

**LAUC-B  
CANDIDATE STATEMENTS  
2010-2011**

**Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect**

**Nick Robinson**

I welcome the opportunity to serve as Chair-Elect of LAUC-B. In my varied career at Berkeley working for student services, the Public Health Library, and now the Institute of Governmental Studies Library, I've gained an appreciation of the many different ways that librarians benefit campus life and scholarship. My recent service on CAPA has given me a privileged glimpse into the impressive accomplishments of LAUC-B members. For forty years our Association has been one of the principal vehicles for enhancing our status and participating in shared governance. The next three years promise to be a challenging time to further these goals. I'd be honored to have your support to play a role as Chair-Elect.

**Secretary**

**Jim Ronningen**

I'd welcome the opportunity to serve as LAUC-B Secretary during this period of austerity, in which we'll need to examine what is essential to performing our mission of serving the campus community of library users. My previous experience with LAUC-B has been as co-chair of the Professional Development Committee (term ending June 2010) and as an organizer of the Academic Library 2.0 Conference held in November 2007.

**Shannon Supple**

I believe in the importance of the work done by LAUC-B and the voice it gives to us as a professional community. The LAUC-B Secretary walks a tightrope, balancing recording meeting minutes with adding concerns and ideas of her own or conveyed to her by other LAUC-B members into the discussion. Taking notes helps me to focus and to maintain this balance. I have previously served on LAUC-B ExComm as the Affiliated Libraries representative and have served on committees and task forces for LAUC-B, LAUC, the Society of American Archivists, and the Rare Books and Manuscripts Section of ACRL (ALA). I look forward to an opportunity to represent and support the UC Berkeley library community as Secretary of ExComm for the 2010-2011 academic year.

**Library Representative**

## **Kathleen Gallagher**

I began my career at Berkeley in 2002, as Undergraduate Services and Collections Librarian in Doe/Moffitt and member of the Teaching Library. I'm currently Acting Head of the Anthropology Library and Project Leader for Moffitt Library renovation planning. In 2004-2005 I was library representative on the LAUC-B Executive Committee -- serving as coordinator of librarian job candidate lunches -- and I've also participated in the LAUC-B new librarian mentoring program as both mentor and mentored (thanks, Bette!). Hearing the call of duty again this year, I'm standing for election as library representative, and look forward to working with my colleagues through a challenging time for UC Libraries and librarians.

## **Monica Singh**

I am the evening librarian at Thomas J. Long Business Library. During the day, I work at Sheldon Margen Public Health Library. I have been a librarian at UCB for 10 years and served on a number of LAUC and library committees during this time. I am interested in library instructional and public services as well as increasing the role of librarians in governance, teaching, and scholarly mission of the University. I am motivated by the hope that UCB and UCB libraries will continue to be respected destinations for lovers of learning and knowledge creation.

As library representative, I plan to be a voice for all LAUC-B librarians' concerns. I need your vote, so please vote for me.

## **Affiliated Library Representative**

## **John Berry**

As we travel deeper into a fiscal crisis and campus consolidation cycle; I will actively work on behalf of our campus affiliated libraries to ensure their continuance. Present information where relevant on the value of our collections to the Universities mission and communicate with the members and the relevant committees and offices on same. I cannot promise to do the impossible, but I will serve if elected. Previous LAUC experience includes participation on the LAUC-B Internship and Diversity committees.

## **Jennifer K. Nelson**

I am honored to be given the opportunity to run for the position of Vice Chair/Chair Elect of the LAUC-B Committee on Affiliated Libraries Affairs. I have been a librarian at UC Berkeley since June 2005, and since my arrival I have served actively numerous LAUC-B committees, namely the Committee on Research (2005-2007), the Conference Planning Committee (2008-2009), and on the Executive Committee both as Secretary (2006-2007) and as Treasurer (2007-2009). During all of my committee appointments, and my elected terms as Secretary and Treasurer, I have demonstrated an ability to execute my responsibilities successfully, efficiently and cheerfully. If I am elected to the LAUC-B Committee on Affiliated Libraries Affairs, I would bring the same dedication to fulfilling those duties in continued service to the LAUC-B community.

## **CANDIDATE STATEMENTS FOR STATEWIDE LAUC POSITIONS 2010-2011**

### **Vice-President/President-Elect**

#### **Mitchell Brown**

<http://www.ucop.edu/lauc/elections/candidates/2010/Brown.pdf>

#### **Maureen Russell**

<http://www.ucop.edu/lauc/elections/candidates/2010/Russell.pdf>

### **Secretary**

#### **Cynthia Jahns Moriconi**

<http://www.ucop.edu/lauc/elections/candidates/2010/Moriconi.pdf>

#### **Michael Sholinbeck**

<http://www.ucop.edu/lauc/elections/candidates/2010/Sholinbeck.pdf>