NOCALL Professional Achievement Award for Outstanding Service. The guest speaker was Presiding Justice Christopher C. Cottle who discussed issues faced by today's judges.

Ongoing activities during the year included a makeover and continual updating of the NOCALL Web page by the very involved Web Committee, chaired by Leslie Ann Forrester. Public Relations Committee Chair Paula Lichtenberg did a great job in submitting a monthly column to the San Francisco Daily Journal. Placement Committee Chair Mary Staats had a constant stream of people contacting her on both sides of the job hunt. Academic Relations Chair Jenny Kanji helped to set up receptions at both U.C. Berkeley SIMS and SJSU, Department of Library Science.

NOCALL officers for 2001-02 began their terms on June 1, 2001: Sue Welsh, President; Ellen Platt, Vice President/President-Elect; Erin Murphy, Secretary; Marlowe Griffiths, Treasurer (completing the term of Debi Mazor); Todd Bennet, Mary Hood, Executive Board members; and Donna Williams, Past President.

All in all, NOCALL was very busy in 2000-01. It's been such a great experience and an honor being president of NOCALL. I encourage everyone to get involved in their local chapter. You and your employer will benefit! The more effort you put into something, the more you'll get out of it!

Donna Williams, President
2000-01

Ohio Regional Association of Law Libraries

ORALL started the year by saying good-bye to an old tradition and welcoming a new one. Instead of the usual ORALL/MichALL Joint Breakfast at the AALL Annual Meeting, we experimented with a luncheon to accommodate AALL scheduling changes. It was a success and our members were glad to sleep in! We will continue our new tradition of a joint lunch event during AALL in Minneapolis.

Members enjoyed the ORALL Annual Meeting in Lexington, Kentucky, October 18-20, 2000. Under the leadership of Chair Herb Cihak, the Local Arrangements Committee did a superb job in hosting the conference, leaving no stone unturned in providing members with a memorable setting to complement the great educational programs. During the business meeting and luncheon, AALL Past President Margie Axtmann spoke to the members, and a life membership was awarded to Carol Meyer. The Outstanding Service Award was presented to Jodie Beal for her many significant contributions to ORALL, including preparation of the chapter's history, *The First Fifty Years of the Ohio Regional Association of Law Libraries*. Special thanks were given to Shaun Esposito, who was leaving the region, for his dedication to ORALL as its first webmaster and Co-vice-president with Nancy S. Clark. The meeting concluded with outgoing President Richard Humphrey presenting Nancy with a plaque for Service Above and Beyond the Call of Duty as secretary and co-vice-president in 1999-2000.
The ORALL Board members for 2000–01 were Nancy S. Clark, President; Ellen Quinn, Vice President/President-Elect; Richard Humphrey, Immediate Past President; Thomas Hanley, Treasurer; Claudia Zaher, Secretary; and Billie Grey and Michael Whiteman, Members-at-Large.

Kurt Metzmeier, ORALL's new webmaster and chair of the Internet Committee, registered the domain, www.orall.org, for the chapter. He also coordinated the move of the ORALL discussion list from Cleveland State University to the University of Louisville.

The ORALL Spring Retreat, held March 9–10, 2001, at Hueston Woods State Park, College Corner, Ohio, offered many opportunities for networking and learning. Retreat coordinator Richard Humphrey created a great icebreaker called “How Well Do You Know Your Colleagues?” Members had all day to share, learn, and fill out the sheet before a gift certificate was awarded to the member with the most correct answers. The County Law Librarians SIG held an open forum on county law library issues. It is working with the Ohio State Bar Association to draft a proposal for an Ohio County Law Library network. Jan Morley coordinated a County Law Librarians SIG meeting at Atwood Lake Resort and Conference Center in May; it included presentations by representatives of Ohionet, a division of OCLC, and the State Auditor’s Office on current issues. The Ohio Law Library Information Network and Consortium proposal was revisited and discussed at length.

ORALL continues to provide its members with scholarship opportunities for professional development. Two scholarships, totaling $1590, were awarded to help defray costs for attendance at AALL in Philadelphia. Three more, totaling $900, were awarded to attend the annual meeting in Lexington.

The Nomination Committee created a great slate of candidates for the 2001–02 Executive Board: Beth Langton, Vice President/President-Elect; Thomas Hanley, Treasurer; and Kurt Metzmeier, Board member. Finally, ORALL is very proud to have one of its own, Al Podboy, elected to the AALL Executive Board.

San Diego Association of Law Libraries

In its third year as an official AALL chapter, SANDALL maintained an active schedule of educational and social programs while beginning to plan for its future.

SANDALL's membership remained steady with more than one hundred members and nine standing committees: Archives, Bylaws, Employment Liaison, Grants, Membership, Newsletter, Nominations, Programs, and Internet. The SANDALL Board for the 2000–01 term: John Adkins, President; Joan Allen-Hurt, Past President; Carol Hyne, Vice President; Pat Lopez, Secretary; and Harry Loren Stamper, Treasurer.

Financially, SANDALL had a very good year, with a net increase of more than $3000 in its treasury. The end-of-the-year balance of $9270.48 allowed the