MAC EMERITUS MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Nominations for emeritus membership in MAC must reach Valerie Gerrard Browne by 31 December 1987. To be eligible, nominees should meet the following criteria:

1. The nominee must have made a substantial and significant contribution to either the Midwest Archives Conference or the archival profession in general if the nominee's career predated the formation of MAC.

2. The nominee must be retired from full-time archival work.

If there is someone you consider deserving of this recognition, please send his or her name together with supporting biographical data to: Valerie Gerrard Browne, Loyola University of Chicago Archives, Cudahy Library, Room 219, 6525 N. Sheridan Road, Chicago, IL 60626.

Nominees will be submitted to Council for review at its January 1988 meeting and then presented to the membership for approval during the spring 1988 business meeting. Emeritus members are presented with a framed copy of the resolution of emeritus membership and receive the MAC Newsletter, the Midwestern Archivist, and all program mailings free of charge.

MAC SPRING MEETING, 1988

Plans for the MAC spring meeting to be held again in Chicago's familiar Bismarck Hotel are well under way. Special workshops aimed at both basic and advanced archivists will be offered in addition to regular sessions. Program sessions will feature discussions on a variety of current topics of interest to archivists and focus on the different areas of specialization within the archival profession. The dates of the meeting are May 7-9, 1988, so mark your calendar now.

The local arrangements committee is at work planning events to welcome MAC back to Chicago. On Thursday evening, attendees will be able to return to "Those Thrilling Days of Yesteryear" in radio and television at Chicago's brand new Museum of Broadcast Communications. The museum's archives includes thousands of audio and video tapes of programs and events in broadcasting history. Among the special tours being planned are a return to the Newberry Library's Conservation Department and a look at the Chicago Historical Society's refurbished Prints and Photographs Department. In addition, MACers will have an opportunity for a behind the scenes view of the Curt Teich Postcard Collection, 3,800 linear feet of unique visual records located in the Lake County Museum, just outside Chicago.

Further details about the meeting will appear as plans become finalized. For more information or suggestions, contact Steve McShane, Local Arrangements Chair, Calumet Regional Archives, Indiana University Northwest, 3400 Broadway, Gary, IN 46408.

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