Message from the Chair of the Friends Council

The Friends of the Albin O. Kuhn Library & Gallery are helping expand the Library’s Leisure Reading Collection so that students will consider reading for pleasure. The Friends are financing the purchase of some new volumes for the collection, and encouraging others to donate funds for purchases. (see the article on the Amazon Wish List on page 3 for more information on donating)

The Friends acquisition committee is currently considering gifts of books selected by the Curator of rare books to be given to the Library from funds donated for this purpose. By this means we hope to enrich the holdings of the Library’s Special Collections.

The 14th Annual Theatre with Dinner, again sponsored by the Friends, will be held in April, with a presentation of the play, *Incorruptible*, by Michael Hollinger. In addition, special programs for the coming year are being planned and will be held in the Library Gallery.

The Friends of the Albin O. Kuhn Library & Gallery invite those who value books and reading to join the growing membership of the Friends, by calling the office of the Library Director at 410-455-2356.

— Suzanne Schlenger, Chair of the Friends Council

Director’s Perspective: Library Services for the 21st Century

Traditionally Libraries provided information by collecting materials and helping patrons to use them. In the digital age, academic librarians are more likely to distinguish a sequence of connected services, each addressing a piece of a more complicated process. These stages are:

- Discovery
- Assessment/Selection
- Acquisition/Access
- Absorption
- Promulgation

**Discovery**
- has evolved
- from a relatively straightforward search of a library catalog, bibliographies and indexes,
- to a less linear, hyperlinked process which loops back to earlier stages with additional search terms and leads from later stages.
- often requires parallel searches in multiple discovery tools with overlapping content.
- is now accomplished almost entirely online.

(continued on page 2)
Increasing access to UMBC’s Historical Materials

Over several years, the University Archives and Special Collections have worked to increase access and use of UMBC’s historical records, publications, and photographs. This Fall semester, through several campus partnerships, we were able to add over 300 additional digitized or born-digital university publications to UMBC’s Digital Collections (http://contentdm.ad.umbc.edu/).

Two publications of particular importance are UMBC’s commencement and convocation programs, now available online from 1967-2010. With support from Institutional Advancement, we were able to hire a dedicated student, Derricka McDaniel ’13, to scan many of the commencement programs during the 2011 Summer Session. Special Collections student assistant, Sujan Nagarajagowda ’11, took over the scanning in the Fall semester and completed the project under the supervision of Archivist Lindsey Loeper. Now everyone, including Institutional Advancement staff, can view full copies of the commencement and convocation programs online and easily view and search the students graduating, who served as speakers during the ceremonies, and the honorary degrees awarded each year. Institutional Advancement will also partner with Special Collections in the continued growth of this collection by providing a print and born-digital copy of each future commencement and convocation program. These publications will certainly serve as a great reference resource for years to come!

— Lindsey Loeper

Commencement Program for the Spring 1986 Graduation

(Continued from front)

Librarians are working to imbed assistance in the entry points to these databases and even within databases.

Assessment
- used to be done primarily after acquiring the physical copies of information sources,
- now it is often done online throughout the discovery and acquisition processes.

After discovery, the 20th century researcher could normally expect to achieve assessment and acquisition in a relatively seamless process. Often, it was a matter of simply collecting all of the known relevant resources and sifting through them as they were collected. Now, there is more opportunity – even need – to introduce new techniques for achieving this process, including additional methods for assessing a resource well before acquiring it.

Acquisition is now partly an analogue and partly a digital process. To most academic library users, the gold standard of acquisition is to get an online copy of each information source for their use on the device of their choice.

Many libraries are now extending their services to assistance with Absorption and Promulgation. Previously, users had been “on their own” with these stages of research, but providing help with them is now seen as key to boosting students’ academic success. These stages now, more often than not, depend on online technical processes which massage information or transform its presentation into new formats.

The Albin O. Kuhn Library & Gallery aims to develop absorption and promulgation assistance for library users as we expand the Retriever Learning Center to space on the second floor of the Library building.

- For example, we are excited about the prospect of working closely with the Modern Language and Linguistics Department to advance the “language lab” functions of the International Media Center to the next level.
- We also are looking for ways to provide assistance to users who are preparing presentations, including provision of well equipped spaces for presentation assembly and practice.
- And finally, we seek to meet the rising demand for assistance in incorporating audio and video materials into student and faculty works, and the presentation of these works over the internet.

The major challenge of the next five years is to develop these additional services without abandoning traditional services and analogue library materials, most notably - books.

— Larry Wilt
Tribute to Friends of the Library Lost

Dr. Webb was a strong library supporter who appointed Dr. Joseph Arnold, Acting Library Director 1979-1980. This move, at that time, put the library on a steady path.


Robert K. Webb, 89, a longtime history professor at the University of Maryland Baltimore County was one of the foremost scholars of British history and a strong supporter of the Library, died Feb. 15 at his home in Washington, D.C.

Dr. Webb, who usually published under the name R.K. Webb, was, for a long time, the pre-eminent scholar of British history in America,” said John W. Jeffries, a professor of history and dean of UMBC’s College of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences.

UMBC was still a relatively unknown university when Dr. Webb joined the faculty in 1975. He had been a full professor at Columbia University and the top editor of the American Historical Review, before coming to UMBC as chairman of the history department.

“Bob gave us credibility,” Jeffries said. “He was not just a figurehead. He was important to the department and to the university.”

Robert Kiefer Webb was born Nov. 23, 1922, in Rossford, Ohio. He interrupted his education at Oberlin College in Ohio to serve in the Army in the Pacific during World War II.

In 1947, he graduated summa cum laude from Oberlin. He received master’s and doctoral degrees from Columbia in 1949 and 1951, respectively. Later, he studied at the London School of Economics on a Fulbright fellowship.

From 1953 to 1970 Dr. Webb taught at Columbia. He joined UMBC’s faculty in 1974 and later served as chair of the History Department.

In 1989 Dr. Webb was named UMBC’s first presidential research professor. He retired from teaching in 1992 but remained an emeritus professor until his death. A university lecture series in history is named in his honor.

Amazon Wish List

The joys of reading are known to all and we hope to encourage our students in reading for pleasure through the Library’s Leisure Reading Collection. In order to add books to the collection we have created an Amazon Wish List made up of current fiction and non-fiction titles that the Library is interested in obtaining but does not have the financial resources to purchase. For more information please visit the Leisure Reading Collection webpage.

http://aok.lib.umbc.edu/collmanagement/wishlist.php

Gloria Catherine Oden
Courtesy of Simmona E. Simmons, Photographer Tim Ford

(Differences, poem by Gloria Oden published in her book “Appearances”)

The physical human connection to Gloria Catherine Oden was broken by her passing on December 16, 2011. She was an American poet, editor and retired UMBC professor of English. She taught courses in creative writing and African American culture and was greatly esteemed by her students and colleagues. Retirement was also an enjoyable chapter of life for her. She continued to write poetry as well as to research diverse topics. In addition, she gave numerous of readings and presentations.

Oden began writing poetry at an early age. In 1952, she self-published her first book of poetry titled The Naked Frame, a collection of love poems and sonnets. She had read an article by Mark Van Doren in The New York Times in which he wrote “that a poet needs to put his work out before the public to find out how much of a poet he was.” This was no small gamble for Oden, who spent the equivalent of 18 weeks’ salary to print The Naked Frame, taking out a loan by borrowing money against a life insurance policy. This early publication led to what she described as “my introduction to the world of poetry.” Over her career as a poet, Oden had friendships with Langston Hughes, Robert Frost, Robert Hayden, Kenneth Rexroth, Sonia Sanchez, and the numerous others. Her poetry was strongly influenced by Pulitzer Prize winning poet Elizabeth Bishop.

Earning her J.D. at Howard University in 1948, Oden chose not to practice law. Instead, she had an interesting and diverse career in publishing. From 1961 to 1971, Oden served in various editorial positions with academic journals and publishing houses including a stint as editor of The American Journal of Physics. In addition, she edited math and science textbooks for Appleton-Century-Crofts and then Holt, Reinhart and Winston. She did graduate work at New York University before coming to UMBC in 1971 where she rose from assistant to full professor. She retired in 1996 after teaching for twenty-five years.

UMBC faculty, staff and students found in Gloria a vibrant and inquisitive individual who was always cheery. A member of the Friends of the Albin O. Kuhn Library & Gallery, she served on the Friends Council for many years. In addition, she supported library acquisitions by establishing the John Addison Price Bell Fund for purchase of rare early African American newspapers. Her visits to the Albin O. Kuhn Library & Gallery will be greatly missed.

— Tom Beck & Simmona Simmons

http://aok.lib.umbc.edu/collmanagement/wishlist.php
“In our 45th anniversary display, we provided a tantalizing snapshot of the archives’ holdings from all areas of our collection with the hope of encouraging the UMBC community to further explore and utilize our remarkable Archives.”

October is American Archives Month and this year Special Collections and the University Archives had a unique opportunity to celebrate UMBC’s 45th anniversary. Special Collections staff created an exhibit in the Library’s main thoroughfare highlighting and displaying some of the treasures from our diverse and extensive holdings. As a Graduate Assistant in the Special Collections department, I collaborated with Archivist Lindsey Loeper and Chief Curator Tom Beck to plan and compile this multifaceted exhibit. Working with Lindsey and Tom gave me a wonderful glimpse into just how vast and varied our holdings are. In addition, I had a wonderful chance to see the many ways in which our archives and collections are used by students, faculty, staff, and the larger community.

In my exhibit-building travels within the Library, I discovered that our collections range from materials housed in the depths of the Library’s lower level up to the Center for Biological Sciences Archives on the third floor, to the Alternative Press Center behind the Library’s main circulation desk and back again to the shelves and rooms that lie behind the Special Collections reading room desk. In our 45th anniversary display, we provided a tantalizing snapshot of the archives’ holdings from all areas of our collection with the hope of encouraging the UMBC community to further explore and utilize our remarkable Archives.

Among the items featured in our anniversary exhibit were slides and personal papers from biologist Keith Porter’s collection, press photographs and archival papers relating to the rise of the Public Policy Department, and even celebratory black and gold pom-poms from the opening festivities for the Commons building in 2002. We also had a chance to feature materials relating to the history of the Stabler family and their land (upon which UMBC is built) through a display of their personal artifacts, including World War II-era letters, a gorgeous antique leather and silver purse, and various other items, all of which are housed in our archives.

Although our exhibit may have merely scratched the surface of the vast collections held by UMBC’s Archives, it provided a wonderful chance to celebrate the university’s history and perhaps open the archives door a bit wider to welcome the UMBC community to come in and explore.

— Theresa Donnelly

Selections from the Stabler Family Papers
The Albin O. Kuhn Library has always been friendly to the new students. During the Fall 2011 semester, there were some exciting events that attracted first year and transfer students to the Library. They were organized by a team of librarians, a library technician and a student worker with the major goal to familiarize the new students with Library services, resources and the Retriever Learning Center. Based on its mission, the team selected the name NewStudentSupport@AOK.

The first welcome initiative was held last September; it was a coffee hour called Java@AOK. It targeted all new and returning students and occurred on September 21st, two weeks after the official opening of the Retriever Learning Center (RLC). Several new students and some graduate and undergraduate students attended the event, which was held between 12 and 1pm. There were many curious students in the RLC who wanted to use and explore this new student-friendly space on campus. During the coffee hour the team answered many questions about the Library’s services and collections and the students responded well to the enthusiasm, breadth of information, and freshly brewed coffee and artisan cupcakes. The team was happy to promote the RLC, the soon-to-be favorite space of many UMBC students.

The success of the event was due to very approachable Library staff and the perfect strategic location. Everyone who entered the RLC was immediately welcomed and had an opportunity to learn about the Library’s newest resources and ask questions of the staff. During this event, the team received the first informal feedback about the RLC, which was conveyed to the Library Executive Council for an immediate improvement of the space.

The New Student Support team continued to promote the RLC by scheduling an informational mini-session in the RLC’s seminar room in October. The librarian demonstrated how to search online resources and suggested ways to select relevant databases and journals on a given topic.

The next event planned by the team was called Books and Hooks. Organized in collaboration with the UMBC a capella group Mama’s Boys, the event was held in the lower level of Flat Tuesdays in the Commons, where many new students spend their free time. On November 9th, the New Student Support team took the stage and shared information about library resources and services and highlighted one of the most attractive spaces of the library, the RLC. Light refreshments were served. Initially, the students came to see the mini–concert of the Mama’s Boys and to ask questions about the Library; however, the culmination of the event was the quiz with Library and RLC-related questions.

The Library staff and the New Student Support team are continuing to promote the RLC to all students on campus. The RLC became busy even before the official opening of this newly designed space and remains a popular student destination. In fact, this is one of the Library’s jewels, which draws numerous students. This multipurpose space is welcoming and open for all UMBC students at any time of the day. It has comfortable, movable, and flexible furniture as well as relaxing colors on the floor, furniture, and walls. The computers, available printers, free Wi-Fi, vending machines for food, coffee and supplies, white boards and the seminar room with a large screen are greatly appreciated and carefully used by the students. Students simply love the RLC; many say that this is their favorite space on campus. As the Library continues to grow and improve, expanding and enhancing the Retriever Learning Center is an important goal to work towards.

— Gergana Kostova
Welcome our New Media Tech

My name is Nicole Smith and I am the new Media Technician at the Albin O. Kuhn Library & Gallery. I started this position in June 2011 but have been a member of the library community for much longer. I worked in the following departments while I was an undergraduate student: Media, Circulation, and Special Collections (whew!). In my new position, I’ll be utilizing the myriad skills I gained during my undergraduate career to help professors and students with course reserves; in addition, I am in charge of updating the Media websites and managing the department’s campus presence. I graduated from UMBC in December 2010 with a degree in Modern Languages & Linguistics (concentration in German). While I was a student, I took classes in diverse subjects, from political science to computer programming and English word roots to comic book literature. Learning has always been a favorite pastime of mine and I hope to continue that process with a Master’s degree in the near future.

— Nicole Smith

Special Thanks to Donors

$1000+
Drew Alfgren
Mary Jane Arnold
Robert P. Burchard
Philip and Mary Kuhn
Willie B. Lamousé-Smith
Richard S. Mason
Austin and Pamela Platt
Lois Kuhn Romeo
Tom and Lorri Roth
Rita Seplowitz Saltz
Suzanne Johnson Schleenger

$500-999
William Bettridge
John Dorsey
Richard McClure
Geoffrey Summers

$100-499
Emmanuel and Charlotte Atiemo
Stephen F. Barker
Thomas and Gina Beck
Mark and Linda Behm
Michael H. Bowler
Elinor Cahn
Robert and Theresa Chaffer
in name of Mark Chaffer
Carol L. Edmonds
David M. Eisenmann
Susan Horn
John and Renate Jeffries
Joan Korenmann
Stanley Lewler
Frank C. Marino Foundation
c/o Marguerita M. VillaSanta
Curtis and Claire Menyuk
Angela Moorjani
Robin B. Moskal
Judith M. Robinson
Christopher P. Steele
Lawrence and Pam Wilt
Charles Woolston

$50-99
Alan and Carolyn Baron
Stephen Bowler and Anita Kraemer
Jeffrey and Judith Bollinger
Margaret H. Brofman
Susan Buonocore

$15-49
Madeline D. Adams
Marilyn Aklin
John J. Denice
Jonathan LeBreton
Kathleen Lord
David R. Herron and Susan M. MacDonald
Joseph P. Mulholland
Robert W. Reed

$5-9
John and Chris Gregory
Roger and Denise Keehner
Robert and Paula Rasera
Sharon Saunders
Tania Scinto
Christine J. Steiner
Joyce Tenney
Victor Wexler

Up to $25
John W. Carter
Stefanie Lazer
Retriever Learning Center Donors

The estate of Dr. Richard Roberts
Ms. Jennifer Albrecht
Mr. Stephen Albrecht
Ms. Joyce Alcorn
Mr. Paul Alcorn
Mr. George Allen, Jr.
Mrs. Joan Allen
Ms. Anne Marie Anderson
Mr. David Anderson
Ms. Andrea Appleton
Ms. Monique Armstrong
Mrs. Bernadette Arthur
Mr. Kevin Arthur
Mrs. Charlotte A. Atiemo
Dr. Emmanuel a. Atiemo
Mr. Awadardine Balram
Mrs. Devika Balram
Ms. Catherine V. Baker
Mr. Anton Bastian
Ms. Glenda Bastian
Becton Dickinson Corp.
Mr. Gary Benner
Ms. Patricia Benner
Ms. Akila Bhatt-Patel
Ms. Cassie L. Bichy
Ms. Cindy Bolchoz
Mrs. Judith Bollinger
Mr. Jeffrey M. Bollinger
Ms. Beverly Jeanne Bosley
Ms. Claudia L. Bourdon
Mr. John P. Bourdon
Mr. Stephen P. Bowler
Col. Sheila T. Bowman
Mr. James Boyd
Mr. Jeffrey Boyd, Sr.
Mr. Pablo Bravo
Mr. J. Bernard Broadus
Mrs. Moncenyda D. Broadsus
Ms. Margaret H. Brofman
Ms. Cordia Mae Brown
Mr. Martin C. Brown
Mr. Raymond A. Cangelosi
Ms. Laurie J. Cangelosi
Ms. Dayna Carpenter
Mr. Thomas Carpenter
Ms. Linda Celano
Mr. Vincent Celano
Mr. Robert A. Chaffer
Ms. Theresa Chaffer
Ms. Christine Challingsworth
Mr. Samuel Choi
Dr. Giovanni Cizza
Ms. Venita Cobb
Mrs. Nilda Collins
Mr. Steven Collins
Mr. Dennis P. Corbitt
Ms. Myra S. Corbitt
Mr. Gary Corpora
Mrs. Louise Corpora
Ms. Joan Costello
Ms. Cynthia A. Cox-Grollman
Ms. Karen Crawford
Mr. Richard Crawford
Mr. Jeffrey Cullen
Mrs. Barbara Daniels
Mr. Joseph Daniels
Mrs. Deborah A. Danz
Mr. Roy E. Danz
Mr. Donald Danner
Mrs. Theresa Davies
Ms. Julie K. Davis
Mr. Kent J. Davis
Mrs. Lynn C. Dawson
Ms. Karen Sue Decker
Mrs. Catherine Desai
Mr. Harsha Desai
Mrs. Barbara W. Diehl
Mr. Agapito Dienzo
Mrs. Carolina Dienzo
Mr. Jeffrey M. Dier
Mrs. Joan F. Dier
Mr. Harold W. Diehl, Jr.
Mr. Taylor L. Dorsey
Mr. Earl Dotter
Mr. Bryce F. Doxzon
Mr. Edward D. Doyle
Mrs. Sharyn F. Doyle
Mr. David C. Duckworth
Mrs. Frances M. Duckworth
Mrs. Desryn Duncan
Mr. Kenneth Duncan
Mr. Delali Dizrasa
Dr. Letitia K. Dizrasa
Ms. Sandra M. Dizra
Mr. Jeffrey Easley
Ms. Carol Eassa
Mrs. Kathleen A. Egel
Mr. Matthew A. Egel
Mrs. Leslie Ethridge
Mrs. Phyllis Ethridge
Ms. Jessame Ferguson
Ms. Marie Fernellis
Mrs. Jeanette P. Fitzpatrick
Mr. Robert F. Fitzpatrick
Mrs. Heather J. Flanagan
Mr. Mark J. Flanagan
Ms. Kathleen M. Floyd
Mr. Mark A. Floyd
Mr. Boyd Forsythe
Ms. Loriann Forsythe
Mr. James Francois
Mrs. Stephen L. Frushon
Ms. Melissa Fullerton
Mr. Thomas Fullerton
Mrs. Darlene T. Gebicke
Mr. Paul F. Gebicke
Mr. Frank E. Gerald
Get Go Retro
Ms. Harriet Gillan
Ms. Betty Girsch
Mr. Jeffrey Girsch
Ms. Elizabeth Gordon-McNeil
Mr. Thomas Graf
Mrs. Penny Graf
Ms. Cindy N. Greenwood
Ms. Christina Gregory
Mr. John Gregory
Mr. Elliott E. Groffman
Dr. Zhiping Gu
Mr. Emmanuel Hakias
Mrs. Venetia Hallias
Ms. Angela M. Halloran-Venegas
Mrs. Barbara Barkley Harris
Mr. Michael H. Harris
Mr. Timothy Harvey
Ms. Christine L. Hatem
Mr. Dennis L. Heineke
Mrs. Leslie Heineke
Mr. Ronald J. Hermin
Mr. Dave Hodgson
Ms. Lorena Hodgson
Mr. Tobias Hurwitz
Mrs. Damilola Isaac
Mr. Maurice Isaac
Mr. Barry Jeffries
Mrs. Ruth Jeffries
Ms. Shirley Jenkins-Boyd
Mr. Hugh R. Johnson
Mr. Leonard Jones
Dr. Thomas E. Jordan
Ms. Vicki Joshua
Mr. Terry Justice
Ms. Valerie Justice
Ms. Lisa Kalantakos
Mr. Nikitas Kalantakos
Mr. Martin Kehe
Mr. Gregory Kerchner
Mrs. Katherine Kerchner
Ms. Brenda Kidd
Ms. Anita M. Kraemer
Mr. Richard F. Konop
Mr. Bernard F. Kozlovsky
Ms. Sonia Kozlovsky
Dr. Alan D. Kreizenbeck
Ms. Hosanglee Kuah
Ms. Luise Kuhar
Mr. Scott Kuhar
Ms. Julie E. Kuhn
Mr. Sergey Kuklov
Ms. J. Susan Kuliniski
Ms. Chhaya V. Kulkarni
Mr. Vijay D. Kulkarni
Mr. Steven Lamphere
Mr. Laurence J. Laskin
Mr. Dan M. Lazer
Ms. Melisa Lazer
Mrs. Chang Lee
Dr. Jun Eulium Lee
Ms. Eleanor Lewis
Dr. Joel F. Lieberman
Dr. Ivan Lim
Mrs. Ann Lim
Mr. Duane L. Linsenbardt
Ms. Cindy Loiselle
Mr. Daniel Loiselle
Mrs. Lisa D. Lynch
Mr. Tim F. Lynch
Ms. Tina Mahmoudi
Mr. Dominick Marinelli
Mrs. Eleonora Marinelli
Mr. Louis F. Marinelli
Ms. Donna Martin
Mr. Randall K. Martin
Mr. Stephen Masiar
Mrs. Mary Maselko
Mr. William T. Maselko
Mrs. Patricia Masiar
Mr. Lucky Mayor
Mrs. Mejebi Mayor
Mrs. Cynthia M. McCready
Dr. Gary L. McCready
Mr. Stephen McGovern
Ms. Anne McKay
Mr. Joseph McNeil
Mr. Randall J. Meisel
Ms. Sherri L. Meisel
Mr. James E. Mellon
Ms. Linda Mellon
Mr. G. Menyuk
Ms. Cathy R. Mensch
Mr. Glenn E. Mensch
Dr. Curtis Menyuk
Mrs. Barbara J. Mervin
Mr. Robert Mervin
Mrs. Donna K. Metzger
Mr. Paul R. Metzger
Mr. Joshua L. Michael
Mr. James Miller
Ms. Jodi Miller
Mrs. Marian Miller
Mrs. Nancy L. Miller
Mr. Ron Miller
Dr. Antonio R. Moreira
Ms. Robin B. Moskal
Mr. Joseph F. Mrozek
Mrs. Margaret A. Mrozek
Mr. Joseph Murphy
Ms. Cynthia Murray
Ms. Dawn Sameh Nabulsi
Mrs. Iva B. Nachlas-Gabin
Ms. Betty A. Nataro
Ms. Leslie Neal
Mr. Steve Neal
Mrs. Cheryl S. Newton
Mr. J. Paul Newton
Ms. Minh Tram Thi Nguyen
Mr. David S. Nicholson
Ms. Robin Nicholson
Mr. Sean P. O'Keefe
Ms. Elane J. Odeyale
Mr. David Pachura
Mrs. Helen Palmer
Mr. Ronald J. Palmer
Ms. Frances Palmer-Hill
Mrs. Chandrika Patel
Mr. Krishna Patel
Ms. Nutan Patel
Mr. Raja Patel
Ms. Andrea K. Phillips
Ms. Dorothea M. Phillips
Mr. Steven Pickett
Mrs. Carol Rabenhorst
Mr. Thomas Rabenhorst
Mrs. Emily Rabenhorst
Ms. Robin E. R. Redding
Mrs. Rosemary Reeves
Mr. Steven Reeves
Mr. Kenneth J. Renahan
Betty A. Rigney, Ph.D.
Ms. Judith M. Robinson
Mrs. Aneley L. Ripsan
Mr. Ms. R. Lapos
Mr. Rico Ripsan
Mr. Dennis C. Rosen
Mrs. Sandra S. Rosen
Dr. Louise G. Roy
Ms Inna Ruslanova
Dr. Janet Rutledge
Mr. Mark T. Samonds
Mr. James F. Sandkurh
Mrs. Theresa E. Sandkurh
Mr. Michael Sanderสหร์
Ms. Kathleen Saunders
Mrs. Cathy Scheidegger
Mr. Ernest Scheidegger, Jr.
Ms. Georganne S. Schminky
Mr. James Schminky
Ms. Marisa Shaff
Mr. Wayne D. Shaff
Ms. Cathy Shrount
Mr. Noah Shrount
Mr. Gregory E. Simmons
Mrs. Jae Sin
Mr. Ta Sin
Mr. Edward J. Slunt
Mrs. Kathleen E. Slunt
Ms. Barbara Smith
Mr. Gregory Smith
Mr. Marc Smith
Ms. Vickie Smith
Ms. Lucy Smith-Chinn
Dr. Brian Souders
Ms. Maria R. Spezio
Mr. Gregory Stachelczyk
Mrs. Susan Stachelczyk
Mrs. Elizabeth Annette Stewart
Mrs. Regina F. Stoner
Dr. Robert Stoner
Strictly Anonymous
Dr. Geoffrey P. Summers
Mr. Bruce Supanic
Ms. Regina Supanic
Mr. Reeta J. Surapaneni
Ms. Madhavi Surapaneni
Ms. Nancy L. Swell
Mr. Thomas J. Swell
Mr. Anthony Sylvester
Ms. Deborah L. Sylvester
Mr. Shiraz Tayaji
Ms. Lamki Thapa
Mr. Parshuram Thapa
Mr. Kenneth Thompson
Mrs. Mary Thompson
Ms. Joaop Thorp
Mr. John E. Thorp
Mr. Brandon L. Tilghman
Mr. S. C. Trice
Dr. Mallika Umamaheswaran
Mr. Neduvarambakkam T.
Umamaheswaran
Dr. Christelle K. Viaroux
Mr. Chrysanthos Harahari Rao
Mr. Julio Venegas
Mrs. Marguerite Villa Santa,
Dr. Frank C. Marino Foundation
Ms. Irina Vishnevetsky
Walsh Insurance & Investments
Mr. Barbara Walsh
Ms. Lorie Worstman
Mr. Patrick Worstman
Ms. Nlcio A. Washington
Mrs. Geri Weiss
Mr. Paul Weiss
Dr. Victor Wexler
Mr. David E. Williams
Ms. Jamie Williams
Mr. Ricki Williams
Mrs. Alyson M. Wilson
Mr. Bruce Wilson
Dr. Larry Witt
Ms. Pam Witt
Ms. Naomi Wittner
Mr. Willis Wittner
Ms. Jenny Yost
Ms. Nina Zacharias
Mrs. Lynn P. Zoller
Mr. Wayne D. Shaff
Donations are Welcome!

Friends of the Kuhn Library & Gallery Group is a nonprofit, volunteer group dedicated to the support and advancement of the Library. If you wish to become a friend of the Library & Gallery, see http://aok.lib.umbc.edu/adm/friends/friends.php

Make checks payable to UMBC Foundation.
Send to Dr. Larry Wilt, Director
Albin O. Kuhn Library & Gallery
University of Maryland, Baltimore County
1000 Hilltop Circle
Baltimore, Maryland 21250

If you know others we should ask to join the Friends, or if you’d like to be a volunteer in the Library & Gallery, please call us at 410-455-2356 or send E-mail to wilt@umbc.edu

Newsletter Contributors

Editor: Simmona E. Simmons
Co-Editor: Nicole Smith
Layout Design: Richard Hamilton

Contributors: Tom Beck, Theresa Donnelly, Linda Durkos, Gergana Kostova, Lindsey Loeper, Vicki Sipe, Nicole Smith, Larry Wilt and Special Thanks to Lynda Aldana and Robin Moskal

Special Editions is an occasional publication