Candidate for Vice-Chair/Chair-Elect: Andrew Pulau Evans



Evans Statement:

Are those fish on my shirt? Yeah, I am a big fan of the FISH! Philosophy. Be there: GD-SIS and its committees have provided leadership in many areas of law librarianship especially with access to government information. Whenever the public's right to know is threatened, we are there!

Play: Work is fun. Our programs and professional development opportunities are already some of the best. Some of my best professional connections were made through our events. Why do some of our meetings start at 7am? We just want to have an early start on having all that fun.

Make Their Day: My government document colleagues and I have benefited from active participation in the GD-SIS section. We acquire skills, develop talents, and have access to a large network of colleagues through active participation in this Section

Choose Your Attitude: I graciously accept the nomination to serve as GD-SIS vice-chair/chair-elect. I would welcome the opportunity to build on the strong foundation already laid, to increase opportunities for professional development, to encourage new proposals and ideas, and to face new challenges. I hope to continue fishing for government information. So please, vote for the guy with the FISH! shirt.

Evans Bio:

CURRENT POSITION:

 Legal Reference Coordinator, Government Documents & Adjunct Professor of Law, Washburn University School of Law Library, 2002-

EDUCATION:

- M.L.S. Emporia State University
- J.D. Washburn University School of Law

PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES:

American Association of Law Libraries (AALL) 2002-

- Diversity Committee, 2004-2006
 - o Web Administrator 2005-2006
- Government Documents Special Interest Section (TS-SIS) 1993
 - o Program Committee, 2004-
 - o Nominations Committee, 2007-
- Asian American Law Librarian Caucus
 - o Program Committee, 2003-
- Mid-America Association of Law Libraries, 2002-

Kansas Library Association (KLA) 2002-

- Government Documents Roundtable
 - o Chair, 2006-2007
 - o KLA Representative, 2006-

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

- Evans, Andrew. "Tips for Future Leaders: Making Connections at AALL (sidebar)." American Association of Law Libraries Spectrum, Vol. 11, No. 8, June 2007 (accepted for publication).
- Evans, Andrew. "Books You Should Have Read in Library School." Kansas Library Association NewsOnline, Vol. 7 No. 1, April 2007. http://skyways.lib.ks.us/KLA/newsonline/v7n1/index.html
- Evans, Andrew. "Volunteer Efforts and a Driving Force." Kansas Library Association NewsOnline, Vol. 7 No. 1, April 2007. http://skyways.lib.ks.us/KLA/newsonline/v7n1/index.html
- Evans, Andrew. "MARPPIO and the NSI Path." Filipino Martial Arts Digest, Special Edition, p. 37, August 2006.
- Evans, Andrew. "Breaking Stereotypes." Kansas Library Association Connections, Vol. 6 No. 3, June 2006.

PARTICIPATION IN RECENT PROGRAMS:

- Tough Librarians Rise to the Challenge with Tough Government Documents. Scheduled presentation at American Association of Law Libraries 2007 Annual Meeting & Conference, New Orleans, LA, July 17.
- The Latest in Free or Low Cost Legal Research. Scheduled presentation at Recent Developments in the Law Continuing Legal Education, Topeka, KS, June 22, 2007.
- Legal Research Retention Doesn't Have to be a Crap Shoot School. Scheduled presentation at Center for Computer-Assisted Legal Instruction 2007 Conference for Law School Computing, Las Vegas, NV, June 19.
- Free Legal Websites for those Interesting Legal Reference Questions. Presented at 2007 Kansas TriConference (Gathering of Kansas Library and Technology Groups), Topeka, KS, April 12
- Your Favorite Hidden Library and Information Science Books.

 Coordinator/Presenter at 2007 Kansas TriConference with Sheryl Baber Evans and Terry Miller, Topeka, KS, April 11.

- Research Kansas Legislative History. Presented at the Kansas Appellate Courts Judicial In-house Continuing Legal Education Program with Professor Lyn Goering, Topeka, KS, January 18, 2007.
- *Cultural Diversity in Northeast Kansas*. Presented at Fall 2006 Washburn University Faculty Colloquium, Topeka, KS, October 17.
- The Relationship between Law School and Martial Arts. Presented at Asian American Law Students Association Meeting, Topeka, KS, October 17, 2006.
- New School and Old School: The Perfect Legal Website. Presented at 25th Annual Association of Reporters of Judicial Decisions Meeting, Topeka, KS, August 4, 2006.
- *Pimpin' CALI Ain't Easy: Promoting CALI Usage at Your Law School*. Presented at Center for Computer-Assisted Legal Instruction 2006 Conference for Law School Computing, Fort Lauderdale, FL, June 16.
- Tough Government Documents for Butt Kicking Librarians. Coordinator/Presenter at 2006 Kansas TriConference with Sheryl Baber Evans and Tatiana Pashkova-Balkenhol, Wichita, KS, April 6.