Program Committee
LAUC-I Standing Committee
2012-2013 Report

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Charge:

The Program Committee shall
a. Organize, advertise, and coordinate programs of interest to LAUC-I membership at the direction of or in consultation with the LAUC-I Chair and Executive Board.
b. The Committee shall also undertake other duties as directed by the LAUC-I Chair and the Executive Board.

Supplemental Charges:

a. Draft procedures for the Program Committee, particularly in regard to how to plan programs, book speakers, and handle logistical arrangements.

Summary of Activities:

The Program committee sponsored the following events in 2012 – 2013:

1. **October 18, 2012, Lunch with LAUC-I**
   Speakers: Audra Yun and Steve MacLeod
   Topic: "Birth of a Campus."
   An early documentary about the design and construction of UCI. Footage of the empty land, then construction of the first buildings, Chancellor Aldrich walking from one building to another to describe the vision for this new UC campus, with William Pereira's voice-over describing his design philosophy, and see LBJ land on campus in an Army helicopter to preside over the dedication of this "new university."
2. **December 20, 2012, Lunch with LAUC-I**
   **Speaker:** Jackie Dooley
   **Topic:** “It’s all about the Archives”
   Former head of UCI Special Collections, now working at OCLC Research and President of Society of American Archivists (SAA) Council. She will talk about her work at OCLC Research where she leads projects to inform and improve professional archival practice. As part of her work with the libraries in the OCLC Research Library Partnership, she will discuss what it offers that now that UCI is a member. She will also touch on her work as current President of the SAA Council.

3. **May 8, 2013, Lunch with LAUC-I**
   **Speaker:** Professor Lynn Mally, UCI Emerita of History
   **Topic:** “Fashion and History”
   Originally with a specialty in Russia History, Professor Malley began working in the field of American fashion history in the last decade. Her current research interest is in the clothing of older American women from the turn of the twentieth century to the present. She will speak about research and her use of two new important UCI Library resources.

**Recommendations for the Future:**

All sessions were well attended and received positive feedback. We encourage future committees to continue the Lunch with LAUC-I series. We found that UCI faculty are very honored to present lunch time talks on their areas of expertise. It is a nice diversion for librarians and staff as well.