

The Society's President, John L. Mason, received an interesting letter from an eleven-year-old student in Moscow, who is an aspiring animator. She wrote:

Dear Mr. Mason -

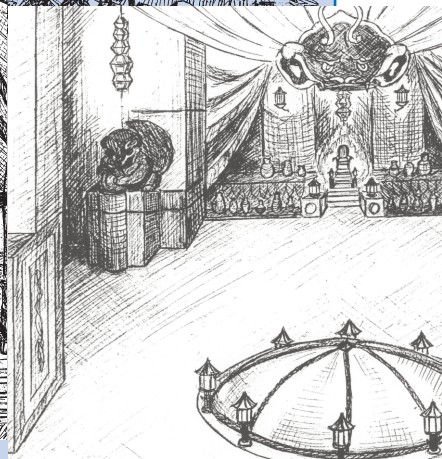
I am Dana Batinich. I am eleven years old. I am at the fifth form, and want to be an animator. I have been studying drawing since I was five, and last year entered a children's educational film center to learn animation.

I wanted to know the addresses of studios in the United States, but couldn't find them. At last, I found a copy of the *SMPTE Journal* in the Institute of Cinema here in Moscow, and found your photo and address.

My mother and I have written a tale about Alexey Tzarivich, and I have done some illustrations, which I am sending you.

Sincerely,
Dana Batinich

The Journal's editorial staff was deeply impressed with Ms. Batinich's drawings and expects to be seeing more of this talented young artist's work in the future. If you or your company would like more information about Dana, or would like to see more of her work, please e-mail our Director of Publications, David Juhren, at DJuhren@SMPTE.org.



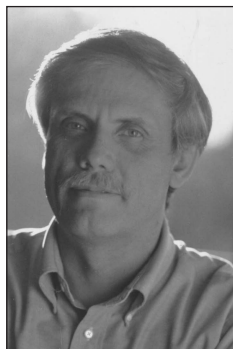
Obituary

Wayne C. McLachlan

Wayne C. McLachlan died on June 17, 2002 at the age of 53 after a long fight with cancer. He was born on November 7, 1948, in Salt Lake City, and served in the U.S. Army National Guard and the U.S. Air Force Reserves. He held B.S. degrees in both electronic and manufacturing engineering.

Wayne was an employee of the Grass Valley Group for more than 26 years. He worked as a design engineer and, subsequently, managed the test engineering department. He contributed new methodologies to equipment test, resulting in dramatic reductions in test time and improvements in product quality.

He also served as a member of the Grass Valley Fire Department for over 27 years.



Wayne was active in SMPTE affairs, holding positions as Manager and Chair of the Sacramento Section and contributing tutorials to

SMPTE conferences. He was appointed a Fellow of SMPTE in 2001.

Wayne will be remembered by many as an educator. He co-authored the book, *Applied Electronic Instrumentation and Measurement*, and produced videotaped training courses on video fundamentals, measurement, and firefighting. He lectured at Yuba College, Sierra College, and UCLA.

Above all, Wayne will be remembered for his enthusiasm for life and

Erratum

"A Tour Up the Gray Scale Vector of the RGB Color Cube: How Computer Graphics Color Spaces Relate to Digital Video Color Difference Space," by Leonard J. Reder and Michael Farris, *SMPTE Journal*, July/August 2002, pp. 330-342.

Due to technical printing errors, we regret that many of the equations in this article were incorrect. To view the corrected version in its entirety, please refer to the August Online *Journal* at www.smpte.org.

for his sense of humor, which survived to the end.

Wayne McLachlan is survived by his wife, Donna; son and daughter-in-law, Jason and Allie McLachlan; and daughters Carrie and Emily McLachlan, all of Grass Valley.

—Peter J. Symes