



FCCA 2002 Annual Conference Bridge to the Future

The *City of Roses*, *the Rose City*, *Bridge City* are all monikers for the lovely city of Portland, Oregon. This true gem of a city awaits your arrival to join the staff of the District of Oregon at the exciting and educational 2002 FCCA conference. This year's conference will be a truly unique opportunity to enjoy the Pacific Northwest at its best. July and August in Portland is the best time to enjoy the beauty of this magnificent city. From the *End of the Oregon Trail Interpretive Center*, Powell's City of Books (the world's largest bookstore), the World Forestry Center Museum, the Portland Art Museum, Japanese Gardens and many others; Portland offers an exceptional vacation value. The ruggedly beautiful Oregon Coast is just a short drive from downtown Portland as are the Cascade Mountains including Mt. Hood and Mt. St Helens. Coupled with the ambiance of Portland, the outstanding educational opportunities of the 2002 Conference are an opportunity not to be missed.

The 74th Annual Federal Court Clerks Association Conference will be

held at the beautiful Marriott Downtown, an exquisite hotel on the banks of the lovely Willamette River. Many rooms have a view of majestic Mt. Hood towering above the city and river. The other rooms have beautiful views of the city and surrounding hills. A room block has been reserved with room rates of \$129.00 per room per night with up to quadruple occupancy. Shopping, attractions and the Mark O. Hatfield Courthouse are within easy walking distance of the hotel. Unlike other major cities, Portland has city blocks that are 200 feet, so when someone tells you an attraction is just five blocks away, they mean less than a five minute walk. The Committee has changed the late registration date to April 15, 2002.

Transportation from the Portland International Airport is readily available. The Gray Line Bus Company runs a shuttle service beginning at 5:15 a.m. with the last shuttle departing the airport at Midnight. The shuttle costs \$15 one-way or \$20 round trip. The bus stops right at the hotel so it is very convenient. Portland just opened its light rail service (MAX) to the airport

as well. It runs from 5:15 a.m. until 11:20 p.m. and costs just \$1.55 one-way. The MAX stop is about a 10-minute walk to the hotel. Cabs cost around \$25.00.

As you will see from the accompanying educational information, this year's conference has classes geared toward deputy clerks, court managers and clerks. Chief Judge Michael R. Hogan has declared the conference a training opportunity for the Staff of the District of Oregon. To that end, the Conference Planning Team has worked long and hard to develop an exceptional educational curriculum. The only thing missing to make the experience truly rewarding is YOU. We will cross the *Bridge to the Future* during the week, so bring your imagination, enthusiasm and desire to learn. However, all work and no play makes for a long, dull conference. Therefore, the Committee has been equally busy planning some exciting evening adventures. The *President's Reception* will take on a Western "Cowboy" theme as we turn the Mark O. Hatfield Courthouse into the

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“Hatfield Corral.” Bring your “ropin’ duds” and join the fun. The Marshal says all “shootin’ irons” must be checked at the door however. There will also be an opportunity to learn to Salsa dance at the historic Crystal Ballroom. You can join your friends to experience Portland’s many microbreweries or check out the nightlife on your own.

Portland enjoys a mild summer climate. The temperatures can vary widely so bring plenty of comfortable summer clothes. You may want to bring a light jacket or sweater for the sometimes-cool evenings. The attire for the educational activities will be business casual. Your 2002 FCCA Conference Planning Committee is looking forward to seeing many of you in Portland this summer. It will truly be a conference to remember!

For more information on the conference and on Oregon attractions, travel information, hotel information, and local sites, please visit <<http://www.ord.uscourts.gov/fcca/index.htm>>.

The 2002 FCCA conference mailing address is:

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Headed Hopefully for the Big Five-O

By William T. Barnes

Many years ago (1952) I attended my first Federal Court Clerks Association Conference in Indianapolis, Indiana, back when I was a member of the Administrative Office staff and I have been an ardent supporter of your association over the years with frequent attendance at the annual conferences.

I officially became a member of the FCCA in 1976 following my retirement from the AO and have attended most of your conferences ever since (the Cleveland conference was the first one I have missed in the last 10 years).

Perhaps needless to say, I have always championed clerks’ offices (the

backbone of the courts), God and my health a-willing, my planned visit to Portland this summer will mark the 50th anniversary of my conference attendance. I am very much looking forward to it, and I hope that I can make it.



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Educational Program

Your Conference Planning Committee is working hard to provide the best and most exciting educational program available. The following curriculum for the 2002 FCCA Conference has been confirmed as of Thursday, January 31, 2002. The Education Committee continues to contact and work with potential presenters to expand the topics and enhance the variety of training opportunities available.

Settlement Process in the U.S. Courts

Honorable Edward Leavy - Senior U.S. Circuit Judge for the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals

Judge Leavy sits on the Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act Court of Review and in that role presided over the mediation in the now infamous USA v. Wen Ho Lee espionage case. He is currently presiding over mediation in the high profile Security and Exchanges Commission v. Capital Consultants cases pending in the district. Judge Leavy is a dynamic speaker and will chronicle his experiences and highlight techniques he finds successful in the area of Alternate Dispute Resolution.

“Is it Legal Advice?”

Jim Buchanan - Federal Judicial Center

Ever found yourself in one of those sticky situations where an attorney or someone from the public is asking for answers, which border on legal advice? This outstanding program presented by the FJC's own Jim Buchanan will give you pragmatic solutions and guides to making sure this basic tenant of a deputy clerk's responsibility is not violated.

Analysis v Assumption in the Workplace

Michael Berney - Federal Judicial Center

In a “team-building” setting, you will explore the dangers of stereotyp-

ing people. Recent events have shaken the bedrock of our fundamental beliefs as we grapple with our nation's diverse cultures and how to protect ourselves from further terrorist attacks. This session is designed to raise your awareness, dealing with this difficult topic in a non-threatening way and giving you practical tools to come to terms with your own fears.

The FISH ilosophy

Sheryl Loesch, Clerk - Middle District of Florida

Imagine a workplace where everyone chooses to bring energy, passion, and a positive attitude with them each day- an environment in which people are truly connected to their work, their colleagues, and to their customers. FISH is a tool to help you lead people toward creating that environment. This training is designed to give employees and supervisors the tools to put the ideas and concepts into their work and into their personal lives. Based on the book by Stephen C. Ludin, Ph.D., Harry Paul and John Christensen.

Ethics and the Code of Conduct

As all public servants come under closer scrutiny in the media, it is good to review the Code of Conduct and Ethics in this increasingly demanding environment. This is a valuable session for all court employees and will spark discussion through scenario driven groups. Your input is an important part of your participation.

Court Outreach Programs

Jeff Apperson, Clerk, U.S. District Court - Western District of Kentucky

Marcus Zimmer, Clerk, U.S. District Court - Utah

The end of the Cold War has brought rapid and much welcomed change to the former Soviet Block

States of Eastern Europe. These newly emerging democracies are struggling with how to govern themselves and preserve basic human rights, which were missing from their lives for many years. Under the auspices of the Central and Eastern European Legal Institute, U.S. Aid for International Development and the U.S. State Department Democracy programs, Jeff Apperson and Marc Zimmer have lead their courts in an outreach program to foster a mentoring relationship with a number of these countries. Both presenters have traveled to Croatia, Albania, Romania and many other countries and will discuss their experiences.

What Do You Stand For? Leadership in the Courts

Joe Haas, Clerk, U.S. District Court - South Dakota

There is a well-known credo - *If you don't stand for something, you'll fall for anything.* What do YOU stand for? The FCCA President, Joe Haas, leads this exciting and informative discussion about the cornerstone of basic leadership. His years of experience in the Judiciary have provided him with a unique insight into which styles of leadership work and which ones are less effective. Joe promises to capture your attention and imagination in an entertaining yet provocative way, which will challenge your deepest conceptions of Leadership.

Federal Rules of Civil and Criminal Procedure

Mr. James R. Larsen, Clerk U.S. District Court - Eastern District of Washington

This informative session, led by Jim Larsen will discuss the most recent amendments to the Federal Rules of Civil and Criminal Procedure and how they impact deputy clerks daily tasks. This pragmatic dialogue will provide deputy clerks with tools they need to

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successfully interact with the many customers they serve.

FAS4T

Phil McKinney, Chief, Office of Finance & Budget, Administrative Office of the Courts

Ralph DeLoach, FAS4T Chair

Brenda Steutman, Western District of Kentucky

Phil McKinney will update the progress of the AO's new financial system covering issues such as staffing challenges, integrating the application with existing financial software and establishing a closer working relationship with other court agencies. This will be a great introduction for courts soon to implement FAS4T and will provide an opportunity to network and find resources to tap during the transition. It will also be a tremendous opportunity for current users to share with each other and help sister courts prepare for transition.

"WeberPerfect" Forms Generation

Caroline Weber, U.S. District Court - Middle District of Florida

WeberPerfect is a forms generation program using nested macros to easily generate standard forms used in many clerk's offices. Caroline Weber, the creator, will demonstrate the system and discuss the myriad of applications in local court form creation and development. WeberPerfect will also be integrated with Release 2 of the CM/ECF software slated for 2003.

Adobe Acrobat - Working with PDF Documents

The Adobe Acrobat Portable Document Format (PDF) is quickly becoming the international standard for posting secure documents to the Web because documents can not be modi-

fied in their published state. The AO chose this format for the CM/ECF system to ensure integrity of electronically filed documents. As CM/ECF implementation grows, court staff will find it critical to have a good working knowledge of PDF documents. This course will teach all aspects of Adobe Acrobat including copying text for use in word processing, converting text and scanned documents to PDF as well as how to maintain formatting during conversion.

Case Management - 2002

Mr. Steve Erlich, Chief Deputy Clerk, U.S. District Court - Colorado

Steve Erlich is a nationally recognized and gifted speaker who will share his years of experience working with a variety of case management systems. Steve will provide tremendous insight for clerks and deputy clerks on emerging techniques in case management as well as some tried and true procedures that will be sure to complement your existing case management programs.

Coping with Stress/Traumatic Instances

Everyone knows stress is a fact of life, between work, home and other pressures on our time. There are also unfortunate traumatic incidents in our lives that compound the situation. These events assault our basic needs; erode our trust in others, and assail our sense of control. They will most often negatively impact our performance at work and our relationships at home. This presentation provides useful information for dealing with life's speed bumps by identifying the stages and warning signs of traumatic change. You will be armed with tools, techniques, and resources to help you gain equilibrium once again or to help a loved one, friend, colleague or employee to deal with these situations.

Rules of Practice in an Electronic Environment

Pat Brune, Clerk, U.S. District Court - Western District of Missouri

Bill Terry, U.S. District Court - Western District of Missouri

Camile S. Hickman, U.S. District Court - Oregon

The panel is made up of members of two Prototype courts who will discuss their approaches to crafting local rules to deal with the emerging Electronic Filing process. It should provide clerks, court managers and others interested in this developing system with insight and viable ideas to deal with procedural issues associated with electronic filing and case management.

CM/ECF - A Deputy Clerk's Perspective Panel Discussion

This panel discussion will explore the new Case Management/Electronic Case Filing system from the front line deputy clerk perspective. A panel of users who tackle daily docketing, case management and report generation will provide a forum for dialogue and information sharing. The deputy clerks from the District of Oregon will host the discussion.

Alternate Dispute Resolution in the Federal District Court

Berry Mitchell, Office of Dispute Resolution, District of Rhode Island

Berry Mitchell is a recognized expert in the area of ADR and will provide his insight into the historical background of ADR in the Federal Courts; ADR methods and programs, and techniques for managing, monitoring and maintaining support for ADR programs in District Courts. This is sure to be a valuable resource for those clerks and deputy clerks responsible for the Court's ADR program as well as informative for those interested in this area of Court Administration.

Employee Dispute Resolution

Holly Velando, Circuit Executive's Office,

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U.S. Court of Appeals for the 9th Circuit

This presentation will take you through the Model EDR Plan adopted by the Judicial Conference. Holly Velando will provide suggestions on how to write local plans as well as discuss the rights and remedies available to court staff. This is a *must see* event for HR professionals, clerks, chief deputies or anyone interested in understanding the EDR process more fully.

Spanish Phrases for Court Staff

Cristina Castro, Certified Spanish Interpreter

As Spanish becomes more pervasive within the culture of the United States, deputy clerks often find themselves trying to help people with a limited grasp of English. Cristina Castro is a dedicated professional interpreter for the District of Oregon. She will provide instruction on simple Spanish phrases that intake and courtroom deputy clerks can use right away to enable them to communicate with family and associates of Spanish speaking litigants, defendants and visitors to the court.

No hablo espanol, pero intentare ayudarle a econtrar lo que necesite!

(You don't have to be able to speak Spanish to come!)

Courtroom Technology

Dave Jorgensen, U.S. District Court - Oregon

Houston Bolles, U.S. District Court - Oregon

"The rapid adoption of courtroom technology is changing the nature of both litigation and adjudication. We are potentially on the road to a virtual courtroom; an adjudication in which none of the participants need be in the

same place and which could result in the demise of the courtroom as we know it." (*The Road to the Virtual Courtroom?* by Fredric I. Lederer, Professor of Law, William and Mary School of Law.) The District of Oregon staff will showcase courtroom technology available to litigants in the Mark O. Hatfield Courthouse. The District of Oregon is now fielding the "second generation" of courtroom technology. Dave Jorgensen and Houston Bolles will discuss design of the system, funding and fielding of the final product. This will be a "hands-on" interactive seminar to allow clerks, court managers and deputy clerks to see first hand how to quickly improve the litigation process.

Courthouse Construction

Libby Barber, Staff Architect U.S. District Court - Oregon

Libby Barber is the staff architect for the new Eugene, Oregon courthouse. She was also the design architect with Boora Architects, who designed and built the Mark O. Hatfield Courthouse in the 1990's. Libby will provide an overview of GSA's Design Excellence program and the process of courthouse design and construction. She will also highlight how court management staff can influence the design and construction process. Libby's presentation will include recent examples of successful courthouse design and construction.

"Own Your Share of America"

Doug K. Van, Allen, President Portland Chapter of National Association of Investment Clubs

The National Association of Investment Clubs (NAIC) is a non-profit association dedicated to investment education. NAIC is the leading association for investment education and of the investment club movement in the United States. NAIC serves over 35,000 investment clubs, reaching 600,000 individual investors nationwide. Since 1951, the mission of NAIC has been to provide a program of sound invest-

ment information, education and support that helps create successful, lifetime investors. "Own your Share of America" is NAIC's best known program for beginning investors.

Getting Organized - Fast!

Carol Cooper-Skopil, U.S. District Court - Oregon

Is your desk and office a disaster area? Are you the only one able to find things in your unique "filing system?" Carol Cooper-Skopil will teach you exciting and innovative ways to organize your desk, schedule and workload and become more productive than ever. Getting Organized is a three step crash course for busy professionals. First, you will take a self-evaluation to assess the impact clutter is having in your life. Then, Carol will teach you practical solutions to conquering clutter once and for all.

CM/ECF - Electronic Filing Demonstration

District of Oregon staff will demonstrate electronic filing of court-generated documents, opinions, minute entries, scheduling orders, and findings. This is a companion course for the CM/ECF - A Deputy Clerk's Perspective. You will see first hand what all the excitement is about, understand how the system functions and how it will impact day-to-day operations in your court. This is an outstanding opportunity for the staff from CM/ECF Wave Courts to see the software in action, which will help them to start formulating strategies for implementation.

ABC's of Internet Use

Stephen J.L. Sibelman, Director of Information Technology

Steve Sibelman is a former practicing attorney and is now the District of Oregon's Director of Information Technology. He has worked extensively with networking and how to in-

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tegrate the World Wide Web into daily activities of court staff. He will provide humorous yet informative discussions on how to effectively navigate the Internet, including the DCN. He will also provide pearls of wisdom on re-

sponsible Internet and e-mail usage. This is a great session for those "technologically challenged" folks.

Courthouse Tours

Donald M. Cinnamond, Clerk, U.S. District Court - Oregon

Danny W. Armstrong, U.S. District Court - Oregon

The Mark O. Hatfield U.S. Courthouse is the recipient of the 1994 GSA National Honor Award for Design Excellence and has become a nationally recognized model for courthouse buildings. Come join the Clerk of Court, Don Cinnamond, as he hosts an extensive tour of the public and Clerk's Office spaces as well as courtrooms and chambers. It is a delightful time that exhibits the best in courthouse design.



Conference Social Events FCCA 2002 Conference, Portland, Oregon



President's Reception

Sunday, July 28, 2002

6:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Mark O. Hatfield U.S. Courthouse

Cowboy Up and join all your FCCA friends, old and new, at the President's Reception and Western Bar-b-que on the rooftop terrace of the beautiful Mark O. Hatfield United States Courthouse. Enjoy the breathtaking views of the City of Roses and the majestic Cascade Mountains while dining on grilled western flank steak, calico baked beans, corn on the cob, garden

salad, fruit platters, cornbread, berry cobbler, iced tea and lemonade, and a no-host bar. To complete your western experience, enjoy some authentic cowboy poetry and song.



Salsa Night at the Crystal Ballroom

Monday, July 29, 2002

6:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m.

A favorite downtown night-spot is the venue for your second evening in Portland. Lola's Room at the historic Crystal Ballroom and Ringer's Bar play host to an evening of Salsa danc-

ing, billiards, and general revelry. A delicious light Italian buffet and no-host bar insure that your evening will be complete. And by-the-way, for those with other cravings, Jake's Famous Crawfish and Powell's Bookstore, the world's largest and most famous bookstore, are nearby.

Product Fair

4:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Late Night Social

10:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.

Tuesday, July 30, 2002

Marriott Hotel

Learn about the latest products of interest to the courts by touring the Product Fair and talking to company representatives. Then enjoy an opportunity to choose your own dining and entertainment in one of America's most vibrant cities. Towards the end of your evening, join us in the Marriott Hotel for a Late Night Social featuring a great local DJ, dancing, a no-host bar, and light hors d'oeuvres.

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An Evening On Your Own in Beautiful Portland, The City of Roses

or

The FCCA Portland Pub Crawl 5:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m

Late Night Social II 10:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m. Wednesday, July 31, 2002 Marriott Hotel

This evening is left open to enjoy all that our great city has to offer including great restaurants and cafes offering a variety of great dining experiences. For the adventurous, feel free to join us for the FCCA Portland Pub Crawl. Sure to be a memorable event, the Pub Crawl will take in many of Portland's best brew pubs and night spots. Then, we'll close the evening with our Late Night Social II featuring another great DJ, dancing, a no-host bar, and light hor d'oeuvres.

FCCA Annual Conference Banquet

***Thursday, August 1, 2002
Cocktail Hour 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.
Dinner 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
Dancing 9:00 p.m. - 1:00 a.m.
Marriott Hotel***

The FCCA Annual Conference Banquet will be a captivating evening of dinner and dancing. This is the final event for the 2002 FCCA Conference. Join us for a delightful dinner in a business-casual setting. Following dinner there will be an evening of music and dancing to *Off the Record*, one of Portland's most recognized bands.



Senior Judge James M. Burns 1924-2001



Senior Judge James M. Burns with his docket clerk Judy Proulx (now retired) and courtroom deputy clerk Don Roberts (now retired), 1992.

For many of us, it was our very good fortune to know Senior Judge James M. Burns, who passed away on December 21, 2001. In the District of Oregon as well as the courts in which he served as a visiting judge, he was known for his intellect and his keen

sense of humor and compassionate nature. Always a willing mentor of others, Judge Burns was a strong supporter of court staff and their role in the judicial process.

Judge Burns touched nothing that he did not brighten and make better.

All who knew him added to their own determination to be better and more sympathetic and generous to others. His passing leaves a void in our hearts and in the courts that will be difficult to fill.



Xerox AD

Welcome to the Portland Marriott Downtown!



The Portland Marriott Downtown is centrally located across from the Waterfront Park in downtown Portland. The Marriott offers a business center, workout room, indoor pool, two restaurants, gift shop, and several other guest services. In addition to the hotel's wonderful hospitality and convenient location, you will also be sure to enjoy the beautiful view of the Willamette River!

Marriott Hotel
1401 S.W. Naito Parkway
Portland, Oregon 97201

Local Reservation Phone Number: (503) 226-7600*

Toll Free Reservation Number: 1-800-228-9290*

*Mention you are with the FCCA conference when making your reservation.

Conference Room Rate: \$129.00 per night (rate includes breakfast and lunch Monday - Thursday)

Internet Address: <http://www.marriott.com>

Directions from Portland International Airport: Take 205 South to 84 West to City Center signs. Cross the Morrison Bridge; exit right onto Naito Parkway and follow to Columbia Street.



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Registration Form

Please check the boxes for your classes selections and return this form with your conference registration form.

Class Description	1 st Offering	2 nd Offering
Settlement Process in the U.S. Courts	7/30/02 10:15 am <input type="checkbox"/>	
State of the Judiciary Budget	7/29/02 3:00 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	
“Is it Legal Advice”	7/31/02 10:15 am <input type="checkbox"/>	
Analysis v Assumption in the Workplace	7/30/02 10:15 am <input type="checkbox"/>	
The FISH Philosophy	7/29/02 3:00 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	
Ethics and the Code of Conduct	7/31/02 8:30 am <input type="checkbox"/>	
Court Outreach Programs	7/30/02 8:30 am <input type="checkbox"/>	
What Do You Stand For? Leadership in the Courts	8/1/02 8:30 am <input type="checkbox"/>	
F.R.Cv. P. & F.R. Cr. P.	7/29/02 3:00 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	8/1/02 9:30 am <input type="checkbox"/>
FAS4T	7/31/02 1:30 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	
“WeberPerfect” Forms Generation	7/30/02 1:30 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	7/31/02 10:15 am <input type="checkbox"/>
Adobe Acrobat - Working with PDF Documents	7/31/02 1:30 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	8/1/02 9:30 am <input type="checkbox"/>
Case Management - 2002	8/1/02 2:15 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	
“Coping with Stress/Traumatic Instances”	7/31/02 1:30 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	
Rules of Practice in an Electronic Environment - Panel Discussion	7/31/02 10:15 am <input type="checkbox"/>	
CM/ECF - A Deputy Clerk’s Perspective Panel Discussion	7/30/02 10:15 am <input type="checkbox"/>	
Alternate Dispute Resolution in the Federal District Court	8/1/02 9:30 am <input type="checkbox"/>	
Employee Dispute Resolution	7/30/02 3:00 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	
Spanish Phrases for Court Staff	7/30/02 10:15 am <input type="checkbox"/>	7/30/02 1:30 pm <input type="checkbox"/>
Courtroom Technology	7/31/02 10:15 am <input type="checkbox"/>	7/31/02 1:30 pm <input type="checkbox"/>
Courthouse Construction	7/30/02 10:15 am <input type="checkbox"/>	
“Own Your Share of America”	8/1/02 2:15 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	
Getting Organized - 2002	7/30/02 3:00 pm <input type="checkbox"/>	7/31/02 10:15 am <input type="checkbox"/>

Additional Conference Events - Portland, Oregon



Phantom of the Opera **Saturday, July 27, 2002** **7:30 - 11 p.m.**

Come and watch the spectacular Broadway Play at the Keller Auditorium in downtown Portland.

There is a conference group that will be attending the show, if you'd like to join them, please contact Mary Anne DeLap at

mary_delap@ord.uscourts.gov

for further information.

Ticket prices range from \$28 - \$70.

Park Walks

Portland has numerous parks that are enjoyed by all age groups. The parks offer a number of different themes and views of Portland. On Sunday, July 28, 2002 feel free to sign up for one of the walks while you are registering for the conference. Each walk will be guided by a court employee that will take you and your guests on the MAX (light rail system) to either the Washington Park or the Forest Park.



Golf Tournament **Wednesday, July 31, 2002**

If you'd like to try your golf game on one of our Portland courses, this is time of year to do it!

For those that are interested in setting up a tee time, please contact Mary Anne DeLap

mary_delap@ord.uscourts.gov

Fun Run and Walk - Downtown Portland **Thursday, August 1, 2002** **7 a.m. - 8 a.m.**

Join us for a fun run and walk in Portland's downtown area. View the river and Portland's bridges as you enjoy the company of other conference attendees.



Columbia Gorge Tour **Friday, August 2, 2002** **8 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

Travel along Oregon's Columbia Gorge historic scenic highway and

view the rock formations, native vegetation, the Multnomah Falls and panoramic views of the Columbia Gorge. This tour also includes a drive through the Hood River Valley as you travel to Mt. Hood's Timberline Lodge.

Mount St. Helens Trip **Friday, August 2, 2002** **8 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

Photographer: J. Quiring,
USDA Forest Service, 1992

Follow the Toutle River on your drive to Coldwater Ridge Visitor Center and the Johnston Ridge Visitors Center. Both visitor centers will allow you to witness the volcano's history, its explosion, and the view of the remaining crater, lava dome, and new growth forest around it.



Oregon Coast Trip **Friday, August 2, 2002** **8 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

Relax on the drive through Oregon farmlands as you head to the coastal towns of Seaside and Cannon Beach, Oregon. Once you're at the coast you'll enjoy the art galleries, boutiques or perhaps just enjoy the peaceful view of the Pacific Ocean as you stroll along the beachfront boardwalk.

