVE accesses a wide range of significant business content from top news of the day, to in-depth background information on virtually any company, industry or newsworthy person. In a matter of seconds, you can search more than 70 million articles from:

- **full-text** articles from **over 5,500 national & international journals & newspapers**
- **full-text** industry analysis
- company profiles, SEC information

CRITICAL COMPARISONS OF AMERICAN COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES is a website produced by educational professionals, using information from the U.S. Department of Education's exhaustive IPEDS database, studies conducted by the National Research Council, and crime statistics compiled by colleges and universities in compliance with federal law. The graphs and statistical analyses in each school's CC report allow



JSTOR (Journal Storage-Access to Scholarly Journals) Think “journal storage,” and you have JSTOR, a Web-based archival/backfile service, allowing users to search through the **full-text** of articles from academic journals in the disciplines of Economics, Ecology, History, Mathematics, Sociology, Population Studies and Political Science. The most recent issues of each journal are not included. **JSTOR** contains complete back issues of core scholarly journals. Many of the first issues date from the 1880’s and some titles are as current as 1996.

LEXIS-NEXIS Universe® is the new Web version for academic libraries. It includes **1500 full-text** business and news journals as well as coverage for the following topics and more:

- **Top News**-Company News, Industry & Market News, Government, Political and Legal News
- **Company Financial Reports, SEC, 10k’s**
- **International Country, US & State Profiles**
- **Business Reference Library & Directories**
- **MEDLINE Abstracts & Health Topics**
- **Accounting, Auditing & Tax Law**
- **Federal Case Law & Legal Reviews**
- **U.S. Code, Constitution, & Court Rules**
- **State Legal Research.**

MEDLINE (Free public medicine Web sites)
On June 26, 1997, the National Library of Medicine announced that its **MEDLINE** database of more than 9 million references to articles published in **3900 biomedical journals** may be accessed free of charge on the World Wide Web. Two Web-based products, **PubMed** (free access to MEDLINE) and **Internet Grateful Med** (free access to MEDLINE, AIDSLINE, AIDS DRUGS, AIDSTRIALS, DIRLINE, HealthSTAR, HISTLINE, HSRPROJ, OLDMEDLINE and SDILINE), are available.

PROQUEST DIRECT offers online access to information from thousands of different journals, magazines, newspapers, and dissertations through two databases:

- **ProQuest Newsstand**, a collection of U.S. and international news sources including **full-text** access to over 150 major U.S. and international newspapers such as *The New York Times*, *The Times of London*, and hundreds of other news wires and sources.

- **ABI/INFORM Global**, full-text access to essential international and U.S. business information on companies, advertising, economics, human resources, finance, marketing, computers and more.

STAT-USA is a new government database offering four powerful search sites for trade, economic, and marketplace data and statistics: The National Trade Data Bank (**NTDB**), Economic Bulletin Board (**EBB**), Global Business Procurement Opportunities (**GLOBUS®**), and Bureau of Economic Analysis Economic Information (**BEA**).

SPORTS DISCUS covers all aspects of sport science including: sports medicine, exercise physiology, biomechanics, psychology, training techniques, coaching, physical education, fitness, recreation, facilities and equipment. It indexes over **47,500** books, conference proceedings, dissertations, reports, monographs and articles from more than **2,000** current journals, magazines, and newsletters. It also indexes over **26,000** documents from the University of Oregon’s North American Dissertations on Sport and Physical Education.

ZACKS FOR INVESTMENT ANALYSIS
Zacks Investment **Research University Analysis Watch** is available free to Cal Poly Pomona users.

Retrieve a company by its ticker symbol, if you don’t know it, go to the Global Symbol Database (www.dbc.com/cgi-bin/htx.exe/forms/lookup.html?source=core/dbc). Zacks’ provides a company report, analyst’s recommendation, and a variety of other data such as cash flow statements, risk ratings, returns on equity, industry ratios, and balance sheets.

SIX DATABASES MOVE TO THE WEB

Six databases, previously available on the local area network in Reference, are now available on the Web:

- **Agricola** (agriculture, veterinary & biology)
- **Business & Industry** (company & marketing)
- **ERIC** (teacher preparation and education)
- **MLA** (language, literature, linguistics & folklore)
- **PAIS** (international political science & public affairs)
- **Sociofile** (social sciences)

“Wonder, rather than doubt, is the root of knowledge”
 - Abraham Herschel



INTERNET CONNECTIONS

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LINK SEARCHING: WHEN ALL ELSE FAILS! A little known searching feature of some search engines is the ability to look for pages which have a link to a certain URL. For lack of a better name, I call this "link searching". Now the utility of this is not exactly obvious, but I had an opportunity to use this feature a few months back.

If you think about this "link searching" capability, the similarity to "citation searching" is quite strong. A lesser-known feature of the databases from ISI (the Institute for Scientific Information), citation searching allows one to find newer articles that have cited an older article in the newer articles' bibliographies. In many cases, the reason an author of a newer article would choose to cite an older article is the fact that the older article has something to do with the subject matter of the newer article.

However, if you look at the nature of the Web, you know that people put links to pages on their own pages for just about any reason under the sun. So you are apt to get a lot of irrelevant pages if you use link searching. But the high amount of irrelevant material does depend on the "popularity" (or shall I say, the widespread usefulness) of the page that is linked to. And the more popular (useful) a page is, the more likely you are to be able to find that page (or pages like it, or pages that link to it) by more normal means (i.e., keyword searching in a major search engine or search directory). Thus, if I wanted to find a page with lots of links to weather sources, I would not start by searching for pages that link to one of the major weather pages. Weather is so useful that so many other types of pages (that is, pages other than weather related pages) link to them.

Now we come to my example: I was looking for pages that describe a very specialized type of software called "bibliography management software". This software is useful for scholars who often get

their research papers rejected by journals. (Never mind why I was interested in this). This type of software allows a scholar to keep a database of bibliographic citations that can be outputted in various formats. Thus, one can repeatedly submit and re submit one's paper to various journals and not have to labor over reformatting the bibliographies each time.

Since I knew the names of some of the programs, I was able to find some of the software maker's Web sites. However, I had failed to find a page that had collected links to many of the other software makers. Every try at the terminology failed. I then resorted to link searching, that is, trying to find pages that had links to the few software makers' pages that I knew of. This particular type of software is so "unpopular" that I knew I would not have to wade through too much irrelevant material. I was able to find **one** page that had links to many such products. Using that one page, I explored its links and links linking to those lines until I found more such pages.

Now on to the actual details of how you do it. Only a few of the search engines offer this feature. In both *Infoseek and *Altavista (Advanced version), place the URL in question in the search dialog box and preface it with the search delimiter "link." "In *Hotbot select the option "links for this URL" and type in the URL in the dialog box. Consult the search engines' help pages for more details. I've often gotten results using only part of the URL in the search, when the entire URL failed. Sometimes omitting the "http://www" part of the URL helped.

Oh yes, and another use for this type of searching is to find out who has made a link to your own page. Think about this: what's a better gauge of the "worth" of your own page: how many times people stumble into it and trip your counter, or how many other pages have a link to it?

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*INFOSEEK <<http://www.infoseek.com/>>

*ALTAVISTA <<http://altavista.digital.com/>>

*HOTBOT <<http://www.hotbot.com/>>



 "Words are chameleons, which reflect the color of their environment" - *Learned Hand, opinion, Commissioner v. National Carbide, 1948.*

ACTIVITIES OF NOTE

LIBRARY DONOR RECOGNITION LIST

Beginning with this issue the Library wishes to acknowledge and express thanks to major donors who support the Library's collections and endowment fund. Gifts of money from the following donors enabled the acquisition of Spanish Language materials, books to support the social sciences and the Hotel & Restaurant Management program. Donations of personal libraries included the Gill Modern Poetry Collection of 2,645 rare, first edition and fine poetry books. The following is a list of this year's major donors:

- Martha Brown (In memory of her late husband, Cecil Brown)*
- Lynn & Claude Coppel*
- Fairplex of Pomona - Judy Siodmak*
- Elaine Gill (In memory of her late husband, John Gill)*
- Colonel James Jones (Ret.)*
- Mercado Latino - Angie Rodriguez*
- Montalvan's Sales -- Carmen & Marcos Montalvan*
- City of Pomona - Christina Carrizosa*

SPANISH LANGUAGE COLLECTION

The Chancellor's Office of the CSU has recently approved a new Spanish major for the Department of English and Foreign Languages at Cal Poly Pomona. This is a benchmark event and a step toward our campus goal of internationalizing the curriculum. Courses related to the major will be offered commencing with Fall Quarter 1998. In response the Library is increasing its holdings on Spanish language and culture. Kate Seifert, Humanities/Reference Librarian, is working with the campus, the Library Director, and Library Development staff to obtain funding from within and outside the campus for this growing collection.

PRESIDENT'S SCHOLARS RECOGNIZED

The President's Council Scholars program was established to recognize the academic and extra-curricular excellence of Cal Poly Pomona's most outstanding students. The Library is pleased to participate with the President's Office for the third year in recognizing these exceptional students. A Library bookplate has been placed in a volume of each scholar's choice. Students are given the choice of either selecting their favorite book from the Library's existing collection or recommending a title for purchase by the Library to be added to the collection. Once a year, the newly acquired books are placed on exhibit in the Library, honoring the scholar's and exhibiting their choices for a brief period of time. A "mock-up" of the title selections are used for the exhibit, so that the actual books selected are on the shelves and available for checkout throughout the display period.

LIBRARY/ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

PARTNERSHIP The Alumni Association has joined with the University Library to recognize and honor the Distinguished Alumni by making a contribution to the Library's Endowment Fund on behalf of each selected honoree. Each gift from the Alumni Association supports the equivalent of four books to the Library's collection. In return, the Library will bookplate material of the alumni's choice (including, but not limited to books, CD-ROM databases, multi-year journal subscriptions, etc.)

The direct and indirect support that will be generated by the Alumni Association's partnership with the Library will help:

- maintain the excellence of the collection
- satisfy the curriculum-related information needs of the campus community
- support student and faculty scholarship relative to the curricula across the disciplines.

VIDEO COLLECTION EXPANSION

The Library's video collection has grown to over 300 titles in the last year and a half. Many new feature films, documentaries, and comedies have been acquired. Subjects covered include: Eskimos, American Indian Movement, Afro-Americans, Asian religions; sports films, fashion, electronic music, drumming, jazz; affirmative action programs,



industrial management, racism, white supremacy movements, violence in mass media, rape, landscape architecture. Sample titles from some of the multiple-video sets include:

- *The Wisdom of Faith* [Bill Moyers special]
- *The Western Tradition* [a 26-cassette set about Western civilization]
- *The Silk Road* [a China travel documentary]
- *The Native Americans*
- *Multicultural Peoples of North America*
- *The History of Rock and Roll*
- *Accent on Architecture*
- *Masters of Animation*
- Various language instructional videos for learning Chinese and German.

Most new videos are ordered with provisions for the hearing impaired (closed captioning), when available.

ADOPT-A-BOOK IN 1997-98

By participating in the **Adopt-A-Book Program**, you can salute a former classmate, friend or loved one or designate a personal memento for yourself. At the same time, you are helping to ensure that the Library's collection fulfills the needs of our students, faculty, and alumni today, as well as future generations. Please contact Cheryl Meaux for further information (cameaux@csupomona.edu).

CALL FOR BOOK DONATIONS

Did you know that book donations to the Library are tax deductible? The Library needs your unwanted (new or used) novels, cookbooks, children's books and other curricula-related materials to add to their Perpetual Book Sale inventory (please no journals or magazines). All proceeds from the book sale go toward the Library's Endowment Fund, for future purchase of new materials in all formats for the collection.

The first miniature book published in America appeared in 1705 and measured 2 by 3.5 inches. Printed by William Secker and comprising 92 pages, its title was practically longer than the book itself: A Wedding Ring Fit for the Finger, or the Salve of Divinity on the Sore of Humanity with directions to those men that want wives, how to choose them, and to those women that have husbands, know to use them.

Library Lines

LIBRARY EVENTS

CAL POLY POMONA AUTHORS FETED The 12th annual **Golden Leaves Award**

Reception, honoring Cal Poly Pomona authors, was held Friday, April 24, 1998 in the Special Collections' Room of the Library. Books and other media by members of the campus community (faculty, staff, students and alumni) were on display in the Lobby throughout the month of April. Sponsored jointly by the University Library and the Office of Research and Sponsored Programs, this event offers us the opportunity to pay tribute to those authors who have published in the preceding year. A Web display of current and past award titles may be viewed at www.csupomona.edu/~library/exhibits/home.html. See pages 9-10 for the 1998 Golden Leaves Award Bibliography and excerpts from this year's reception.

PADUA HILLS THEATRE ARTIFACTS

The Padua Hills Theatre stands nestled among the olive trees in the foothills above Claremont. An exhibit of artifacts from the Theatre was on display in the University Library from May 8 through June 30, 1998. For over forty years, it's Mexican Players have provided a unique form of entertainment to thousands of tourists and residents from the surrounding community.

Prepared by the Special Collections staff, the exhibit of memorabilia, illustrated the history of the theatre, it's plays and players. Posters, photographs, stage plans, and scripts spanning the years 1930-1974 were all part of the display. The artifacts and memorabilia were loaned from the Pomona Public Library's Special Collection.

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK

Cal Poly Pomona celebrated National Library Week, April 19 through 25, 1998 with a continuing book sale and a speaking engagement by curator and collector Sidney Berger. A reception and presentation for the 12th Annual Golden Leaves Award was held on at the end of the week honoring faculty, staff, student and alumni authors.



FUNGI EXHIBIT GATHERS NO MOLD

Throughout the centuries, people have used fungi as food, medicine, and poison. Danette Cook Adamson, Special Collections librarian, and Dr. Martin Stoner, Biological Sciences professor, prepared a unique exhibit featuring rare and significant works from the history of mycology (the study of fungi) as well as some large and dramatic specimens. Items on display were from the Humphrey Mycology Collection, acquired by the University Library in 1969 from C.J. Humphrey (1882-1970), a distinguished scientist and one of the first mycologists to work internationally.

CAL POLY POMONA HISTORY EXHIBIT

A permanent exhibit of scenes from our campus history has been mounted outside the entrance of the Special Collections room located on the third floor of the University Library. Ten large photographs printed from historic negatives kept in the University Archives and the W.K. Kellogg Arabian Horse Library span the years 1926 to 1955. Included are representative pictures from the Kellogg Ranch and the Voorhis campus in San Dimas. More historic photographs will be added to the exhibit in the future.

PERPETUAL BOOK SALE

From April 7 through June 21, the Spring Quarter Book Sale offered a collection of donated new and used books; hardbacks cost \$2, paperbacks cost \$1. During National Library Week, every 25th book sale customer received a bonus from the Library. As indicated by its name, the Perpetual Book Sale will be an ongoing fundraiser throughout the year.

FRIDAY RESEARCH CLINICS

From September through June the Reference and Instruction Team offers weekly, one-on-one, hands-on practice sessions in the Library's Electronic Classroom, Room 114. Students, faculty and staff are welcome to come between 11AM and 1PM on Fridays (excluding quarter breaks). You will have a chance to cruise the Web, try new Internet search engines, discover new databases or brush up your skills in searching the Library Catalog and databases. Special events or holidays may occasionally preclude the clinic. Please check the schedule posted outside Room 114 on the 1st Floor.

"Books are where things are explained to you. Life is where things aren't. ... I am not surprised that some people prefer books." -Julian Barnes

COMINGS & GOINGS

KOGA AND HUANG ASSUME LEADERSHIP FOR LIBRARY WEB

James S. Koga, Librarian, Reference, Collection, and Instruction Services, and Cecilia Huang, Systems, now share responsibilities for the Library Web site. James will function as content manager and deal with overall design issues. Technical aspects and actual implementation will be handled by Cecilia. Contact Mr. Koga (JSKoga@csupmona.edu) x3098 if you have any concerns.

ARABIAN HORSE LIBRARY MOVES

The W.K. Kellogg Arabian Horse Library, founded in 1974 through efforts by librarian emerita Mary Lee DeVilbiss (Batcheller) and further developed since 1985 by curator and Arabian horse expert Melissa Paul, moved out of the library during summer 1997 to new quarters on the second floor of the University Union. The new location is considered a temporary one, with the intention of building a separate facility for the collection sometime in the future. For information on collections and resources, contact Melissa Paul, Curator, x3180.

NEW SCIENCES BIBLIOGRAPHER

James S. Koga is now the bibliographer for the College of Science. In addition to covering the collection needs for the Biological Sciences, as he had in the past, he will now also cover Physics, Chemistry, Geology, Math and Computer Science. Mr. Koga holds a BS degree in Biological Sciences and recently published information on a method for growing the bacteria *Nitrosomonas* and *Nitrobacter*, which are used for the oxidation of ammonia in aquaria.

"What I like in a good author is not what he says, but what he whispers." - Logan Pearsall Smith



1997-98 GOLDEN LEAVES AWARD

The 12th Annual Golden Leaves Award reception was held in the Library in April during National Library Week. Cal Poly Pomona President Bob Suzuki and the Library Director, Harold Schleifer greeted the guests and made the introductions. The following selected comments were from Mr. Schleifer's address:

"Since 1986 our authors have published over 200 works covering the spectrum of human interest and endeavors, scholarly, as well as popular, well-researched as well as purely creative, ranging from rodeos to cooking from history to the sciences. People worldwide continue to enthusiastically use books in spite of the dawning of the age of digital information and the Internet. So far, no other format compares with the book for general ease of use, convenience, stability, longevity, affordability, physical comfort and suitability for sustained reading and comprehension.

This year we are honoring 13 authors for 15 books. As we listen to our writers share their experiences, I invite you to think back for a moment, to the first book you really loved - the one you read over and over, day and night because it took you someplace you never wanted to leave. Or remember the person - a teacher, a parent, a librarian - who showed you how words could make magic."

After the address the recipients were introduced and given an engraved commemorative paperweight. The authors then spoke about their own writing experiences and the stories behind the publication of these books.

"A writer's problem is always how to write truly and, having found what is true, to project it in such a way that it becomes a part of the experience of the person who reads it." -Ernest Hemingway

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It was Lewis Carroll who first suggested to his publisher that the dust jacket carry the title of the book. Thus Carroll's The Hunting of the Snark was the first book to be published with a printed jacket.

**Selected quotes throughout the newsletter are taken from The Booklover's Day Book . Alan Hutchison Publishing Co., Ltd. 1996 and other various public domain sources.; Respectfully Quoted: A Dictionary of Quotations from the Library of Congress. CQ Inc., Washington, DC. 1992.; The New York Public Library Student Planner . Pomegranate Calendars & Books, Rohnert Park, CA. 1997.*



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