UKSG International Research Awards

Emilia Pacheco and Chrysa Papatriantafyllou became the first two winners of the new UK Serials Group International Research Awards Programme and our congratulations go to both of them.

Emilia, who works at the University of Algarve, is currently studying for a Masters Degree at Lisbon University. The title of her dissertation is 'The Hybrid Library: Access to Portuguese Scientific and Technical Journals in Academic Libraries' and it is due to be completed at the end of this year.

Chrysa, who is currently studying for an MA in Information and Library Management at the Manchester Metropolitan University, is currently working on a dissertation entitled 'Identifying win-win improvements in the UK academic libraries' serials procurement: A game theoretic stakeholder analysis'.

A Panel comprising Ann Betterton from the UKSG Education Subcommittee and Christine Fyfe and Hazel Woodward from the main committee evaluated the proposals received and





Chrysa Papatriantafyllou

Emilia Pacheco

unanimously agreed that the proposals from Emilia and Chrysa were worthy winners of the new award.

Both receive a cash award of £1,000 towards the costs of their research and will have the opportunity to have their final work (or a summary of it) published in *Serials*.

UKSG is committed to education and research in the area of serials and is delighted that two such diverse and topical subjects have been selected to receive the first awards. Information about the 2003 Awards programme will be communicated in the November 2002 issue of *Serials*.

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