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Box 1:

"Accreditation: A Way Ahead," 1986
Accredited Schools under 1951 Standards, 1951-70
Accredited Status of Schools, 1983-90
Affirmative Action, 1980
ALA and USDE Conference on Accreditation, 1984 [5 folders]
Includes 7-8-inch floppy diskettes
American Library Association Requests for Recognition, 1982 [2 folders]
Annual Report, 1955-80
Annual Reviews Off-campus Courses, 1974-75
Board of Education in Librarianship Notebook (Bel Book)
1949-55, [6 folders]
Annual Reports, 1940-60

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Executive Director Summary of Principle COA Reports Action, 1976-92
Goal Awards
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Seminar, 1973
Instructions for Annual Reports from Schools, 1965-91 [2 folders]
Mailings containing correspondence, flyers, and announcements mailed to committee members,
1987-92 [9 folders]
Monthly Report for Office of Education in Librarianship, 1946-55
Notebook on Accreditation, containing BEL Monthly reports, annual reports, and minutes of
meetings, 1952-59
Off-campus Instructional Survey, 1971
Open Meeting Notes, 1982-83
Organization and Function, 1970-78, 1987, 1990
Orientation Handbook, 1987

Box 3:

Proceedings - Open Hearings on... Standards for Accreditation, 1972 [2 folders]
Proposal to Study 1972 Standards for Revision, 1984
Requests for Renewal of Recognition, 1986 [2 folders]
Rosters, 1986-92
"Site Visits - Team Reports and the Accreditation Process" - Videotape
Statement of Interpretation of 1951 Standards, 1951, 1966-67

Seminar on Accreditation

- Audiotapes of Seminar (15 reel to reel tapes), 1972
- Eastlick Subcommittee - Letters Requesting Nominations, 1972
- Seminar to Prepare Evaluators
 - Draft of the Sessions, 1972
 - Evaluation Sheets, 1973
 - Refresher Session, 1974
 - Report, 1972
 - Responses from Seminar Participants, 1973
 - Seminar Planning, 1973
 - Seminar Program, 1972-73
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ALA Participation in LISDEC, 1985-92

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- Orientation Records, 1982-1988
- Pool, 1978-1985
- Pool Profiles, 1989
- Study, 1981-1985

Outcomes Assessment Conference Tapes (5 audiocassettes), 1993

Project - Proposals and Contracts, Sep 1993

Quarterly Reports, May-Nov 1993

Roster, Agenda, Mailing, Banta Presentation, Sep-Oct 1993

Transcript, October 1993 [2 folders]

Teleconference, 1994 Advisory Board Members

- Correspondence with Facilitators and Participants, Mar-July 1994
- Correspondence to Deans, 1994
- "Our Changing World: ALA's 1992 Standards for Accreditation," Video, 1994
- Participant List, Sep 1994
- Participating Associations, 1994
- Transcripts, interviews, handouts, 1994
- Wilson Foundation Proposal, 1993-93

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Correspondence with Members, 1970-72
Drafts of New Standards, 1970
Drafts of New Standards, Comments, 1970

Box 5:

Fiscal, 1970-71

General (Proposal for Revision-back of file)

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Comments on Tentative Draft of Revised Standards for Accreditation, 1971-72

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Proceedings, Open Hearings on the Tentative Draft of Revised Standards for
Accreditation, 1972 [2 folders]

Revision of Standards

James van Luik: "American Library Education and the Master's of Library
Science," 1971

Revised Drafts, March, 1972

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 Higher and Education - 'A Master Plan-Phase III' (1971), 1971-72
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 Subcommittee to Review Draft of New Standards, April, 1971
 COA Statement on Bachelor's Degree, February, 1961
 ALA Petition for Renewal of Recognition as a Nationally Recognized Accrediting Agency,
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 Self-Nominations to COA, November 1995 to October 1996, 1995-96
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“Comparisons of Specialized Accrediting Agencies Appeal Process” by Ann L. O’Neill

(Director of Office for Accreditation - ALA), December 3, 2001

Accreditation Teleconference (4 videocassettes), September 8, 1994

Box 7:

American Society for Information Science (ASIS), 1993-94, 2008

Association for Library and Information Science Education (ALISE)

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Statistical Report Questionnaire and CHEA Recommended Definitions, 2000

Center for Quality Assurance in International Education (CQAIE) (with CD), 1998-99, 2004-05

COA Appointments, 1993-95, 1998-2003

Committee on Institutional Cooperation, 1983-96

Education Policy Statements

American Association of School Librarians, 1976, 1998

American Society for Information Science, 1995, 2000-02

Association for Library Collections & Technical Services, 1995

Medical Library Association, 1992

Records Management, ARMA International, 1987

Society of American Archivists, 1994, 2002

Special Libraries Association, 1996-97

International Associations

Australia – The Australian Library and Information Association, 1992, 1996

Canada –

The Canadian Council of Library Schools, 1985, 1989

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Great Britain – The Library Association, 1983-87, 1990-92

Library School Closings

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Columbia University, 1990

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Northern Illinois University, 1992

Supporting Documents, 1988-95

University of Maryland College Park Hearing Statements, 1991

Medical Library Association, 1989-96

Miscellaneous Policy Revisions, 1957, 1972-90

National Forum on Information Literacy, 1998-99

National Policy Board on Higher Education Institutional Accreditation, 1994

Other Accreditation Commissions

Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communications, 1999, 2002

American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education, 1999

Association of Theological Schools, c. 1998

Distance Education and Training Council, 2005

Middle States Commission on Higher Education, 2002, 2006

National Association of Industrial Technology, undated

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Standards Revision Subcommittee

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COA Appeal to the United States Department of Education

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J&B Letter to Judge

COA Petition for Recognition

Commission on Recognition of Postsecondary Accreditation, Recognition of COA, 1995

Council on Postsecondary Accreditation, Recognition of COA, 1983-88

Revisions

“Accreditation Appeals Process Guidelines,” 1973, 1977, 1985, 1990

“Accreditation Handbook Table of Contents,” 1988-91

“Accreditation of Programs of Education for Librarianship,” 1969, 1970-78, 1982-90

“Manual of Procedures for Evaluation Visits”

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“Self-Study: A Guide,” 1972, 1977, 1979-81, 1988

Site Visit Policies and Procedures, 1985-91

“Standards for Accreditation”

Binder with Calendar, Agendas, Minutes, and Questions with Answers, 1991

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Drafts (includes 9 Floppy Disks), 1990-92

Standards for Accreditation Packet, 1994

Summer Invitational Meeting, Advisory Committee to Revise the Accreditation Process, Nordic Hills, Itasca, Illinois, July 24-26, 1992

Task Force on External Accreditation

Background Information, 1998-2001

Budget Documents, 1999-2001

Discharge, 2002

Formal Documents and Reports, 2000-02

Meeting Notes and Comments, 1999-2002

Task Force on Independent Accreditation

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Office of Postsecondary Education, “Federal Register” Publications, 2004-08

Staff Report to the National Advisory Committee on COA Recognition, 1992

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