

Chapter News

College of Information American Library Association Student Chapter
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"A national event such as this really puts the scope of the profession into perspective and provides tremendous networking opportunities for young librarians. I plan to attend another ALA conference as soon as possible."

-Alma Quinn, Tallahassee, FL



Faculty, students and alumni from FSU gathered at the ALA ALISE reunion on June 29 during the ALA Annual Conference in Anaheim.



FSU student Dustin Shullick checks out new techie stuff.

"The ALA Anaheim Conference was a valuable experience that allowed me to delve into many of the pressing issues facing today's librarians."

- Dustin Shullick, Dunedin, FL

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Scenes from

Anaheim

"All of the issues that we talk about abstractly in class suddenly become real when you go to the annual conference. I felt that attending the conference both broadened my knowledge of the profession and helped me narrow down my own areas of interest."

- Brianna Frank, Iowa
(Soon to be Florence, Italy!)



Librarians in Film

For those of us who decided to take classes this summer, the term is ending and we're looking forward to the break. August is the time of year when curling up indoors with the air conditioning is generally considered a good idea.

Steven J. Schmidt (an employee of Indiana University | Purdue University-Indianapolis Library) created a website, www.filmlibrarian.info,

to spread the word about films with librarians as subject matter. Steven features a broad, entertaining group of films that can be browsed by rating, actor/actress, and title. Here's Steven's Top 10 list of films featuring the library (with his permission, of course!).

More details about these films and how they feature librarians are available on the website, www.filmlibrarian.info.



10. UHF (1989) Director: Jay Levey;

Screenplay: Jay Levey, 'Weird Al' Yankovic; Cast: 'Weird Al' Yankovic, Michael Richards, Kevin McCarthy, Anthony Geary, Billy Barty, Fran Drescher, Roger Callard.

9. Soylent Green (1973) Director: Richard Fleischer; Screenplay: Stanley R. Greenberg, based on the novel by Harry Harrison; Cast: Charlton Heston, Leigh Taylor-Young, Chuck Connors, Joseph Cotton, Brock Peters, Edward G. Robinson, Whit Bissell, Dick Van Patten.

8. Music Man, The. (1962) Director: Morton DaCosta; Screenplay: Marion Hargrove; Cast: Robert Preston, Shirley Jones, Buddy Hackett, Hermione Gingold, Paul Ford, Ron Howard.

7. It's a Wonderful Life (1946) Director: Frank Capra; Screenplay: Frances Goodrich, based on a story by Philip Van Doren Stern; Cast: James Stewart, Donna Reed, Lionel Barrymore, Thomas Mitchell, Henry Travers, Frank Faylen, Ward Bond.

6. Storm Center (1956) Director: Daniel Taradash; Screenplay: Elick Moll, Daniel Taradash; Cast: Bette Davis, Kevin Coughlin, Kim Hunter, Brian Keith, Paul Kelly, Katheryn Grant.

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Mon-Thurs: 7:30 a.m.-10 p.m.
Fri: 7:30 a.m.-5 p.m.
Sat: 10 a.m.-6 p.m.
Sun: 1-10 p.m.

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Loosely based on the life of Ruth Brown, whose story is very eloquently told in Louise S. Robbins' book *The Dismissal of Miss Ruth Brown: Civil Rights, Censorship, and the American Library* (University of Oklahoma Press, 2000).

5. Desk Set (1957) Director: Walter Lang; Screenplay: Henry and Phoebe Ephron; Cast: Spencer Tracy, Katherine Hepburn, Gig Young, Joan Blondell, Dina Merrill, Sue Randall.

4. Gun in Betty Lou's Handbag, The (1992) Director: Allan Moyle; Screenplay: Grace Cary Bickley; Cast: Penelope Ann Miller, Eric Thal, Alfre Woodard, Julianne Moore, William Forsythe, Cathy Moriarty, Faye Grant.

3. Party Girl (1995) Director: Daisy von Scherler Mayer; Screenplay: Sheila Gaffney, Harry Birckmayer, Daisy von Scherler Mayer; Cast: Parker Posey, Anthony DeSando, Live Schreiber, Omar Townsend, Sasha von Scherler.

2. Salmonberries (1991) Director: Percy Adlon; Screenplay: Felix O. Adlon, Percy Adlon; Cast: Rosel Zech, k.d. lang, Chuck Connors, Oscar Kawagley, Eugene Omiak.

1. Sophie's Choice (1982)

Director: Alan J. Pakula; Screenplay: Alan J. Pakula, based on the novel by William Styron; Cast:

Meryl Streep, Kevin Kline, Peter MacNichol, Stephen D. Newman, John Rothman, Josef Sommer.



GAME DAY comes to the GOLDSTEIN

After the VERY successful day of video, analog and interactive computer gaming last spring, Goldstein Library is proud to host GAME DAY!

Sunday, August 24 • 1-6 p.m.

Sponsoring organizations include:

Stars Alliance • FSU Computer Store
CI Help Desk • AITP

Food, Fun, Prizes...

Look for more details on the CI and Goldstein webpages as well as posters and mailings.

Be HERE...Play On!

Stay alert for info about the ALA Student Chapter's first monthly meeting, tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 23. Be there in person or online... details in the September issue!

Two memberships are better than one

Don't forget, when you join the American Library Association, you can also join the Florida Library Association, the Georgia Library Association, and associations from some other states for a deeply discounted rate. ***Dues increase September 1, so don't delay -- join today!***

Visit the Joint Membership Program of the ALA website at <http://www.ala.org/ala/ourassociation/chapters/jointmembership/jointmembership.cfm> for information on joint memberships.

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