The LLJ/Spectrum Committee started the year with an ambitious agenda. As we moved into our first project, however, we were advised that the charge to the Committee as posted on the web page was incorrect. While the charge was being reviewed by the Board, our only task was to select the LLJ and Spectrum Article of the Year winners.

Using a new procedure that involved all members in the process rather than a Committee subset, each Committee member reviewed and ranked a set number of LLJ or Spectrum articles, giving each a numerical ranking. The top article from each member was then disseminated to the Committee, with each member giving a ranking to the top articles. Although the voting was very close due to the excellent articles to review, the Committee made its selection:

AALL Spectrum Article of the Year : Steven Lastres – *Collection Development in the Age of the Virtual Law Firm Library*


When the review of Committee’s charge was determined to be correct as it appears on the web, it was too late in the year to begin any new projects. The list of activities was turned over to Linda Corbelli, chair 2012-13, for the Committee to consider for the upcoming year.

Merle Slyhoff, Chair, 2011-2012