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RETIREMENTS

Dr. Taemin Park retired on September 1, 2017 after more than 34 years of service to the Indiana University Bloomington Libraries.

Taemin grew up in Korea and graduated from Seoul's Ewha Women's University. In May, 1983, she joined the staff of Indiana University Libraries, working in the Section of Serials. She completed the Master of Library Science from Indiana University in 1984, and in November, 1986, began an appointment as a Visiting Assistant Librarian in Serials. The following year, she began her appointment as an Assistant Librarian in the Cataloging Section of Serials. In 1992, she attained the rank of Associate Librarian with tenure. In 1993, she completed the Ph.D. degree in Library and Information Science and has been teaching cataloging courses as an adjunct faculty member of the School of Library and Information Science to the present. From 2002 until her retirement, she held the position of East Asian Cataloger in the Area Studies Cataloging Section. In addition to the above accomplishments, Taemin achieved full librarian status in 2013.

As Taemin's colleagues, we are proud of her distinguished career as an accomplished cataloger, a teacher, a prolific scholar, and a supportive colleague. We thank her wholeheartedly for her professional dedication for more than three decades and will miss her presence among us dearly. A proud (and busy) grandmother of several grandchildren, we know for sure that she is enjoying a happy and fulfilling new chapter of her life!

Wen-ling Liu

Librarian for East Asian and Tibetan Studies
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Tony H. Chang, East Asian Studies and Chinese Studies Librarian at Washington University in St. Louis, retired from the position at the end of December 2017.

Tony received his MLS from the University of California, Berkeley, and worked as a Chinese cataloging librarian at the Ohio State University from 1985 to 1989. He then joined Washington University in St. Louis in 1989 as the cataloging and subject librarian for Chinese studies. In 1999, as East Asian Studies Librarian, he became the head of the Washington University East Asian Library, while continuing to hold his subject and cataloging responsibilities for Chinese studies. Although his expert knowledge will be sorely missed, we wish him a long and happy retirement.

Tony as a private individual can be reached at chang.tonyh@gmail.com. Until his successor is named, please direct all inquiries and requests to the East Asian Library at Washington University in St. Louis to Ryuta Komaki (rkomaki@wustl.edu).

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