

The Addendum

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CK Reference Librarians Hit the Road to Provide Legal Research Training to Librarians State-Wide



Circuit Riders Outreach Program

"Legal Research for Non-Law Librarians"

In order to promote public access to legal information in South Carolina, our reference librarians will soon be hitting the road with a new outreach program we're calling *Circuit Riders*. A series of monthly workshops will take them around the state, beginning with Columbia, Spartanburg, Rock Hill, Charleston, Beaufort, & Myrtle Beach, teaching public and academic librarians about the legal research process and the resources available to their patrons. The program was introduced at the South Carolina Library Association's annual meeting in November, 2006, to a very enthusiastic response.

Terrye Conroy and David Lehmann, reference librarians at the Coleman Karesh Law Library, presented a program to the South Carolina Special Libraries Association Meeting in Myrtle Beach, SC, on February 23, 2007, discussing the Law Library's Circuit Riders Outreach Program.

The programs will include an overview of the legal system, the legislative, executive, and judicial branches and how they function; legal resources available to public and academic libraries; finding primary sources; using secondary sources as legal research tools; building a basic low-cost print legal collection; and providing legal reference without giving legal advice.

The intent of the program is to train non-law librarians in basic legal research skills to enable them to assist patrons who are doing legal research. In the presentation at Myrtle Beach, David and Terrye discussed the program, its key functions, and selected portions of the training modules being developed. They also gave the members of the audience excerpts of the manual that the law librarians are producing for distribution to libraries within the state. When completed, the manual will also be available on the Law Library's web site.

Circuit Riders outreach program is currently scheduled for an initial set of eight presentations throughout the state. The program debuts on March 14, 2007.

The Tentative Schedule of Circuit Riders:

March 14	Spartanburg	-	Spartanburg Public Library
April 20	Columbia	-	Government Documents Librarians
May 3	Columbia	-	State Library
May 17	Charleston	-	Charleston Public Library
May 18	Charleston	-	Charleston Academic Libraries
June 22	Beaufort	-	(location TBD)
July 27	Rock Hill	-	(location TBD)
August 3	Conway	-	Coastal Carolina University



Welcome NEW CK EMPLOYEE

The Law Library is happy to introduce Walter (Walt) LeRiche as the Law School's new Media Resources Specialist. Walt took over the position on February 16th, and he comes to us with over 30 years experience in the audio/visual field. His office is located on the 2nd floor of the Library in room 219C, and you can reach him by e-mail at LeRiche@gwm.sc.edu for assistance with any of your audio/visual needs. Welcome, Walt!

“IN THE KNOW”

Beth Hendrix is one staff member that everyone should get to know! Beth has been with the Law Library since October as the Law School’s Faculty/Staff Technology Trainer and IT Coordinator, and she is here to assist everyone to enable better use of the law school computers and software. She is available for consultation regarding use of technology in the classroom, as well as current trends and uses of technology in data processing, and document preparation, among other things. Beth conducts technology training classes for faculty and staff, and she is also available for one-on-one training. Beth also serves as an in-house tech help desk. If you are having difficulty with a software application, just give her a call for on-the-spot assistance. If you haven’t utilized her knowledge and skills yet, please feel free to do so! Her office is located in room 217, and you can reach her at 7-8058 or BethU@gwm.sc.edu.



Recent Law Librarian Presentations

Terrye Conroy, Stacy Etheredge, David Lehmann, Rebekah Maxwell, Pamela Melton, Sara Repinki, and Karen Taylor, “Library services for faculty.” Colloquium, University of South Carolina School of Law (January 2007).

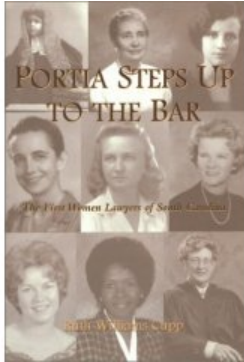
Terrye Conroy and David Lehmann, “Legal Research for Non-Law Librarians: Circuit Riders Program”, SC SLA, Myrtle Beach, SC, (February 2007).

Rebekah Maxwell, "Helping the Public Locate Legal Information on the Free Web", South Carolina Summary Court Judges Association, Myrtle Beach, SC (February 2007).

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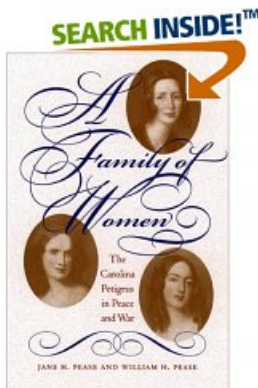
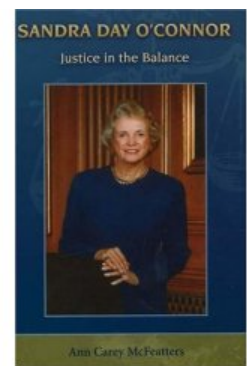
- * The new acquisitions list is posted each month on the [Cocky Law Blawg](#).
- * The reference librarians can be reached at lawref@web.gwm.sc.edu.
- * You must have your USC ID to enter the Law Center after 9:00p.

RECOMMENDED READING AND VIEWING FOR MARCH, WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH, FROM THE COLEMAN KARESH LAW LIBRARY



RUTH WILLIAMS CUPP, **PORTIA STEPS UP TO THE BAR: THE FIRST WOMEN LAWYERS OF SOUTH CAROLINA** (Pentland Press 2003). KF299 .W6 C87

ANN CAREY MCFEATHERS, **SANDRA DAY O'CONNOR: A JUSTICE IN THE BALANCE** (University of New Mexico Press 2005). KF8745 .O25 M34



JANE H. PEASE AND WILLIAM H. PEASE, **A FAMILY OF WOMEN: THE CAROLINA PETIGRUS IN PEACE AND WAR** (University of North Carolina Press) HQ1438 .S6 P42

THE PELICAN BRIEF [video recording] (Warner Bros. 1997). PN1995.9 .S87 P45

COMMISSION ON WOMEN IN THE WORKPLACE, **VISIBLE INVISIBILITY: WOMEN OF COLOR IN LAW FIRMS** (American Bar Association 2006). KF299 .A35 A44

