

NCLA

North Carolina Library Association

Candidates 1995-1997

Candidates for Vice-President/President Elect

Edward Thomas Shearin, Jr.

Director of Library/Learning Resources,
Carteret Community College, Morehead

Education: A.A., Chowan College; B.A., NC Wesleyan College;
M.S. in L.S., ECU; candidate for the Ed.D. in Adult
and Community College
Administration, NCSU



Professional Activities:

NCLA, Director; SELA;
NC Community College
Learning Resources
Association,
Past-President; Micro-
computer Users Group of
Librarians; NC On-Line
Users Group; workshop
leader on topics in
automation and net-
working

Alice Beverley Gass

Dean of Learning Resources,
Guilford Technical Community
College, Jamestown

Education: Ph.D., Columbia
University; Certificate in
Advanced Librarianship,
Columbia University;
M.L.S., Emory University;
B.S., University of
Tennessee



Professional Activities:

ALA (ACRL, LAMA,
Community and Junior
College Section, Chair);
NCLA (LAMA); North Carolina Community College Learning
Resources Association, Past-President; Association of Com-
munity College Instructional Administrators; American
Association of Women in Community and Junior Colleges;
Guilford Library Association; NC Department of Community
Colleges Task Force on Distance Education

Candidates for Secretary



Anna Yount

Director, Transylvania County Library, Brevard

Education: B.A., ECU; M.S. in L.S., UNC-CH

Professional Activities: ALA (RQ Editorial Advisory Board,
RASD/CODES Reference Sources Committee);
NCLA (Reference and Adult Services Section,
Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect, Secretary/Treasurer);
SELA; Beta Phi Mu; Phi Kappa Phi

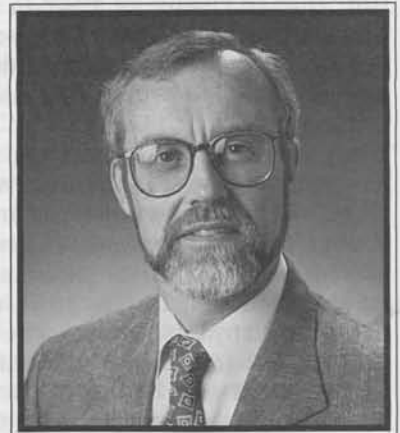
Steve Sumerford

Branch Manager,
Glenwood Branch
Library, Greensboro

Education: B.A., UNC-CH;
M.L.S., NCCU

Professional Activities:

ALA (National Ad Hoc
Committee for ALA/Head
Start Partnership); SELA;
NCLA (Literacy Commit-
tee, Chair; Conference Publications Committee, Chair; Commit-
tee on AIDS Materials Awareness) State Literacy Resource Center
Advisory Committee; Smart Start and the Public Library Work-
shop, Director; Guilford Library Association, President; Branch
Library Institute, Director; Community of Readers, Co-Director;
"Check It Out," Newsletter of Greensboro Public Library, Editor



Candidates for Director (elect two)

Peggy Olney

Media Services Director, Moore County
School System

Education:

B.A., Longwood College,
Farmville, VA;
M.L.S., NCCU

Professional Activities:

NCLA (NCASL, Chair);
NCAECT, Past-President;
Ruth Pauley Lecture
Series, Chair; Delta
Kappa Gamma



Jackie Beach

Director, Edgecombe County Memorial Library, Tarboro

Education: B.A., Wake Forest
University; M.L.S., ECU

Professional Activities:

ALA (PLA, LAMA); NCLA
(Public Library Section,
Past-President, LAMA); SELA
(Public Library Section, New
Members Round Table)

Award: Public Library
Development Committee



Barbara S. Akinwale

Reference/Business Services Consultant,
Division of State Library of
North Carolina

Education: B.A., Saint
Augustine's College;
Programming Certificate,
Chamberlayne Junior
College; M.L.S., NCCU

Professional Activities:

SLA; NCSLA, Chair;
ALA/BCALA; NCLA
(Public Library Section,
Reference and Adult
Services Section);
Capital Area Library
Association; State
Government Library
Association; NCCU/SLIS Alumni Association, President



Kay O. Spilker

Program Specialist in Media, Media/
Technology Services,
Winston-Salem/Forsyth
County Schools

Education:

B.S., Appalachian State
University; M.L.S., UNC-G

Professional Activities:

ALA (AASL); NCLA
(NCASL, LAMA); Forsyth
School Media Association



Nominees Needed for Technical Services Awards

The Executive Committee of the Resources and Technical Services Section is seeking the names of promising and practicing librarians for its Student and Significant Contribution awards. The two winners will receive plaques and \$200 cash awards during presentation at the NCLA Biennial Conference.

The Student Award is open to students actively enrolled in library education in North Carolina as of July 1, 1995. Recent graduates who are North Carolina librarians are also eligible. Nominees must intend to pursue a technical services career. Self-nomination is permissible.

The Significant Contribution Award is open to North Carolina librarians who have made an important contribution to technical services, either in their institution or in the profession in general. At least part of the nominee's current work must involve an aspect of technical services. Applicants must be nominated by a current member of NCLA.

The nomination deadline for both awards is July 31, 1995.

To submit nominations for either award, please contact:

Catherine Wilkinson, Chair
RTSS Executive Committee
Belk Library
Appalachian State University
Boone, NC 28608

Candidates for Chair Elect

Melinda Eudy Ratchford

Director of Media and Technology,
Gaston County Schools

Education: B.S., ASU; M.L.S., UNC-G;
Sixth-Year Degree in Curriculum/
Instruction, ASU; PH.D, UNC-CH

Professional Activities: NCLA (NCASL);
NCAECT; NEA, National Delegate;
NCAE (State Delegate; Gaston
County, President; Committee for
Education, Resolutions, Commit-
tee Chair; Fair Employment and
Dismissal Review Panel; Charlotte/
Mecklenburg, President); NCAEOP

Awards: Gaston County NCAEOP Administrator of the Year; District 2
NCAEOP Administrator of the Year; Editor of *Gaston County
Navigator*, winner of the State School Press Award



Edna Alston Cogdell:

Media Supervisor,
Cumberland County Schools;
Assistant Professor, School of
Library and Information
Sciences, NCCU

Education: B.S., Fayetteville
State University; M.S., NC
A&T; M.L.I.S., NCCU

Professional Activities: ALA
(AASL); NCLA (NCASL); NC
High School Library/Media
Association



Candidates for Secretary

Freeda A. Holladay: Media Specialist,
Henderson Elementary
School, Salisbury

Education:
B.S., University of Akron;
M.L.S., UNC-G

Professional Activities:
NCLA (NCASL, Conference
Planning Committee; NC
Children's Book Award
Committee); Rowan-
Salisbury Children's
Literature Guild, President-
Elect, Past President, Vice
President, Secretary

Awards: Cleveland Elementary School Teacher of the
Year; NCCAT Participant; Teacher Academy Participant.



Susan B. Clementson:

Media Specialist, Rosman
High School, Rosman

Education: B.A., Florida State
University

Professional Activities: NCLA
(NCASL); Student Library
Assistants' Curriculum
Committee; Transylvania
County Library Develop-
ment Committee



Candidate for Treasurer



Claudette C. Wiese: Media Coordinator,
Parkwood High School, Monroe

Education: A.A., Wingate College; B.S., Winthrop
College; M.Ed.L.S., Winthrop College; Ed.S., ASU

Professional Activities: NCLA (NCASL, Legislative
Committee, Treasurer)

Awards: Anson Senior High Teacher of the Year; NC
Technology Educator Award for Grades 9-12;
Recognized in *Media and Methods* as 1 of 100
educators in nation who "rank at forefront of
educational technology"

Candidates for Director from Piedmont



Ann B. McCormick:
Media Supervisor, Harnett County
Schools, Lillington

Education: B.A., UNC-CH;
M.L.S., ECU

Professional Activities: NCLA (NCASL);
NCAECT, Region 4 Director;
Phi Chapter,
Delta Kappa Gamma, President

Sue Spencer:

Director of Media and Technology, Randolph
County Schools, Asheboro

Education: B.A., UNC-G; M.L.S., UNC-G

Professional Activities: ALA (AASL); NCLA (NCASL,
Conference Committee, Executive Board);
AECT (NCAECT, Secretary, Conference
Committee, Co-Editor of Newsletter); NAPPS;
Phi Delta Kappa; Delta Kappa Gamma

Awards: NCDPI Technology Educator Award

Candidates for Director from Coast

Edna M. Gause:

Media Director, Brunswick
County Schools, Southport

Education: A.B., Shaw University; M.L.S.,
NCCU

Professional Activities: NCLA (NCASL,
Regional Director, Media Fair
Coordinator, Battle of the Books
Coordinator); NCAE, Secretary

Awards: Cited for leadership and
organizational skills



Kay Small:

Media Coordinator,
Trenton Elementary
School, Jones County

Education: B.A., Mars Hill College;
M.L.S., ECU

Professional Activities: NCLA
(NCASL, State Battle of the
Books Chair)

Awards: Governor's Volunteer
Award for Jones County

Candidates for Affiliate Assembly

Alyce Joines: Media Specialist,
Fairview Elementary
School, Guilford County

Education: B.A., UNC-G;
M.L.S., UNC-G

Professional Activities:
ALA (AASL; YALSA,
Public Relations
Committee); NCLA
(NCASL, newsletter
co-editor); Guilford
Association of School
Librarians, President



Jane Parker:

Media Specialist, Leesville High
School /Media Central
Teaching Staff, Wake County

Education: B.A., UNC-W;
M.L.S., ECU; Media Supervi-
sion Certification, UNC-G

Professional Activities: ALA
(AASL, Continuing Education
Committee, Information
Utilization Skills Task Force);
NCLA (NCASL, Membership,
Chair; Research Committee)

Awards: Outstanding Service
to Professional Development,
Wake County School System Board of Education



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