Library Council Monday, October 13, 2008 3:15 – 5:00 Coe Library, Classroom 115

Council members attending: Tawnya Plumb, Chair, Shane Broughton; Ed Janak, Doug Smith, Michelle Jarman, Lori Terrill, Anne Marie Lane, Shaun Wulff (alternate for A&S), Chelsea Drucker (Graduate student representative), and Maggie Farrell.

Tawnya Plumb welcomed Library Council members and requested introductions. Maggie introduced Chad Hutchens who is the new electronic resources librarian in the Collection Development Department.

Jennifer Mayer, Associate Librarian, distributed copies of the *William Robertson Coe Library: Reflections on the Past* publication honoring the 50th Anniversary of Coe Library. Jennifer conducted the research of the Coe Library history and authored the publication. Jennifer also discussed her project with Saratov State University which is also celebrating their 50th anniversary of their main library. Additional information is on the Libraries' website: http://www-lib.uwyo.edu/links/50/index.htm.

Tawnya distributed a list of agenda items and meeting dates for Library Council for the academic year. She requested that council members send topics and issues to either her or Maggie for future meetings.

Sandy Barstow, Assistant Dean, provided an update on Coe Library construction impacts. She distributed a handout on activities affecting access to collections for the next three months. Sandy will schedule a tour of the addition for the November meeting.

Sara Williams, Head, Collection Development, provided a list of journals that will be canceled and replaced with electronic format. She also provided a list of new journals that were added as a result of the recent journal review project. She encouraged faculty to submit collection suggestions for journals, databases, books, etc. as the library maintains a constant wish list of resources. The data will be posted to the journal review website: http://www-lib.uwyo.edu/about/cdo/journalevaluation/.

Maggie Farrell announced that the collection budget will be included in the UW legislative request for supplemental funding. UW is requesting \$3.5 million for collections as UW continues to work on its status as a research library with membership in the Greater Western Library Alliance and potentially to the Association of Research Libraries.

The meeting adjourned at 4:15. The next meeting will be Monday, November 17th.