

## University of Notre Dame Libraries Librarian-in-Residence Program

The Hesburgh Libraries and Law Library of Notre Dame seek applicants who will contribute effectively to the diversity of the profession and the University. Applicants from racial and ethnic minorities are particularly encouraged to apply. The Librarian-in-Residence Program offers recent library school graduates the opportunity to experience various aspects of academic librarianship. In the first year of the two-year program, the successful candidate will gain experience within at least three areas, including legal research and emerging technologies. The second year will be predicated on the interests of the Librarian-in-Residence as well as the needs of the Libraries. Candidates who demonstrate flexibility in professional interests and could advance the Libraries' strategic goals are highly desired. (See these strategic goals at: <http://www.nd.edu/~adminoff/strategic/StratPlan04.pdf>.) Opportunities will be afforded for the resident to make contributions to the profession through conference participation, scholarship, committee assignments, and specialized training. The Librarian-in-Residence also will be eligible to apply for positions available in the Hesburgh Libraries.

The libraries have one opening for a two-year post-graduate appointment beginning 1 July 2008. The appointee will report administratively to Laura Bayard, Librarian.

**Environment:** The University of Notre Dame is a highly selective national Catholic teaching and research university located in northern Indiana about ninety miles from Chicago. Approximately 8,200 undergraduates and 3,100 graduate students pursue a broad range of studies. The Hesburgh Libraries <http://www.library.nd.edu> hold about 3 million volumes and provide access to more than 23,000 serials. The Libraries have 140 staff and 55 librarians. The Libraries are a member of the Academic Libraries of Indiana (ALI), the Association of Research Libraries (ARL), INCOLSA, the Michiana Academic Library Consortium (MALC), the Center for Research Libraries (CRL), and the North East Research Libraries (NERL).

**Qualifications:** Recent degree from an ALA-accredited library school. Evidence of critical thinking and excellent oral and written communication skills are required.

**Compensation:** The Librarian-in-Residence will be appointed as visiting faculty at the rank of assistant librarian with a minimum salary of \$40,000. A benefits package including paid holidays and 20 vacation days will be offered.

**Application Procedures:** Interested candidates must submit a curriculum vitae, the names of three references, a letter of application that includes statements about 1) expectations of benefit from the program, 2) value of diversity in libraries, 3) specific academic library areas of interest, and 4) where this ad was seen. Electronic submission of application documents is strongly encouraged. Please send application materials to:

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Diversity Committee  
Laura Bayard, Chair

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Applications will be considered beginning 22 April and will be accepted until the position is filled. The University of Notre Dame is an Equal Opportunity / Affirmative Action Employer strongly committed to diversity. We value qualified candidates who can bring to our community a variety of backgrounds.