

INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF MUSIC LIBRARIES, ARCHIVES, AND
DOCUMENTATION CENTRES (IAML)—United States Branch
www.iamlus.org

Annual Report to the Membership, 2009

Board of Directors:

President: Judy Tsou; Past President: Mary Wallace Davidson; Secretary: Manuel Erviti
Treasurer: Michael Colby; Web Manager: Manuel Erviti; Members-at-Large: Elizabeth Davis, John
Shepard; *Ex officio*: James P. Cassaro (IAML Vice-President).

The Board met twice, in Chicago in February and in Amsterdam, The Netherlands in July.
Discussions focused on IAML-US's relationship with MLA and the association's finances.

Dues: The dues will remain the same for 2010. Please renew, using the enclosed form, by December
30, 2009.

Lenore Coral Travel Grant: The members of the 2009 Coral Travel Fund Committee are Bonna
Boettcher (chair) and James Cassaro. There was no award recipient for 2009. The Fundraising
Committee for the grant (Geraldine Ostrove, Linda Solow Blotner (co-chairs), James P. Cassaro, Don
Roberts, and Dan Zager) will further explore fundraising opportunities in San Diego. A separate bank
account has now been established for the Coral Fund.

IAML-US and MLA Affiliation: The issue of having closer ties between IAML-US and MLA has
been debated for many years, and the discussions had never gone beyond the Boards. This year, in San
Diego, the presidents of both organizations (Ruthann McTyre, MLA and Judy Tsou, IAML-US) will be
hosting a breakfast Town Hall meeting to open the discussion to the membership of both organizations.
There is an FAQ on both the MLA and IAML-US (<http://www.iamlus.org>) web sites regarding the
issues and questions already raised. Please take a look and join us for the Town Hall discussion.

Membership – Institutional membership remains the same as last year at 137; there has been a decline
in personal members from 96 to 83.

The **Donated Materials Program** has halted since last summer because of rising postage cost and the
lack of interest. However, Marjorie Hassen did negotiate for access to the Naxos Digital Library for
Jagiellonian University in Krakow until December 2009. The Donated Materials Program will resume
this fall, pending interest.

Election: There will be an election this fall, and the ballots are enclosed. Please make sure you send in
your ballot by December 30, 2009 to the Secretary, Manuel Erviti.

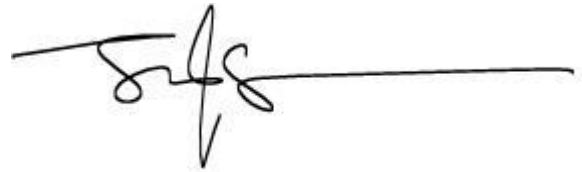
The **Next Annual Business Meeting** will be held on Monday, March 22 (11 am – Noon) during the
MLA Conference in San Diego. You will have a chance to see the US candidates running for the
international organization's board: James Cassaro for IAML President, and Elizabeth Davis for Vice-
president of the Board.

Future IAML Meetings: Our next IAML meeting will be held in Moscow (Russia) on June 27 to July 2, 2010 (<http://www.iamlcongress2010.ru/>). There will be information at the IAML exhibit table in San Diego. Other future meetings are as follows (see also <http://www.iaml.info/activities/conferences>):

2011 Dublin, Ireland, July 24-29
2012 Montreal, Canada
2013 Arhus, Denmark

2014 Vienna, Austria
2015 New York, USA

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Judy Tsou', written over a horizontal line.

Judy Tsou, *President*
November 5, 2009