Jennifer Osorio Toshi Marra

Dear Co-Chairs of the LAUC-LA Research & Professional Development Committee,

I am currently in the dissertation stage of my doctoral program at UCLA's Department of Information Studies in which I am investigating the academic information management behaviors of undergraduate students. I hope to present the preliminary results of my research to librarian colleagues at the LOEX of the West Conference in June 2010, and am therefore applying for a LAUC Presentation Grant of \$500. This sum would cover my conference registration and travel expenses. Please note that this is conditional upon the acceptance of my presentation proposal. Potential conference presenters will be notified by February 1, 2010.

Grant money breakdown: (prices as of 1/5/10) \$200.00 (approx) - Conference registration (200-225 Canadian Dollars) \$250-300 - Airfare from Los Angeles to Calgary, Alberta, Canada Any remaining funds will be applied to lodging expenses.

## Following is the abstract of my presentation:

"This presentation will discuss an ongoing doctoral study on the academic information behaviors of undergraduate students. Data was collected using ethnographic techniques to answer the question: How do undergraduate students manage their academic information environments in their dormitory rooms? Building on studies in Personal Information Management, the goal is to describe and understand how digital natives gather, integrate, and manage academic information in their role as students. After sharing preliminary findings of this work in progress, the audience will be asked for input and suggestions to help drive the focus of the analysis. Participants will then divide into small groups to discuss how these findings could impact interactions with their own students, and information literacy outreach and instruction in their institutions in general. Groups will share their ideas with the rest of the audience in order to further dialog and foster creative approaches to library-student interactions and instruction."

LOEX-of-the-West will be hosted by Mount Royal University in Calgary, Alberta, from June 10-12, 2010. Please see: <a href="http://library.mtroyal.ca/lotw/">http://library.mtroyal.ca/lotw/</a> for further information. I am a member of the bargaining unit represented by the UC-AFT, and have not requested funding from any other sources (my LAUC-LA travel stipend for 09-10 is exhausted).

Thank you for your consideration of my application.

Diane Mizrachi College Library, UCLA

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# Form # 100-1-A: Request for Leave and Funding for Business-Related or Learning/Development Travel and Activities

### This is the one form to be used to request and document approval of leave and funding.

For workers' compensation purposes, this form must be completed **before** attending any professional and/or business-related activity that is held off-campus. Examples include conferences, meetings, visits to book dealers, and similar work-related activities. Library Human Resources will retain original forms with all approvals and signatures for official recordkeeping purposes.

To request leave <u>and</u> funding, complete Sections A, B, C and D of this form and send to supervisor for signatures (Sections E and F). To request official leave WITHOUT funding, complete Form 100-1-B. If you will travel **OUTSIDE California**, you must register at <a href="http://www.uctrips-insurance.org/">http://www.uctrips-insurance.org/</a>. A Travel ID card will display when your registration is complete. Submit a copy of the Travel insurance ID card with this request. The travel insurance ID card is **required** for reimbursement of travel expenses.

Before making any financial commitments, consult with your departmental travel preparer and review the <u>Library Funding & Travel Policy</u> <a href="http://staff.library.ucla.edu/admin\_manual/100-1.doc">http://staff.library.ucla.edu/admin\_manual/100-1.doc</a>.

#### Section A - Details of Leave & Funding Request

Employee Name	Diane Mizrachi						
Library Unit	College	Bldg/Room/Mailcode	Powell/220/145004				
E-Mail Address	mizrachi@library.ucla.edu	Phone	825-6523				
Type of Leave and/or Funding Requested  ☐ Business-Related Leave/Funding  ☐ Learning & Development Leave/Funding							
Location - City / State / Country (REQUIRED): Calgary, Alberta, Canada							
Official Leave From [	Date Jun 10, 2010 Time 1:00 AM	Through Date Jun 13, 2010	Time 1:00 AM				
Do you also plan to take any <b>vacation</b> in conjunction with this travel? If YES, specify the dates below. <b>Vacation Begin Date:</b> Vacation End Date:							
Reason for Leave (REQUIRED). Include name of event, responsibilities or roles, and business benefit to the University. (Attach agendas or programs to illustrate.)							
To attend and (tentatively) present at the LOEX of the West Conference, hosted by Mount Royal University, Calgary, Alberta, Canada.							

#### Section B - Estimate of Expenses

#### Employees must complete this section to estimate their travel expenses.

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Use Form 100-1-C, the <u>Library Travel Reimbursement Form</u>, to request reimbursement: http://staff.library.ucla.edu/admin\_manual/100-1C1.xls

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# UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BUSINESS TRAVEL



# TRAVEL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

In addition to the insurance protection provided by the insurance plan, ACE USA has arranged with Europ Assistance USA to provide you with access to its travel assistance services around the world. These services include:

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- Personal Assistance including pre-trip medical referral
  information and while you are on a trip: emergency medication,
  embassy and consular information, lost document assistance,
  emergency message transmission, emergency cash advance,
  emergency referral to a lawyer, translator or interpreter access,
  medical benefits verification and medical claims assistance.
- Travel Assistance including emergency travel arrangements. arrangements for the return of your traveling companion or dependents and vehicle return.
- Security Evacuation (nonmedical) if, due to political or military events in a host country, a formal recommendation from the appropriate authorities is issued for the Insured to leave the host country, or if the Insured is expelled or declared persona non-grata by the host country, or any other nonmedical emergency evacuation such as a natural disaster.

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Valid for Diane Mizrachi From 06/10/2010 To 06/13/2010

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- · You require a referral to a hospital or doctor
- · You are hospitalized
- · You need to be evacuated or repatriated
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- You experience local communication problems

Be prepared to provide the following information:

- 1. Name of caller, phone no. fax no., relationship to patient:
- 2. Patient's name, age, sex and policy number;
- 3. A description of patient's condition;
- 4. Name, location, and telephone number of hospital:
- Name and telephone numbers for the treating doctor; where and when the doctor can be reached;
- Health insurance information, workers' compensation, or automobile insurance information if the patient had an accident.

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Mail Claims to:

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P.O. Box 15417
Wilmington, DE 19850
1-302-476-6154 (Facsimite for Claims or Inquiries)
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