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There’s only one entry in this quarter’s column, but it’s a big one:

After thirty-four years of work in libraries, I will retire November 30, 2014 from Bowling Green State University Libraries, where I started working in June 1999. Previously, I worked at the Toledo-Lucas County Public Library (Ohio), at Kent State University-Kent, and at Kent State University-Geauga. While earning my professional degree from the University of Wisconsin-Madison, I worked in the University’s Memorial Library as an evening and weekend supervisor at the circulation desk.

Following my first day at BGSU Libraries (Wednesday, June 9, 1999), I attended the NASIG annual conference in Pittsburgh. I met wonderful people who were very kind and helpful to this first-time serials librarian. NASIG has felt like home ever since.

In recent years, in addition to my responsibilities in managing serials acquisition, e-journal access and maintenance, and print journal collections, I have coordinated the processing of government document shipments and managing government document print and microform collections.

December will feel like vacation! Then I plan to improve my quilting, read, cook some new recipes, walk and visit friends and family, as well as find ways to become more involved in my community. Messages to my BGSU email address will still reach me.

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