

**SUMMARY OF LAURA GASAWAYS' WORKSHOPS:
COPYRIGHT FOR THE NEW MILLENNIUM AND DIGITAL LICENSING**

Dr. Laura N. Gasaway (laura_gasaway@unc.edu) is Director of the Law Library, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Professor of Law.

She presented an overview of the current state of U.S. Copyright Law and the U.S. Digital Millennium Copyright Act as they apply to library practices. A chart entitled "When Works Pass Into the Public Domain" is available at <http://www.unc.edu/~uncInlg/public-d.htm>. Dr. Gasaway outlined instances when a library should seek the written permission to use an author's works, including photographs, motion media, music, as well as text.

Dr. Gasaway discussed digital licensing and suggested that face-to-face negotiation is the best method to determine licensing agreements. She advocated a thorough review of any license agreement and if possible the tailoring of the agreement to meet your library's particular circumstances. For a more complete understanding of this topic a bibliography of Dr. Gasaway's works on intellectual property is available at <http://www.unc.edu/~uncInlg/gasaway.htm>.

