The time to lead
ACRL seeks nominees for section offices

Standing for ACRL section office is an opportunity to become involved with important issues affecting academic and research librarians in the 21st century, gain leadership experience, and build ties with colleagues. It is also an opportunity to be of service to your ACRL section community, ensuring that it continues to nurture the development of new members and forge deeper connections to the profession.

Nomination of ACRL section officers
Candidates for vice-chair/chair elect, secretary, and members-at-large of ACRL sections are selected by the nominating committee of each section. If you would like to nominate someone or be nominated yourself, contact the chair of the appropriate section nominating committee prior to the ALA Annual Conference in Chicago. Contact information is given below. Terms of office will begin on July 1, 2006.

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(“ACRL honors...” continued from page 291) shows a real interest in getting all members of the campus involved. This program demonstrates how a library can work to raise its profile on campus to more than a place where there are books and research is done, but to a vibrant campus entity that reaches out to people and engages them.

A citation and $500, donated by EBSCO Information Services, will be presented to Connell and Lo during the CJCLS Awards Breakfast at the ALA Annual Conference in Chicago, Saturday, June 25, at 8:30 a.m.