

UAF honored

The Elmer Rasmuson Library and the University of Alaska Museum of the University of Alaska-Fairbanks were named Award of Merit winners for 1982 by the American Association for State and Local History.

The Library was honored for its Preservation of the Oral History of Alaska's People. The program actively gathers tapes and other recordings which preserve the state's oral history. Recordings of gold miners, fishermen and Alaska's Native peoples are among the collections.

The Museum received its recognition for the special exhibit, "Setting it Free: An Exhibition of Modern Alaskan Eskimo Ivory Carving." Featured were more than 200 individual ivory carvings.