The 2014-2015 ALL-SIS Executive Board Members were: Christine Iaconeta, Chair; Jocelyn Kenedy, Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect, Susan David deMaine, Secretary/Treasurer; Cindy Guyer, Member-at-Large; and Lauren Collins, Immediate Past Chair.

The Executive Board began the process of updating its procedures manual to facilitate a smoother transition from year to year as new members join the board. As part of this revision, Executive Board members reached out to all committee chairs to solicit committee timelines to be included in the procedures manual also done to facilitate smooth transitions from year to year as committee membership changes. This process will continue in the upcoming year.

The ALL-NEW Committee held a Roundtable event at the 2015 Annual meeting, the theme of which was networking. In addition, the Committee prepared a created a networking toolkit that was distributed at the CONELL Marketplace and at the Roundtable.

The Awards Committee awarded the ALL-SIS Outstanding Article Award to James M. Donovan, Carol A. Watson & Caroline Osborne for The Open Access Advantage for American Law Reviews. The ALL-SIS Outstanding Service Award went to Merle J. Slyhoff and the Frederick Charles Hicks Award for Outstanding Contributions to Academic Law Librarianship went to Blair S. Kauffman. They issued three grants for the Annual Meeting. The Active Member Stimulus Grant went to Susan David deMaine, and to I-Wei Wang. The Regular Member Stimulus Grant went to Karen Selden and the CONELL Grant went to Grace Lee. They also issued two grants for the AALL Management Institute.

The Bluebook Committee reorganized this year and created a full agenda to be carried out over the next couple of years. Forthcoming plans include establishing a relationship with current Bluebook editors, creation of a community page for the committee, and the creation of procedures so that members can communicate questions and concerns to the Bluebook editors and vice versa. They prepared and presented The Bluebook, Five Years and an Edition Later: Connecting Librarians and Editors at this year’s Annual meeting. It paired editors and law librarians in an open exchange of issues and changes to the new edition.

Under new editor I-Wei Wang, the Newsletter published 20 regular (or semi-regular) features, 11 articles contributed by non-Advisory Board member authors, 14 program reviews, candidate statements from those running for ALL-SIS Executive Board positions and 2 In Memoriam articles. The layout and design of the Newsletter was modified and future plans include the publication of a Spring issue, making the newsletter a true quarterly publication.

The Programs Committee successfully proposed, planned and presented the program, The Power of Connection in Academic Libraries, presented by Brian Matthews, Associate Dean of Virginia Tech Libraries at this year’s Annual Meeting.

The Strategic Planning Committee met at this year’s annual meeting to begin the process of developing the ALL-SIS strategic Plan for 2016-2019.
Many of the ALL-SIS committees updated their toolkits, including the Collection Development Toolkit, the Faculty Services Toolkit, the Marketing & Outreach Toolkit, the Welcome Kit maintained by the Membership Committee, and the Student Services Toolkit. In addition the Legal Research Sourcebook was also updated.

For the complete text of each committee report, visit our website at http://www.aallnet.org/sections/all/committees/reports.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chair, 2014-2015