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Presidents’ Column
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I'd like to thank Joni Herbst, WestPac nominating committee, for the slate of candidates she has put together. We are truly fortunate to have Kathy Carlson running for VP-President-elect. Kathy was WestPac's outstanding President during 1996/97. She has extraordinary experience in both WestPac and AALL, serving on many committees and sections. Thank you Kathy for your willingness and enthusiasm! Stephanie Midkiff has been WestPac's secretary for the past two years. Besides creating a superb online membership directory, she sends us all the cutest notes to pay up our measly $15.00 membership dues, or else! And, like Kathy, she is willing to do it again! It is excellent to know WestPac is in such good hands. Joni, Kathy and Stephanie exemplify the law library professionals who have done so much for us all. While they are outstanding, it is time for our members to look to others to take their turn at WestPac's helm. WestPac members are truly an incredible group. We cover a huge geographic area, but have relatively few members, so you get to know everyone! Without a doubt, our annual meetings are the best. They are interesting, educational, and fun. And you get to come to some of the best cities in the West. I ask our members to look around, see what WestPac membership has done for them, and volunteer. We have great committees and wonderful opportunities to do something positive for your regional professional chapter.

I urge those of you attending AALL in Orlando, to attend the WestPac luncheon. There will be an online registration form available. As always, WestPac will pick up part of the bill to greatly reduce the cost for those who will be there. Remember, only those who
Please Take Note!

The Grants and Awards Committee is accepting requests for financial assistance to Anchorage. The WestPac Grant Application is printed on the 2nd-to-last page of this newsletter. The form is designed to fit into a standard window envelope for mailing.

have paid their dues can attend because of the huge discount we have given to our members.

It is not too early to make your plans to attend WestPac in Anchorage September 19-20. The Education Committee and Local Arrangements have put together a real blockbuster event. Within the breathtaking environment of Anchorage, we will be educated, challenged, wined and dined, etc. Plan to come early and stay late. Registration for this meeting will be found in the newsletter as well as online.

Dates to Remember

95th Annual AALL Meeting July 20-24, Orlando
Information regarding the meeting is available at:
http://www.aallnet.org/events/

WestPac Conference September 19-21, Anchorage
Information about Alaska and Anchorage are available on the chapter website at:
http://www.aallnet.org/chapter/westpac/tourist.htm

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Member contributions to WestPac News are always appreciated. The preferred method of submission is to send the newsletter editor a WordPerfect or Word document as an email attachment (URQUIAGAL@LAWGATE.BYU.EDU).
Guest Column:  
"Ripped from the Headlines"  
Recent Subject Compilations of State Laws  
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Reference Librarian  
Gallagher Law Library  
University of Washington

Animals
Pp. 130-37. Essay. Cites to codes and regulations in footnotes. Covers the forty-one states that have laws protecting endangered and threatened wildlife species (fn. 62), provisions on what constitutes a "take" of a protected animal (fn. 63, 71, and 72), and acquisition of habitat (fn. 78-92).

Attorneys

Cloning
P. 483, fn. 10. Citations only. Cites to codes. Covers the five states that have laws prohibiting human cloning. Includes California, Louisiana, Michigan, Rhode Island, and Virginia.

Constitutional Rights
P. 1112, fn. 82. Citations only. Cites to constitutions. Covers the sixteen states that have constitutional provisions barring the banishment of individuals from the state.

Contraception
P. 503, fn. 12, and p. 530, fn. 179. Citations only. Cites to codes. Covers the thirteen states that have insurance laws "requiring employee health plans to provide coverage for contraceptives."

Court Procedure
Pp. 1333-41, "Appendix: Champerty Law from the Fifty States." Summaries. Cites to codes and cases. Covers prohibitions on "the sale of the fruit of legal judgment or settlement, in advance of such judgment or settlement, to an otherwise disinterested party."

Elections
Gambling

Gangs
   P. 752, fns. 256-58. Citations only. Cites to codes. Covers the twenty states that have laws on gang-related crimes (fn. 256), the thirteen states that have laws making it a crime for "gangs to intimidate, threaten, and recruit others" (fn. 257), and the ten states that have laws against gang participation (fn. 258).

Hate Crimes
"State Hate Crime Laws by Type." Center for the Study of Hate and Extremism. URL: [www.hatemonitor.org/other_states/state_statutes_by_type.html].
   Citations only. Cites to codes. Covers laws on enhanced penalties; hate crimes based on race, sexual orientation, gender, religion, or other attributes; misdemeanor or felony status; institutional vandalism; desecration of churches, cemeteries, and other religions institutions; cross-burning; mask-wearing; criminal civil rights violations; civil and private actions; suits brought by attorneys general; data collection; and training law enforcement personnel.

Labor Law

Library Records
   Full text. Cites to codes.

Marriage
   P. 1003, fn. 58. Citations only. Cites to codes. Covers the three states that have laws on covenant marriage. Includes Arizona, Arkansas, and Louisiana.

Medical Care
   P. 154, fn. 11. Citations only. Cites to codes. Covers the eleven states that have laws requiring a "minimum forty-eight hour stay for newborns and their mothers." Includes U.S. (federal)(fn. 10).
Motor Vehicles
Pp. 849-51, fn. 153. Full text. Cites to codes. Covers the forty-four states that have laws restricting "automobile manufacturers from selling directly to consumers."

Postconviction Remedies

P. 672, fn. 36. Citations only. Cites to codes. Covers the fifteen states that have laws on "compensation of individuals wrongly convicted and incarcerated." Includes U.S. (federal).

Prosecutors and Prosecution

New Members and Transitions
In trying to update the member database, I’ve heard from several of you about job transitions and other changes our members are embarking on. I hope all the changes are welcome and positive ones. Some of the information below I received “straight from the horse’s mouth” and some from your co-workers. I trust I’m not passing on inaccurate information or information that you would rather not have told. For other changes such as contact information not reported below, check out our online membership directory at www.aallnet.org/chapter/westpac/membership.htm, kept so ably by Jessica Van Buren.

New members since last newsletter:

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(T) 503-294-9576
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111 NE Lincoln Street
Hillsboro, OR 97124
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(F) 503-846-3515
(E) laura_orr@co.washington.or.us
CHANGES:

Richard Apgood, formerly Head of Technical Processing at the University of Utah’s S.J. Quinney Law Library in Salt Lake City, has become a Reference Librarian at the University of the District of Columbia David A. Clarke Library Library in Washington, D.C.

Margarita Bull is now a librarian at Mountain West College in West Valley City, UT.

Sheralee Carpenter, formerly Circulation Manager at BYU Law Library, has married and moved to Arizona. Best wishes, Sheralee!

Steven Elkins, formerly Head of Technical Services at the University of Nevada/Las Vegas Law Library, is now Assistant Director for Technical Services, Villanova University School of Law Library in Villanova, PA.

Oresta Esquibel, formerly a librarian with Jones, Waldo, Holbrook & McDonough in Salt Lake City, is now with the Trinity County Library in Weaverville, CA.

Carole Granger recently retired as Cataloguer at the University of Montana’s William J. Jameson Law Library in Missoula, MT.

Karen Halberg has left her position as Media/Tech Support at the same library to pursue a degree in nursing. Good luck with your change, Karen!

Marcia Hoak has retired as Law Librarian with the Marion County Law Library in Salem, OR.

Ann Karlen has retired as Law Librarian with the Washington County Law Library in Hillsboro, OR.

Marty Manahan recently switched from working in the Washington State Penitentiary Legal Library to the WSP Recreational Library in Walla Walla, WA.

Scott Matheson, formerly a student member of WestPac, has landed a job as a Reference Librarian at the Yale Law School Lillian Goldman Library in New Haven, CT. Way to go, Scott!

Heather Striebel, formerly Head of Serials at the University of Utah’s S.J. Quinney Law Library in Salt Lake, has moved to New York City.

Submitted by Stephanie Midkiff, Secretary 2000-02
News in WESTPAC Country

CANADA:

Akitsiraq Law School, Diana M. Priestly Law Library, University of Victoria

Rather than relocating to a law school in the South, the students at the Akitsiraq Law School have the unique opportunity to earn a University of Victoria law degree while they continue to live in their own social and cultural community in Iqaluit, Nunavut. The students at the Akitsiraq Law School are nearing the completion of their first year of the four year program. Details about the program can be found at the Faculty of Law’s website: http://law.uvic.ca.

Serena Ableson, the Akitsiraq Law Librarian, is coordinating distance library services for the students and faculty at the school; through creativity and the incorporation of new technologies, the Priestly Law Library will be able to provide distance instruction and research support for the school.

NEVADA:

2nd Annual NEVALL Meeting Held in Las Vegas
Submitted by Jennifer Gross, Assistant Professor & Head of Reference, UNLV Law Library

On April 30, 2002, the Nevada Association of Law Librarians (NEVALL) held their second annual meeting. The meeting was held at the William S. Boyd School of Law in Las Vegas, Nevada. Librarians from Reno, Carson City, and Las Vegas attended. The day's events included discussion of ongoing projects, review of plans for the new UNLV Law Library, and a tour of UNLV's Lied Library.

OREGON:

The Paul L. Boley Law Library, Lewis & Clark Law School, welcomed Wendy Hitchcock to its staff in June, 2002, as Reference Librarian. Prior to joining our staff, Wendy worked at the Oregon State Bar as a publications attorney editing CLE publications, and has also been a lobbyist, a jury consultant, and an attorney in private practice. Wendy was head of Public Services at Ohio Northern University Law School Library for 3 years and has worked in both public and university libraries as a reference librarian.

UTAH:

The Howard W. Hunter Law Library at Brigham Young University’s J. Reuben Clark Law School welcomes Linda C. Brown as Circulation Manager. Linda has worked at the main library on the BYU Campus for many years, and we feel very fortunate to have her.

In addition, we extend our congratulations for their advancement in rank to Galen Fletcher (Associate Law Librarian), Kristen Gerdy (Associate Law Librarian), and Laurie Urquiaga (Senior Law Librarian). Laurie was also recently awarded one of five West Group Excellence In Law Librarianship Scholarships for 2002.

WYOMING:

Kathy Carlson, the Wyoming State Law Librarian, was awarded the first ever Excellent Service Award by the Wyoming Supreme Court. She was recognized for her endeavors in spearheading the effort to have Universal Citation Format adopted in Wyoming and in assisting the State Public Defender build small law libraries for public defenders' offices around the state in a cost-effective manner.

NOTICE!

The American Association of Law Libraries Social Responsibilities Special Interest Section Standing Committee on Library Service to Institution Residents, is revising its Directory: Law Libraries Offering Services to Prisoners. The 2002 update is available online at a free website, http://weblaw.barry.edu/llsp/.

If you provide any services to prisoners, and wish to be included in the new Directory update, please complete the online form at http://weblaw.barry.edu/llsp/submit.htm, or contact Ann Hemmens (hemmens@u.washington.edu).
WestPac in Anchorage
It's time to start planning your trip to the WestPac meeting in Anchorage September 19th - 20th, 2002.

Plan to arrive by Wednesday September 18th if not earlier!
Educational programs begin Thursday September 19th at 1:00 pm and run through Friday the 20th at 4:00. Plan to come a few days before the conference, or stay a couple of days afterward to see some of the spectacular sights the largest state in the country has to offer.

Lodging
The official conference hotel is the Hotel Captain Cook, located in downtown Anchorage at 4th Avenue and K Street. There is a block of 45 rooms set aside for WestPac attendees at a special conference rate of $98 per night + tax. The rate is valid September 13 - 25, 2002. Contact the Hotel Captain Cook at 800-843-1950 and tell them that you are with WestPac.

Rooms may also be available at the Voyager Hotel, directly across the street from the conference hotel at 501 K Street. The Voyager is a completely non-smoking facility with just 38 rooms. Contact them at 800-247-9070.

If you will be renting a car you might consider alternate lodging, such as a bed & breakfast. Be forewarned, however, that you will have to pay to park near the conference hotel. The conference will take place in downtown Anchorage. Travel time from the Hillside or South Anchorage is approximately 30 minutes. Travel time from Midtown is about 10 - 15 minutes.

Educational Programs
We've got a full slate of educational programs planned for WestPac attendees.

Thursday (choose one)
- Cataloging Internet and Electronic Resources
- This Class is All About Style: A Discussion of Learning Styles and How We Teach Electronic Resources

Friday
- Justice in Alaska: Past, Present and Future
- The Future of Legal Education: Panel Discussion
- Bob Berring will be our final speaker – we look forward to hearing his thinkable thoughts!

Opening Reception at Anchorage Museum of History and Art
Thursday evening WestPac attendees will dine at the Anchorage Museum of History and Art. You'll have the chance to explore the museum, which includes displays focusing on early Alaska Native cultures, Russian exploration and settlement, the gold rush era, World War II, and statehood, as well as paintings by Sydney Laurence, and works by contemporary Alaska Native artists.

Farewell Dinner and Business Meeting at Alyeska Resort
Your conference fee includes a bus trip on the scenic Seward Highway along the spectacular Turnagain Arm, a glacier carved-fjord, to the resort community of Girdwood. You may see dall sheep, mountain goats, beluga whales and glaciers. We will have our final dinner and business meeting at Girdwood's Alyeska Resort.

Buses will return you to Anchorage after the dinner, or you can choose to stay overnight at the Alyeska Prince Hotel and take advantage of the sightseeing opportunities the area has to offer. If you choose to stay overnight at Alyeska, identify yourself as a WestPac member when you book your room. We have arranged a special rate of $109.00/night + tax. Contact them at 1-800-880-3880. Ask to speak with guest services to arrange sightseeing activities such as a Kenai Fjords boat tour, hiking or flightseeing. Your conference fee includes a return trip to Anchorage by bus Saturday afternoon. If you plan to stay longer than one night at Alyeska, guest services can help you arrange transportation back to Anchorage.

What about boat tours?
You have two boat tour destination options: Prince William Sound (out of Whittier) and Kenai Fjords National Park (out of Seward). Some companies will not be offering tours after the conference.

Phillips' 26 Glacier Cruise is offering WestPac attendees a reduced fare. This is a four and one half hour cruise covering 135 miles with spectacular glacier views and a good chance of seeing a variety of marine wildlife including otters, orcas, seals and birds. The cruise is regularly $109 plus $3.50 tax, and transportation; the special rate is $85 plus $3.50 tax, and optional $40 motor coach transportation. This rate is good through September 19th. Phillips' has a no seasickness - money back guarantee.

Contact Phillips' directly at 800-544-0529, or visit their website to make your reservations. You must book and pay 30 days in advance and identify yourself as a WestPac member to get the reduced rate. If you rent a car you can drive to Whittier, (cruise departure point) about 45 minutes South of Anchorage. There is a $15 fee to travel through the Whittier Tunnel.

Won't This Be Expensive?
One low fee of $165 for WestPac members includes all educational programs and meals beginning with Thursday afternoon's educational program and ending with Friday's farewell dinner. What a bargain!

Still worried about costs? Apply for a grant! WestPac offers grant aid for conference attendees. WestPac membership is not required, although preference will be given to members. Membership is just $15.

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Major Marine Tours www.majormarine.com
Kenai Fjords (Seward) www.kenaifjords.com
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Netsense Column
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Are you getting ready for WestPac 2002 in Anchorage? As librarians, it is our lot in life to be prepared for anything—especially the fun stuff! And visiting Anchorage is going to be a blast! Jessica Van Buren, WestPac’s handy dandy Webmaster (and Alaska resident), has some great Anchorage-related URLs on the WestPac Website. I thought it couldn’t hurt to highlight some of these sites (and a few others) in this month’s Netsense column. Get excited! We’re off to Alaska!

Anchorage Convention & Visitors Bureau
http://www.anchorage.net/1.cfm
Touted as “your official source for visitor information about Anchorage, Alaska,” this site has some nifty information on events, places to shop, and locations to eat. Particularly helpful is the “Itinerary Ideas” section which gives you an idea of some of the activities available in downtown Anchorage.

Anchorage Chamber of Commerce
http://www.anchoragechamber.org/
Of special note on this site is the Virtual Tour option. Very cool! The Tourism section of this page also contains some other interesting information. Did you know that more bald eagles live in Alaska than in all other states combined?

Alaska Division of Tourism
http://www.dced.state.ak.us/tourism/
Provides great information about getting around Alaska; also serves as an excellent starting spot for background information about Alaska. You can even send an Alaska E-postcard!

Acsyellowpages.com
http://www.acsyellowpages.com/anchorage/tour/
Go here to take the Downtown Anchorage Virtual Walking Tour! Here are listed 17 points of interest for a three-hour walking tour through historic Anchorage. This self-guided tour traces the development of Anchorage from 1915 to the major metropolis it is today. Click on the icons of the 17 highlights for more details on each area. Neato!

Trails of Anchorage
http://www.trailsofanchorage.com/
For those who like to walk, Anchorage has an extensive trail system. Go to this site for all the details on Anchorage’s numerous (and it looks like beautiful) hiking trails.

Alaska Internet Travel Guide
http://www.alaskaone.com/anchorage/
Contains helpful travel planning information for Anchorage: Accommodations, activities, transportation. “Surrounded by all the beauty of activities of Alaska, Anchorage offers a unique blend of spectacular scenery, Russian and Native heritage, Alaskan adventure and big city amenities.” Check it out!

City of Anchorage
http://www.ci.anchorage.ak.us/History/index.html
Ever-so-interesting historical highlights of Anchorage are available from this Website, in both a print narrative and a timeline format. I found it most informative!

Also, don’t forget to visit the WestPac Website at http://www.aallnet.org/chapter/westpac/tourist.htm for even more great Websites regarding the myriad of things to do and see in Anchorage. And get ready for Alaska in September!
WestPac Libraries on the Internet

ALASKA
Alaska State Court Law Library
www.state.ak.us/courts/libinfo.htm

CALIFORNIA
Alameda County Law Library
www.co.alameda.ca.us/law/index.htm
Garret W. McEnemey Law Library at Boalt Hall
www.law.berkeley.edu/library/library.html
Golden Gate University Law Library
internet.ggu.edu/law_library/
Sacramento County Law Library
www.saclaw.lib.ca.us/
San Francisco Law Library
www.ci.sf.ca.us/sfl
Santa Clara University Heafy Library
www.scsu.edu/law/library/index.html
Southwestern University School of Law Library
www.swlaw.edu/library
University of California Hastings Law Library
www.uchastings.edu/library
University of San Diego Legal Research Center
www.acusd.edu/lrc
University of San Francisco Zief Law Library
www.usfca.edu/law_library
University of the Pacific Gordon D. Schaber Law Library
12.2.169.205/campus_resources/library/index.htm

HAWAII
Hawaii Supreme Court Library
www.state.hi.us/libhnbk.htm
University of Hawaii School of Law Library
library.law.hawaii.edu

IDAHO
Idaho State Law Library
www2.state.id.us/lawlib/lawlib.html
University of Idaho College of Law Library
www.uidaho.edu/law/library/index.html

MONTANA
Montana Legislative Reference Center
leg.state.mt.us/reference/index.htm
State Law Library of Montana
www.lawlibrary.state.mt.us
University of Montana William J. Jameson Law Library
www.umt.edu/law/library/library.htm

NEVADA
Nevada Supreme Court Library
www.clan.lib.nv.us/pojp/ac/nsc/nscl.htm
University of Nevada Boyd School of Law Library
www.law.unlv.edu/lawlibrary.html
Washoe County Law Library
www.co.washoe.nv.us/lawlib

OREGON
Marion County Law Library
www.open.org/~mlaw
Northwestern School of Law of Lewis & Clark College
Paul L. Boley Law Library
www.lclark.edu/~lawlib/
Oregon Supreme Court Library
www.oid.state.or.us/library
University of Oregon John E. Jaqua Law Library
lawlibrary.oregon.edu
Washington County Demar Batchelor Law Library
www.co.washington.or.us/deptmts/law_lib/law_lib.htm
Willamette University J. W. Long Law Library
www.willamette.edu/wucl/longlib/

UTAH
Brigham Young University Hunter Law Library
www.law2.byu.edu/Law_Library/
University of Utah S. J. Quinney Law Library
http://www.law.utah.edu/library

WASHINGTON
Gonzaga University Chastek Law Library
law.gonzaga.edu/library/index.htm
King County Law Library
www.kcll.org
Seattle University Law Library
http://www.law.seattleu.edu/information/lawlibhome.asp
Snohomish County Law Library
www.co.snohomish.wa.us/council/law%20library/lawlibrary.htm
Spokane County Law Library
www.spokanecounty.org/lawlibrary/index.htm
University of Washington Gallagher Law Library
lib.law.washington.edu
Washington State Law Library
www.courts.wa.gov/library/

WYOMING
University of Wyoming George W. Hopper Law Library
www.uwyo.edu/law/lawlib/lawlib.htm
Wyoming State Law Library
courts.state.wy.us/state_law_library.htm

U.S. PACIFIC TERRITORIES

WESTERN CANADA
British Columbia Courthouse Library Society
www.bccls.bc.ca
University of Victoria Priestly Law Library
http://library.law.uvic.ca/

Please let me know if your library has a Website that is not listed here. Thanks!

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WestPac 34th Annual Meeting Registration Form
Anchorage, Alaska  •  September 19 - 20, 2002

Mail registration and payment by September 3, 2002 to:
Jessica Van Buren  •  Alaska State Court Law Library  •  303 K Street  •  Anchorage, AK 99501
907-264-0590  •  907-263-0733 (fax)

Last Name  

First  

Name of Institution  

Address  

City  

State  

Zip  

Telephone  

FAX Number  

E-Mail Address  

Conference Registration Fee
Conference fee includes all conference meals: Thursday opening reception through Friday dinner.

| Member   | $165.00  |
| Non-member | $195.00  |

Additional Meals for Family or Guest(s)
(Children under 12 eat free, but please list them here so we have an accurate head count for meals)

| Thursday Opening Reception at the Anchorage Museum of History and Art | $30.00  |
| Friday Breakfast | $10.00  |
| Friday Lunch | $15.00  |
| Friday Bus Trip to Alyeska Resort | $14.00  |
| Friday Dinner at Alyeska Resort | $30.00  |

Total Payment Enclosed
Please make your check payable to WestPac  

$____________

Please let us know if you have special dietary requirements and/or require reasonable accommodation:

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Lodging
The official conference hotel is the Hotel Captain Cook, located in downtown Anchorage at 4th Avenue and K Street. There is a block of 45 rooms set aside for WestPac attendees at a special conference rate of $98 per night + tax. The rate is valid September 13 – 25, 2002. Contact the Hotel Captain Cook at 800-843-1950 and tell them that you are with WestPac.

Rooms are also available at the Voyager Hotel, directly across the street from the conference hotel at 501 K Street. The Voyager is a completely non-smoking facility with just 38 rooms. Contact them at 800-247-9070.

If you will be renting a car you might consider alternate lodging, such as a bed & breakfast. Be forewarned, however, that you will have to pay to park near the conference hotel. The conference will take place in downtown Anchorage. Travel time from the Hillside or South Anchorage is approximately 30 minutes. Travel time from Midtown is about 10 - 15 minutes.

Alyeska Dinner – Friday, September 20th
Your conference fee includes a bus trip on the scenic Seward Highway along Turnagain Arm to the resort town of Girdwood, where we will have our final dinner and business meeting. Buses will return you to Anchorage after the dinner, or you can choose to stay overnight at the Alyeska Prince Hotel and take advantage of the sightseeing opportunities the area has to offer.

If you choose to stay overnight at Alyeska, identify yourself as a WestPac member when you book your room. We have arranged a special rate of $109.00/night + tax. Contact them at 1-800-880-3880. Ask to speak with guest services to arrange sightseeing activities such as a Kenai Fjords boat tour, hiking or flightseeing.

Your conference fee includes a return trip to Anchorage by bus Saturday afternoon. If you plan to stay longer than one night at Alyeska, guest services can help you arrange transportation back to Anchorage.

Questions?
If you have any other conference-related questions contact:

Cynthia Fellows
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GRANT APPLICATION FOR WESTPAC FALL MEETING
Deadline for receipt of applications: Aug. 5, 2002

NOTE: Grant awards made in 2001 for the meeting in Anchorage will be honored (no reapplication necessary), and the Grants & Awards Committee has located funding for a few additional awards for 2002. WESTPAC members who were awarded grants for 2001 who will not be using them should notify the Committee Chair (ljackson@state.mt.us) as soon as possible.

Name (Last, First, M.I.): ____________________________________________________________
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Work Address: _______________________________________________________________________
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Current Position: _________________________________________ How Long: _______________
Previous law library experience or other relevant experience:

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Are you a WESTPAC member?________ List WESTPAC &/or AALL activities: _______________________
_________________________________________________________________________________
List any WESTPAC meetings attended to date: _____________________________________________
_________________________________________________________________________________
Have you ever received a WESTPAC grant?________ If yes, when:______________________________
What portion of your expenses for attending this meeting is your employer willing to pay?_________________________

Please list estimated expenses for:
Travel (Supersaver rate): ___________________________________ Hotel: _______________________________
Registration: _____________________________________________ Meals: _________________________________
(Receipts are required as documentation for all expenses and must be sent to the WESTPAC Grants & Awards Committee Chair within one week following the end of the conference. The recipient is responsible for paying any expenditures over the grant limit.)

Please describe below how attendance at this meeting will benefit your professional objectives:
_________________________________________________________________________________
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Please list relevant degrees and any other information about your professional life or financial situation that you feel is important for the Grants & Awards Committee to know: ____________________________________________
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A letter of recommendation is required and must be sent with your application. The letter should preferably be from a person who supervises or has first-hand knowledge of your work responsibilities. The recommendation should include the writer’s assessment of your potential to contribute to the field of law librarianship, WESTPAC and AALL, as well as your need for the grant. By signing this application, you agree to abide by all policies governing this grant award.

Applicant’s Signature: _____________________________________________ Date: _______________________

Applications and letters of recommendation must be sent by first class mail to Lisa Mecklenberg Jackson, P.O. Box 201706, Helena, MT 59620-1706 and received by August 5, 2002. Incomplete applications will not be considered.
Mail completed application to:

Lisa Mecklenberg Jackson, WESTPAC Grants & Awards Committee Chair
Montana State Capitol, Room 110
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WESTPAC LUNCHEON AND BUSINESS MEETING AT AALL!!

REGISTRATION

Please join us for the annual WestPac lunch and business meeting at the American Association of Law Libraries annual meeting in Orlando. This will be a deli buffet lunch to accommodate dietary choices. Reservations are not necessary if you are attending the business meeting only, which starts at 1:00 PM.

When – Wednesday, July 24, 12:00 - 1:30 PM
Where – Peabody Hotel, room location to be announced
Cost – $20*

Your Name: ________________________________________________
Institution: ________________________________________________
Address: ________________________________________________
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Please return this form, along with a check payable to WestPac, by **July 1** to:

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*WestPac is subsidizing approximately $20 of the cost of this luncheon.
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