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January to December (Subject to List Traffic)

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From dwood6 at lsuhsc.edu  Tue Jan 25 11:23:04 2011
From: dwood6 at lsuhsc.edu (Woodson, Deidra E.)
Date: Tue, 25 Jan 2011 11:23:04 -0600
Subject: [Research-mla] Call for Articles for the Hypothesis
Message-ID: <E13A6837AB92D149925A31BD3FC7545E01D4C6C0@SH-
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Hello everyone!


Can you believe that it is time for the next Hypothesis issue already?
The deadline for the Spring Issue is just a few weeks away - February
15th! We welcome articles, news items, and any other items of interest.
Don't forget about our newest addition - Chapter News - we welcome news
items from the Research sections & committees from our regional
chapters.



The Hypothesis is the official journal of the MLA Research Section. You
can find past issues here - http://research.mlanet.org/hypothesis/



Please submit all entries to either Deidra Woodson (dwood6 at lsuhsc.edu)
or Diane Copper (cooperd at ors.od.nih.gov).



Thank you,

Deidra  & Diane, Hypothesis co-editors




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From: jeldredge at salud.unm.edu (Jonathan Eldredge)
Date: Wed, 26 Jan 2011 10:18:16 -0700
Subject: [Research-mla] Fwd: RE: library research survey
Message-ID: <4D3FF4E8020000B500042134@hsc-iagate1.health.unm.edu>

Dear MLA Research Section Colleagues,

According to Alison Brettle we in the US are eligible to take this
survey on library research.

Jon

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          John Cotton Dana
>>> "Alison Brettle" <A.Brettle at salford.ac.uk> 1/26/2011 6:07 AM >>>
Hi Jon

No - feel free to respond and encourage your colleagues to do so

best wishes

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-----Original Message-----
From: Jonathan Eldredge [mailto:jeldredge at salud.unm.edu]
Sent: Tue 25/01/2011 16:16
To: Brettle Alison
Subject: Fwd: library research survey

Alison,

Is this survey restricted to only UK folks?

Jon

>>> Alison Brettle <A.Brettle at SALFORD.AC.UK> 1/25/2011 2:11 AM >>>
*WITH APOLOGIES FOR CROSS POSTING

Are you interested in library research and also the chance to win a
?50
Amazon voucher? If you can answer yes to both these questions, then
you
should complete this questionnaire. LIRG is a group of the UK's
Chartered Institute of Library and Information Professionals (CILIP).
The Group has decided to undertake this short survey as it needs to
review how it communicates with the Library and Information Science
(LIS) research community. The survey should only take 5 minutes to
complete. If you have any queries, please contact Dr Graham Walton
(j.g.walton at lboro.ac.uk). As an incentive, LIRG is offering a ?50
Amazon
voucher via a prize draw to two lucky winners!

https://www.survey.lboro.ac.uk/lirg2011

All responses are anonymous and confidential. Thank you for taking the
time - it is much appreciated. If you want to know more about the
current activity of the Library and Information Research Group then
check out the group's website or its open access journal Library and
Information Research. *

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From duddenr at njhealth.org Wed Jan 26 16:22:49 2011
From: duddenr at njhealth.org (Rosalind Dudden)
Date: Wed, 26 Jan 2011 15:22:49 -0700
Subject: [Research-mla] Vote in 2011 Research Section election
Message-ID: <C965ECC9.2EAF1%duddenr@njhealth.org>

Dear Research Section colleagues,

It's time to elect new leadership for the Research Section of MLA.

We have a single person slate this year, but you do have the opportunity to write in a vote.

For Chair-Elect:
Kristine Alpi, North Carolina State University Libraries, Veterinary Medicine Library, Raleigh, NC
CV available on Goggle Docs with this link, by link only:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1inH0zP6z2SrROwHn92eEu9Qmj6Ic8pnVihN8ZaCA
HrA/edit?hl=en&authkey=CIuoh84O

For Section candidate for nomination to the MLA Nominating Committee:
Julia Esparza, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, Department of Medical Library Science, Shreveport, LA
CV available on Goggle Docs with this link, by link only:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1RVBbBdZmV2S39WUsC2zr5QLX0iiUW-h1lX52vdh6
0-Q/edit?hl=en&authkey=CMrkmK8N

Please use link below to cast your vote.

http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/DYZJ5P5

Please complete your ballot by midnight, February 14, 2011.

Let me know if you have questions or comments about the online voting procedure. Thank you for taking the time to vote!

Rosalind Dudden
Chair, Research Section Nominating Committee

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From slessick at uci.edu Thu Jan 27 16:48:54 2011
From: slessick at uci.edu (Susan Lessick)
Date: Thu, 27 Jan 2011 14:48:54 -0800
Subject: [Research-mla] Research Section Survey Available -- Win $200!
Message-ID: <4D41F656.8060505@uci.edu>

Research Section members:

Please help the Research Section Strategic Planning Committee by taking
the Survey on Research Activities of Librarians. The Survey link can be
found at:

http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/ZFJJHVK

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opportunity of entering into a drawing for $200 toward a 2011 MLA
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If you have any questions, please contact Strategic Planning Committee
Chair Susan Lessick at slessick at uci.edu.
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From duddenr at njhealth.org Wed Feb 9 16:25:33 2011
From: duddenr at njhealth.org (Rosalind Dudden)
Date: Wed, 9 Feb 2011 15:25:33 -0700
Subject: [Research-mla] REMINDER -- Vote in 2011 Research Section election
In-Reply-To: <C965ECC9.2EAF1%duddenr@njhealth.org>
Message-ID: <C978626D.2F851%duddenr@njhealth.org>

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HrA/edit?hl=en&authkey=CIuoh84O

For Section candidate for nomination to the MLA Nominating Committee:
Julia Esparza, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, Department
of Medical Library Science, Shreveport, LA
CV available on Goggle Docs with this link, by link only:
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1RVBbBdZmV2S39WUsC2zr5QLX0iiUW-h1lX52vdh6
0-Q/edit?hl=en&authkey=CMrkmK8N

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Research Committee Members,

Below is the message I received from the ALA office concerning upcoming legislation.

Please take the time to contact your Representatives to oppose Amendment #35

and to support Conyers' amendment to the Continuing Resolution.

See below.

Thanks,

Elaine Powers

Research Committee

Governmental Relations Liaison

This week, the House of Representatives will consider two amendments to the FY2011 Continuing Resolution that are critical to libraries - one that would eliminate all Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) funding including Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) funding and another that would halt all funding for Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act (FISA) orders seeking libraries and bookstore records of U.S. citizens.

E-mail via Capwiz <http://capwiz.com/ala/issues/alert/?alertid=28204516&PROCESS=Take+Action> or call your representative at (202) 224-3121 today and tell him or her to oppose Amendment #35 to the Continuing Resolution!

Amendment #35, submitted by U.S. Rep. Scott Garret (R-NJ), seeks to zero out the Institute of Museum and Library Services, eliminating all federal funding specifically for libraries.

Message to Your Representative:

*   Libraries are essential to every community, and federal funding is critical for ensuring library resources and services remain available

to their constituents.
*   LSTA supports all kinds of libraries including school, academic,
and public libraries.
*   Public libraries are the primary source of no-fee access to the
Internet and are active in assisting the public with online job
searches, e-government services, and lifelong learning.

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n> or call your representative at (202) 224-3121 today and tell him or
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This amendment, sponsored by U.S. Rep. John Conyers (D-MI), would halt
all funding for FISA orders seeking libraries and bookstore records of
U.S. citizens. Currently, this vote is scheduled for this Thursday,
February 17.

Message to Your Representative:

*   Vote YES on the Conyers amendment to the FY2011 Continuing
Resolution to halt funding for Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Act
(FISA) orders that would seek library and bookstore records of U.S.
citizens;
*   The Conyers amendment seeks to protect individual privacy and
personal reading records from inappropriate access by law enforcement;
*   Like previous reader privacy bills, this amendment has
bipartisan support;
*   Law enforcement access to the reading habits of individuals
should be held to a higher legal standard in order to protect civil
liberties and the right to read and access information.

In the weeks to come, extending your advocacy efforts to your senators
as well as continuing to reach out to your representatives will be
vitally important to protecting the future of libraries. Questions as
well as reports and feedback from your calls and e-mails are welcomed.
Please contact Kristin Murphy <mailto://kmurphy at alawash.org> or Lynne
Bradley <mailto://lbradley at alawash.org> at the ALA Office of Government
Relations, Washington Office.

Take action for libraries! Visit our Legislative Action Center at
http://bit.ly/legaction

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From: jeldredge at salud.unm.edu (Jonathan Eldredge)
Date: Tue, 22 Feb 2011 16:44:13 -0700
Subject: [Research-mla] Fwd: EBLIP6 Registration Opens March 1st
Message-ID: <4D63E7DD020000B50004347F@hsc-iagate1.health.unm.edu>

A great conference! Am passing this along.

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>>> "Alison Brettle" <A.Brettle at salford.ac.uk> 2/19/2011 8:54 AM >>>
EBLIP6 * Valuing knowledge and expertise The 6th International Evidence
Based Library and Information Practice Conference 2011: Registration
opens 1st March 2011

Be an early bird and register for EBLIP6 and take advantage of the
reduced rate, which is available until 15th April 2011.
The conference organizers are delighted to announce an outstanding
range of keynote speakers consisting of
*Professor Martin Hall, Vice Chancellor, University of Salford
*Professor Peter Brophy, Former Director, Centre for Research in
Library & Information Management (CERLIM)
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*Dr Hazel Hall, UK Library and Information Science Research Coalition
In addition, there are expected to be 66 papers given by speakers from
14 different countries.

Registration Rates
Registration is open from the 1st March 2011.
The Early Bird rate is 350GBP (until 15th April 2011)
Full conference rate is 400GBP (from 16th April 2011 until 24th June
2011)
Early bird and full registration fees for the EBLIP6 conference include
two evening receptions and lunch/refreshments for the three days of the
conference
Day rate is 150GBP
Rates for accompanying guest to the conference meal will be announced
shortly.

How to Pay

Delegates will be able to pay by credit card or invoice, available on request.

Details of bursaries are available on the conference website under registration.

Exciting Developments

Remote access via Elluminate for colleagues unable to attend the conference is under investigation. Watch the conference website for details.

Full details of the conference are available on the conference website at http://www.eblip6.salford.ac.uk . Alternatively sign up to follow conference news via the EBLIP6 Twitter (http://twitter.com/eblip2011) and on Facebook (http://bit.ly/99EY96).
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From: slessick at uci.edu (Susan Lessick)
Date: Wed, 23 Feb 2011 09:18:29 -0800
Subject: [Research-mla] REMINDER--Research Section Survey Deadline Feb 25 --
        Win $200!
Message-ID: <4D654165.306@uci.edu>

REMINDER

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From: jeldredge at salud.unm.edu (Jonathan Eldredge)
Date: Thu, 10 Mar 2011 11:44:50 -0700
Subject: [Research-mla] Fwd: Registration for Evidence Based Library and
 Information Practice (EBLIP6) Conference is now open
Message-ID: <4D78B9B2020000B50004447C@hsc-iagate1.health.unm.edu>

Probably the best conferences I have ever attended!

>>> Alison Brettle <A.Brettle at SALFORD.AC.UK> 3/9/2011 2:18 PM >>>
Apologies for cross postings

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From: slessick at uci.edu (Susan Lessick)
Date: Sat, 19 Mar 2011 14:14:26 -0700
Subject: [Research-mla] Congratulations to LJ's 2011 Movers and Shakers!
Message-ID: <4D851CB2.6010307@uci.edu>

Library Journal recently unveiled its 2011 List of Library Movers and
Shakers
<http://www.libraryjournal.com/csp/cms/sites/LJ/LJInPrint/MoversAndShakers/mo
versandshakers2011.csp>
that spotlights librarians and others in the library field who are doing
extraordinary work to serve their users and to move libraries of all
types and library services forward. The 2011 list includes 50
individuals, divided into categories for Innovators, Community Builders,
Tech Leaders, Marketers, Advocates, and Change Agents.

Among the winners is our very own Heather Holmes
<http://www.libraryjournal.com/csp/cms/sites/LJ/LJInPrint/MoversAndShakers/pr
ofiles2011/moversandshakersHolmes.csp>
who is currently serving as Co-Chair of the RS Mentoring Task Force.
Heather is Information Services Librarian, Summa Health System, in
Akron, OH.
<http://www.libraryjournal.com/MS2009Inductee/2140335997.html>Heather
(winner in the Change Agent category) was described as a "knowledge
warrior with a good bedside manner" and recognized for her development
of a clinical medical librarian program at the Akron City Hospital with
a general internal medicine team providing point-of care reference service.

We are very proud of you Heather -- congratulations!

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From: slessick at uci.edu (Susan Lessick)
Date: Wed, 23 Mar 2011 15:13:08 -0700
Subject: [Research-mla] Winner of Research Section Survey Announced!
Message-ID: <4D8A7074.6090700@uci.edu>

Margaret Bandy, AHIP, FMLA (Exempla St. Joseph Hospital) has been
selected as the winner of the recent Survey on Research Activities of
Libraries, sponsored by the Research Section this spring. Each
participant of the survey had an opportunity of entering into a drawing
for $200 toward their 2011 MLA conference registration. Margaret was

selected through a random number process from 624 entries. The survey
award was funded by the Research Section. Survey results and the
Research Section Strategic Plan will be discussed at the Research
Section Business Meeting at the MLA Annual Meeting, Monday, May 16th,
7am-9am (please check the location of the RS business meeting in the
program book).

Congratulations Margaret!

-- Susan Lessick, Chair, Research Section Strategic Planning Committee

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From: duddenr at njhealth.org (Rosalind Dudden)
Date: Sat, 2 Apr 2011 13:24:15 -0600
Subject: [Research-mla] Call for Nominations for MLA Offices;
        Help Choose Your Leaders
Message-ID: <C9BCD403.32634%duddenr@njhealth.org>

March 31, 2011

MLA-FOCUS Special Edition

Help Choose Your Leaders: Call for Nominations for MLA Offices

The MLA Nominating Committee is identifying potential candidates for the
2011/12 election. If you would like to recommend someone to be nominated for
president or the board, or would like to be considered yourself, please send
a current curriculum vitae and a paragraph outlining why the recommended
person would be a good candidate to one of the members of the Nominating
Committee (see below) by April 22, 2011.

The 2011 Nominating Committee members have reviewed the job descriptions for
president-elect/president/past president and board members and have
discussed key attributes needed for candidates, including a passion for the
profession; the ability to articulate a vision; political awareness at the
local, regional, association, and national levels; and the ability to
motivate and build consensus. We also discussed the importance of diversity
in selecting the slate. Key issues to consider are geographic region,
library or information service type, and age.

The process for selecting candidates and electing the MLA president-elect
and members of the MLA Board is described on pages 2?3 of the MLA Bylaws
(attached). The slate will contain at least two candidates for
president-elect (president for 2013/14) and at least four candidates for the
two vacant board positions (2012/2013?2014/2015). Job descriptions for
president and board members are attached. The Nominating Committee will meet
at MLA ?11 to finalize the list of potential candidates.

MLA 2011 Nominating Committee:

Margaret (Peg) Allen, AHIP, FMLA
Janet L. Cowen, AHIP
Melissa De Santis, AHIP
Rosalind F. Dudden, AHIP, FMLA
Patricia C. Higginbottom, AHIP
Joanne Gard Marshall, AHIP, FMLA
Mary Fran Prottsman, AHIP
Melissa Rethlefsen, AHIP
Patricia L. Thibodeau, AHIP, FMLA
Chair, Connie Schardt, AHIP, FMLA

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Message-ID: <BANLkTimdoeTN5OhKeb4pzAw-7K2k8LA5nA@mail.gmail.com>

Over the next couple of months, members of the EBLIP editorial team will be
conducting a research study to assess how evidence summaries published in
the EBLIP journal, impact on the practice of library and information
professionals. This study is funded by the Canadian Association of Research
Libraries and is open to all information professionals from any country.

The objective of the study is to investigate the impact of evidence
summaries on the practice of librarians and information professionals. It
aims are to determine:

?   How readers use research summaries;

?   What type of information readers take away from the summaries; and

?   How information from evidence summaries impacts on practice.

As part of this research, you are invited to take part in a short web based
survey about your use of EBLIP evidence summaries. This should take no
longer than 5 minutes to complete. If you are interested in participating,
please register your email address with us: *
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When we are ready to begin the survey, we will send a link to your email. If you would like any further information about the study, please contact Lorie Kloda, Associate Librarian, Life Sciences Library, McGill University, email *lorie.kloda at mcgill.ca<mailto:lorie.kloda at mcgill.ca*<lorie.kloda at mcgill.ca%3Cmailto:lorie.kloda at mcgill.ca>
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Thank you in advance for your interest in participating in this study. Sincerely, Lorie Kloda, Denise Koufogiannakis, and Alison Brettle
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Evidence Based Library and Information Practice seeks an enthusiastic graduate student from the field of library and information practice who is committed to improving our profession through service and scholarship. The ideal candidate for the Editorial Intern position will have some knowledge of the publishing field, be proactive, creative, have a good eye for detail, and the ability to meet tight deadlines. This position will suit someone with an interest in evidence based practice and open access.

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Interested persons should send a statement of interest, indicating areas of
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Koufogiannakis, Editor-in-Chief, denise.koufogiannakis at ualberta.ca, by
April
30, 2011. This is a voluntary position that will ideally last for 2 years.
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Please visit the *Evidence Based Library and Information Practice* web
site (http://ejournals.library.ualberta.ca/index.php/EBLIP) for further
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Thank you,

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Posting this for Diane Cooper.
Kris Alpi

Hypothesis Chair?s Column
Rethink by I. Diane Cooper, MSLS, AHIP, MLA Research Section Chair

It is officially Spring and MLA?s annual meeting is right around the corner.
MLA?11 will be held in Minneapolis this year and the theme is ?rethink.? We are
being asked to rethink our roles; rethink the technology we use; rethink our
information services; rethink all of our work as librarians. This is a good
time to rethink how we can best contribute to a body of evidence-based
librarianship with research. Information sciences research is important to
define ideas, technologies and programs that work and don?t work in
libraries.
But more importantly, it is a good time to rethink how we do research. We need
more than ?this is how we do it? papers. Let this meeting help us to begin to
think how we can do credible research to build a body of evidence based
literature in our field.

To help us at this year?s MLA meeting, on Sunday, May 15 from 4:30 to 6:00 PM,
the MLA Research Section will present a panel presentation and roundtable
break-out sessions on library research. The session is titled, ?Refining
Research: From Start to Finish?. Carole Gilbert, Chair-Elect has put together
an interesting panel of speakers who will talk about the process of defining the
research question, matching the methods to the idea and question, refining the
process, collecting and analyzing data, and summarizing the results.

Four experts in information research will discuss specific research components.
    1. Defining the question and matching the method to the question
  (Michelynn McKnight)
    2. Refining the process   (Ellen Detlefsen)
    3. Collecting and analyzing the data   (Ana Cleveland)
    4. Summarizing and publishing the results   (Joanne Marshall)

The Research Section is also co-sponsoring sessions with 2 MLA sections.
With the Public Services Section, we will co-sponsor the session on ?Rethinking
Assessment? at 10:30 ? 12 Noon on Monday, May 16.

With the Medical Library Education Section, we will co-sponsor ?New Voices? at
3:00-4:30 PM on Monday, May 16. Please come to this session to encourage new
library students as they present their first research papers at a national
conference.

More Research Section activities at MLA:
The Research Section Awards Judging Process Revealed (Kris Alpi and Donghua Tao,
Co-Chairs, Awards Committee) is Sunday, May 15 from 7:00 - 9:00 AM in Room
M100D, Mezzanine level at the Convention Center.

The Research Section Business Meeting (Diane Cooper, Chair)is Monday, May 16,
7:00 ? 9:00 AM in M100J, Mezzanine level at the Convention Center.

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Dear Research Committee Members:

Attached is MLA and AAHSL's joint testimony as submitted earlier today (
April 15) to the House Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services
in support of NLM's FY 2012 appropriation.

This is forwarded from Mary Langman of GRC who sent the original.

Elaine Powers

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"An institution is a lengthened shadow of one man."   -Emerson

"If ever an institution was the lengthened shadow of a man, that
institution was osteopathy,

and that man, Dr. Andrew Taylor Still."   -Harry L. Chiles in The

Lengthening Shadow of

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Attend MLA '11, MLA's annual meeting and exhibition,
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Subject: [Research-mla] Help Choose Your Leaders -- Call for Nominations for
 MLA Offices deadline approaching - April 22
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Want to run for the Board of Directors? Want to run for President of MLA?
Now?s you chance. Call or e-mail me and send me your CV or Nominate someone
and send me their CV.

Roz Dudden - duddenr at njhealth.org - 303-398-1483

Help Choose Your Leaders -- Call for Nominations for MLA Offices

The MLA Nominating Committee is identifying potential candidates for the
2011/12 election.

If you would like to recommend someone to be nominated for president or the
board, or would like to be considered yourself, please send a current
curriculum vitae and a paragraph outlining why the recommended person would
be a good candidate to one of the members of the Nominating Committee (see
below) by April 22nd.

The 2011 Nominating Committee members have reviewed the job descriptions for
President Elect/President/Past President and Board members, and have
discussed key attributes needed for candidates, including a passion for the
profession, the ability to articulate a vision; political awareness at the
local, regional, association and national levels, and the ability to
motivate and build consensus. We also discussed the importance of diversity
in selecting the slate ? key issues to consider are geographic region and
type of library or information service.

The process for selecting candidates and electing the MLA president-elect
and members of the MLA Board is described on pages 2?3 of the MLA Bylaws
<http://www.mlanet.org/members/pdf/2009_bylaws.pdf> (log in to MLANET to
read this document). The slate will contain at least two candidates for
president-elect (president for 2013/14) and at least four candidates for the
two vacant board positions (2012/2013 ?2014/2015. Job descriptions for
president <http://www.mlanet.org/pdf/mla_officer_jobdesc_201002.pdf> and
board members <http://www.mlanet.org/pdf/mla_bod_jobdesc_200905.pdf> are
available on MLANET. The Nominating Committee will meet at MLA ?11 to
finalize the list of potential candidates.

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Research Section Nominating Committee Report
2010-2011

A slate was prepared and a ballot set up on Survey Monkey. The link was sent
to Section Members on January 26, 2011. 54 members voted. The results were:

Chair-Elect:
Kristine Alpi, North Carolina State University Libraries, Veterinary
Medicine Library, Raleigh, NC

Section candidate for nomination to the MLA Nominating Committee:
Julia Esparza, Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center, Department
of Medical Library Science, Shreveport, LA

Congratulations to our new officers!

Our officers for 2011-12 are:
Chair: Carol Gilbert, Royal Oak, Mi
Chair-Elect: Kristine Alpi, North Carolina State University Libraries,
Veterinary Medicine Library, Raleigh, NC
Immediate Past Chair: Diane Cooper, National Institutes of Health
Library, Bethesda, MD
Secretary/Treasurer: Brooke L Billman, Arizona Health Sciences Library,
University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ

Please consider volunteering for committees. Contact Carol Gilbert,
carolemg at wowway.com
See Committee list: http://research.mlanet.org/exec.html

Rosalind Dudden, Chair, Nominating Committee

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In case you hadn?t seen it, congratualtion to our chair for her publication:

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Chair, MLA Research Section, and Informationist,
NIH Library, National Institutes of Health, Building 10, MSC 1150 Bethesda,
MD 20892-1150 cooperd at mail.nih.gov.

J Med Libr Assoc. 2011 Apr;99(2):107-9.
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The MLA Professional Recruitment and Retention Committee (PRRC) is pleased
to sponsor, in conjunction with the MLA Annual Meeting Placement Center, the
Personalized Resum? Clinic for MLA annual meeting attendees. This service
will help improve and enhance resum?s so that your best qualities and
content shine through. The Resum? Clinic will be located next to the
Placement Center and will be open on Sunday, May 15 from 10:00 AM ? 5:00 PM
and on Monday, May 16 from 9:00 -11:30 AM and 1:30-5:00 PM. Don?t miss this
opportunity to have fresh eyes review your resum? and/or cover letter. Each
member will have 15-20 minutes with an experienced and skilled librarian
reviewer who will critique and offer tips and advice for enhancements.
Documents may be sent before the meeting to Brenda Green at
bfgreen at uthsc.edu.

To volunteer to review resum?s, please click
http://tinyurl.com/MLA2011ResumeReviewer to complete the form.

 To have your resum? critiqued, please click
http://tinyurl.com/MLA2011ResumeCritiqued to complete the form.

You will be contacted during the first week of May with your scheduled time.

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From: slessick at uci.edu (Susan Lessick)
Date: Mon, 09 May 2011 08:01:32 -0700
Subject: [Research-mla] Draft Research Section Strategic Plan 2011-2015 --
 Call for Comments (Deadline: June 30)
Message-ID: <4DC801CC.7050007@uci.edu>

Dear Research Section members,

The Research Section Strategic Planning Committee has been meeting to
develop a draft strategic plan that is now available for review and
comment (see attachment).

The final strategic plan will serve to guide Research Section efforts
for the next five years.The plan includes a vision statement, a set of
major goals and sub-goals, and strategies we have identified so far to
achieve those goals. It was developed primarily from the feedback the
committee has received to date and after the committee analyzed and
discussed the results of an online survey that was conducted earlier
this year (2011 Survey on Research Activities of Librarians).

Both the draft and preliminary results of the survey will be discussed
at the upcoming Research Section business meeting at MLA in Minneapolis.
The committee will also be preparing a detailed analysis of the survey
data this summer and fall which we will share with all of you through
Hypothesis and other publications.

What do you think about the strategic plan? What in your opinion are the
critical questions or issues that we need to discuss to move our
strategic plan forward?

*Please send your comments and ideas to slessick at uci.edu. We will
collect feedback and comments until June 30.

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Please take time to give us your suggestions. Our strategic plan is
ambitious and exciting, and we need your input and feedback as we move
forward. Thank you for helping to shape the future of the Research Section.

-- Susan Lessick (on behalf of the Research Section Strategic Planning
Committee)

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together an interesting panel of speakers who will talk about the process of
defining the research question, matching the methods to the idea and

question, refining the process, collecting and analyzing data, and
summarizing the results.
Four experts in information research will discuss specific research
components.
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(Michelynn McKnight)
    2. Refining the process   (Ellen Detlefsen)
    3. Collecting and analyzing the data   (Ana Cleveland)
    4. Summarizing and publishing the results   (Joanne Marshall)
The Research Section is also co-sponsoring sessions with 2 MLA sections.

With the Public Services Section, we will co-sponsor the session on
"Rethinking Assessment" at 10:30 - 12 Noon on Monday, May 16.

With the Medical Library Education Section, we will co-sponsor "New Voices"
at 3:00-4:30 PM on Monday, May 16. Please come to this session to encourage
new library students as they present their first research papers at a
national conference.

More Research Section activities at MLA:

The Research Section Awards Judging Process Revealed (Kris Alpi) is Sunday,
May 15 from 7:00 - 9:00 AM in Room M100D, Mezzanine level at the Convention
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Research Section members,

Please find the minutes from the 2010 Business Meeting. In order to save
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Thank you,

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        Denver CO - Yes, I am Retiring!
Message-ID: <C9F1DBC6.34EE5%duddenr@njhealth.org>

Cross-Posted:
To my colleagues, locally, regionally, and nationally,

On the eve of my 39th MLA meeting, I am announcing my retirement as Library
and Knowledge Services Director, effective June 30, 2011. I will be
remaining on at National Jewish as a very part-time special projects
librarian. After 40 years as a medical librarian, 25 of which I have spent
at National Jewish Health, it is time for me to retire. I am looking forward
to traveling and other retirement activities. I will still be a little

active at MLA so you may still be hearing from me. I?m on Facebook and
Twitter (this month for my free drink at MLA!). So keep in touch.

It?s been a great career and I think we are in one of the greatest
professions ever. Medical Librarians are the most creative and forward
looking people I know. I look forward to seeing how our profession evolves,
but maybe watch from my lawn chair which I hope will get more use.

For those of you interested in applying for my job, attached is a one page
job ad.

Please note my address is duddenr at NJHealth.org. The duddenr at NJC.org
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no longer works.

See you in Minneapolis.

Roz Dudden

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Looking for Answers?
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Co-Editor of The Medical Library Association Guide to Managing
Health Care Libraries, 2nd Edition. By Margaret Moylan Bandy and
Rosalind Farnam Dudden. New York, Neal-Schuman Publishers, 2011. 425p.
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Author of Using Benchmarking, Needs Assessment, Quality Improvement,
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Dear MLA Research Section members,

The Spring 2011 Hypothesis is finally ready for distribution. I apologize for the delay . . . but several other projects & setbacks impeded its release, including technology mishaps that led to a lost file of the issue.

Nonetheless, the Spring Hypothesis makes its debut just before MLA. It will be uploaded to the Section's website following the MLA meeting.

Sorry again for the delay . . .

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(http://twitter.com/eblip2011) and on Facebook (http://bit.ly/99EY96
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 Launch of Remote at EBLIP6 Programme

EBLIP6 Conference

*The University of Salford is proud to host the sixth Evidence Based Library
and Information Practice (EBLIP6) Conference in Salford, Greater Manchester,
UK, June 27th ? June 30th 2011. If you are unable to travel to Salford, you
will still be able to participate remotely in the highlights and key
elements of the programme via Remote at EBLIP6.***

This exciting international conference has grown out of an increasing
interest in using the best available evidence in health libraries to improve
library and information practice more generally and this is the first time
that remote participation has been offered.

Previous EBLIP conferences have been practical, friendly and inspirational
in getting people involved in evidence-based practice. In ?Valuing
Knowledge and Expertise?, the stimulating and varied EBLIP6
programme<http://www.eblip6.salford.ac.uk/programme.php>of workshops,
presentations and discussion has been specifically designed to
appeal to library and information practitioners who may have previously
thought that evidence based practice wasn't for them. It will provide a
practical and accessible forum for librarians and information practitioners
from all sectors to discover and disseminate evidence that may contribute to
decision-making in professional practice.

Remote at EBLIP6

Recognising that many people may want to attend the conference, but may not
be able to travel to Manchester, highlights and key features of EBLIP6 will
be made available via the Internet to registered Remote at EBLIP6
participants.

http://www.eblip6.salford.ac.uk/programme.php?days=remote

This includes Keynote sessions, Madness sessions and a broad spread of
Parallel sessions taking place in the main conference hall.

You will also be able to participate in ?live chat? with other
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From cooperd at ors.od.nih.gov Fri Jun 17 14:19:48 2011
From: cooperd at ors.od.nih.gov (Cooper, Diane (NIH/OD/ORS) [E])
Date: Fri, 17 Jun 2011 15:19:48 -0400
Subject: [Research-mla] Great Opportunity: a call for papers

Call for Papers: JMLA special issue on instruction in health sciences libraries

As the number of information resources increases, instructing users in the best way to find health-related information is becoming an even more essential role for health sciences librarians. At the same time, the challenges to delivering instruction in an era of search engines and mobile devices have been steadily growing. Recognizing both the importance of instruction and the challenges we face in teaching our users, MLA's incoming President, Gerald Perry, has announced his intention to create an MLA Academy of Teaching Excellence.   In support of this initiative, and to help create an evidence-based approach to improving instruction, the Journal of the Medical Library Association is planning to devote our October 2012 issue to papers that focus on providing instruction to users of biomedical information.

This issue, to be published in October 2012, will include invited papers summarizing the current state of the field. We also encourage submissions from those with innovative approaches willing to share those innovations with their peers.   To be considered for this issue, papers must be submitted by February 15, 2012.

We particularly welcome submission of:

a. Brief Communications that describe an innovative instructional offering or teaching technique in a health sciences library, or to a group of biomedical library users. Papers should describe the innovation, including a brief literature review as well as information on the background of the instructors and the nature of the target user group, where appropriate. Data that allows the reader to judge the success of the innovation, such as pre and post tests and/or faculty evaluations, must be included with the submission. Examples of papers in this category include manuscripts describing a new technique to teach Medline, a new online course, a new technique for engaging students, or an experiment in providing instruction via mobile devices.   Brief Communications are 1800 words or less.

b. Case studies that report on innovations related to developing and maintaining instructional programs in health sciences libraries. Papers submitted in this category should describe an innovation that affected multiple classes or instructional offerings. The manuscript should describe the problem the initiative was designed to solve, options considered and discarded, the setting in which it took place, the resources required to execute it (personnel, technology, etc.), the key characteristics of the program, and what would be required to sustain it for the long-term. Examples for this category include initiatives designed to integrate instruction into the curriculum or to train librarians in the use of instructional technologies, methodologies to provide instruction to user groups with particular challenges (e.g. reaching nurses with busy schedules), techniques for keeping classes up to date, etc.   Data that allows the reader to judge the success of the initiative, such as user surveys, trends in class enrollments, or changes in the numbers or types of classes offered, must be included with the submission. Case studies are 3500 words or less.

c. Full-length research papers investigating a research question related to instruction in health sciences libraries. Research papers should use a

standard quantitative or qualitative research design; quantitative studies
should employ a sampling methodology that allows extrapolation to the larger
population. Examples in this category would be papers comparing results of
two different teaching techniques or comparing online and in person
instruction, or studying the long term effects of providing training to
medical students. There is a 5000 word limit for full-length papers.
To appear in this issue, scheduled for October 2012, papers should be
received no later than February 15, 2012.

If you would like to discuss an idea for a paper, please contact Susan Starr,
Editor, JMLA at jmlaeditorbox at gmail.com<mailto:jmlaeditorbox at
gmail.com>. Further details on procedures for JMLA submissions can be found
on our Information for Authors page,
http://www.mlanet.org/publications/jmla/jmlainfo.html

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From kris at jeffalpi.net Wed Aug 24 12:21:32 2011
From: kris at jeffalpi.net (Kristine Alpi)
Date: Wed, 24 Aug 2011 10:21:32 -0700 (PDT)
Subject: [Research-mla] Need your program suggestions for 2013
        MLA/ICAHIS/ICLC combined meeting in Boston
Message-ID: <1314206492.1070.YahooMailRC@web1210.biz.mail.gq1.yahoo.com>

Dear Research Section Members,

MLA Sections are already working on programming for the
2013 MLA, which will be a joint meeting with the 11th International
Congress on Medical Librarianship (ICML), the 7th International
Conference of Animal Health Information Specialists (ICAHIS), and the 6th
International Clinical Librarian Conference (ICLC). Due to the
international collaborations involved, MLA is planning both the 2012 and
2013 meetings at this time.

I'm pasting below the general information and a call for your suggestions prepared by Mindy Robinson-Paquette.

Please email me at kris at jeffalpi.net with your suggestions of topics (and any
recommended presenters) by Tuesday, Sept. 6,

so that I can compile and add them to the online planning grid shared by Section
and SIG programming volunteers.

The general meeting theme for 2013 is "One Health: Information in an Interdependent World" and is meant to encompass human, animal, public and environmental health, climate change, food safety/production, and international health policy.

The National Program Committee (NPC) is also working with 4 general meeting topics: "One Health: Trustworthy and Authoritative Publicly Available Information", "New Methods of Publishing", "Global Data Sharing to Advance Science", and "Environmental Aspects of Global Health".

What topics would you like to see at MLA 2013? What holds your interest when you watch the news? What would be the "must attend" sessions and presentations that will grab your interest?

Thank you in advance for your suggestions - this should be an exciting meeting!

Kris Alpi

Chair-Elect, Research Section, MLA
kris at jeffalpi.net
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From kris at jeffalpi.net Sat Aug 27 18:22:46 2011
From: kris at jeffalpi.net (Kristine Alpi)
Date: Sat, 27 Aug 2011 16:22:46 -0700 (PDT)
Subject: [Research-mla] Apply to be an MLA Rising Star by October 1.
Message-ID: <1314487366.15863.YahooMailRC@web1205.biz.mail.gq1.yahoo.com>

Hi Research Section Members,

MLA is looking for Rising Stars for 2012. Most of the projects involve investigation and evaluation of the effectiveness of MLA activities, so this would be an awesome opportunity for research.   See the information from Section
Council below.   MLA also wants to know if the Research Section is interested
in hosting a Rising Star if we have a project that would be amenable to the program's goals. Please let Research Section chair Carole Gilbert (carolemg at wowway.com), me (kris at jeffalpi.net) and our Section Council Rep, Diane
Cooper (cooperd at mail.nih.gov) if you have suggestions for activities that

should be recommended to MLA as Rising Star projects.

Thanks!
Kris Alpi
RS Chair-Elect

MLA Rising Stars 2012 Call for Participation
Applications are now being accepted for the next class of MLA Rising Stars.
This
exciting new program is for MLA members who are interested in MLA leadership
roles but who have not yet become active at a national level. Applications
also
are sought from MLA units who wish to host a Rising Star.

The one-year leadership development program matches each Rising Star with a
mentor and a curriculum that includes learning how MLA succeeds through the
volunteer efforts of its members, the roles of the MLA Board and staff, and
project management skills, which will be applied to an MLA project.
Interested
MLA members can find the criteria, timeline, and application form on MLANET.
The
deadline for Rising Star applications is October 1.

The first class of MLA Rising Stars were recognized for their achievements at
the annual meeting in Minneapolis. Bob Johnson, mentored by Rikke Ogawa,
helped
plan section programming for MLA ?11. Emily Hurst, mentored by Connie
Schardt,
worked on evaluating the CORE toolbox. Rex Robison, mentored by Julia Kochi,
examined MLA?s hospital library benchmarking activities and recommended ways
to
use the data more effectively. Karen Hanus, mentored by Julia Shaw Kokot,
developed a new communications plan for Chapter Council. For the first class,
all mentors were members of the MLA Board and projects were chosen by the
Board.

For the second year, applications for hosting Rising Stars are being sought
from
MLA units. Interested MLA units can find more information on MLANET. Units
are
responsible for identifying one or more projects and a mentor from their
membership for each project. The deadline for host applications is November
1.

Background information and reports on the 2010 initial Rising Stars program
are
also available. Questions about the program should be directed to Carol
Jenkins(phone 919.966.2114).
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From: eblipjournal at gmail.com (EBLIP Journal)

Date: Thu, 25 Aug 2011 14:48:01 -0400
Subject: [Research-mla] EBLIP Journal: Call for Classic Research Studies
        nominations and submissions
Message-ID: <CAO1vucDfqHfJs9p2rE25Nfd76buAtsMOLvVy-
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EBLIP Call for Classics Submissions

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Evidence Based Library and Information Practice (EBLIP), a peer-reviewed,
open access journal seeks nominations and contributors for its ?Classic
Research? section. EBLIP aims to highlight significant research, and to
bring that research to the attention of new readers. Contributions to the
EBLIP ?Classics? section follow a structured format designed to highlight,
summarize, and critically appraise research studies that stood the test of
time and continue to have an impact on library and information practice.

Previously featured research articles that were summarized and appraised in
the Classics section include:

   - Patricia Knapp. (1966). The Monteith College library experiment. New
   York, NY: Scarecrow Press. (EBLIP Vol. 6 No. 1)

   - Peter Hernon and Charles McClure. (1986). Unobtrusive reference
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   - Carol C. Kuhlthau. ?Inside the Search Process: Information Seeking from
   the User's Perspective.? Journal of the American Society for Information
   Science 42.5 (1991): 361-71. (EBLIP Vol. 2 No. 4)

- Constance Mellon. ?Library Anxiety: A Grounded Theory and Its
   Development.? College & Research Libraries 47 (1986): 160-65. (EBLIP Vol.
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To view previously published Classic summaries, please visit the journal
website at <http://ejournals.library.ualberta.ca/index.php/EBLIP/index> and
click on ?Archives? to view previous issues.

Nominations should be accompanied by a full bibliographic citation. For
more information, or to nominate a classic research article, please contact
Jonathan Eldredge, Associate Editor (Classics) at <jeldredge at
salud.unm.edu>.

Thank you,

Denise Koufogiannakis
Editor-in-Chief
Evidence Based Library and Information Practice
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Date: Tue, 30 Aug 2011 07:48:53 -0400
Subject: [Research-mla] National Information Center on Health Services
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Message-ID:
<CACc0u8bcL4ZKWRYaiO5RtOOuEZFv44yybXdp8PCmxWeda3JEUw@mail.gmail.com>

The National Information Center on Health Services Research and Health Care
Technology (NICHSR), a component of the National Library of Medicine, is
very pleased to announce the following 2-part free webinar series:

Part I: HTA 101: 2011 Update on Introduction to Health Technology Assessment
- Wednesday, August 31st, 1:00-2:00pm EST

Part II: CER-HTA-PCOR: Converging on What Works for Patients - Wednesday,
Sept.7th, 1:00-2:00pm EST

Clifford (Cliff) Goodman, Senior Vice President and Principal, the Lewin
Group has developed two informative sessions to update and provide on
overview of the tools and techniques currently being used in health
technology assessment and the current focus on patient-centered outcomes in
effectiveness research.

Cliff Goodman, the new President of Health Technology Assessment
international (HTAi), is updating HTA:101
http://www.nlm.nih.gov/nichsr/hta101/ta101_c1.html and is presenting
two webinars
in conjunction with the HTA primer. Here is an opportunity to learn about
the methods and approaches currently being used in health technology
assessment and patient centered outcomes research.   Please share with
colleagues and constituents.

URL for descriptions of the HTA: 101 and Comparative Effectiveness Research:
a 2-Part Webinar Series http://www.nlm.nih.gov/nichsr/htawebinars/index.html.
Webinar series is free and NO registration required. To access, please refer
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links? to the webinars on the day of event.
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From jeldredge at salud.unm.edu Wed Sep 7 11:13:17 2011
From: jeldredge at salud.unm.edu (Jonathan Eldredge)
Date: Wed, 07 Sep 2011 10:13:17 -0600
Subject: [Research-mla] Classics in Library Research: What's Missing?
Message-ID: <4E6743BD020000B500053190@hsc-iagate1.health.unm.edu>

Dear Research Section Colleagues,

Recently I was part of a discussion on what constitutes a "classic" in
library research. The "Classics" feature in the journal Evidence Based
Library and Information Practice; EBLIP served as the catalyst for the
discussion.

Here are some of the recent "classics' reviewed in EBLIP:

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<http://ejournals.library.ualberta.ca/index.php/EBLIP/index> and click
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Can you think of any research classics that are still missing?

I would be curious what MLA Research Section folks think.

Jon Eldredge
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From: otmorey at buffalo.edu (Ophelia Morey)
Date: Tue, 13 Sep 2011 17:20:34 -0400
Subject: [Research-mla] Fwd: Librarians After Hours Survey
Message-ID: <54964.1315948834@buffalo.edu>

Hello Everyone,

A colleague has created the following survey. Does anyone know of someone who
may
post the following information about the survey to the MLA Pacific Northwest
Chapter
listserv?

In addition, all of you are invited to complete the survey. It should only
take
about 10 minutes. Please forward to other librarians, including those who
have retired. The investigators are also very interested in hearing from more
Canadians.

Thanks for helping!

Sincerely,

Ophelia Morey
Associate Librarian
Coordinator of Community Outreach Service
University at Buffalo
716-829-5748

                ----- Original Message -----
                From: Ophelia Morey otmorey at buffalo.edu
                To: WNYLIB-L at LISTSERV.BUFFALO.EDU

Are Librarians different from other professionals?

To really know someone, you need to know how they spend their spare time.
What
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We hope you will help us, not only by completing the survey yourself, but
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forwarding the link to friends and colleagues you know are not subscribed to
this
list. We are especially concerned about reaching retired librarians.

PLEASE NOTE: you may choose to skip any question.

If you would like to be notified of the study????????s results, please send
an
email to:
rbbush at buffalo.edu.

Thank you very much for your time!

Renee Bush   Michael Farrell
Associate Librarian   Professor
Health Sciences Library   Department of Sociology
University at Buffalo, SUNY   University at Buffalo, SUNY

Go to the survey: http://www.surveymonkey.com/s/LibrarianAfterHours

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Date: Tue, 13 Sep 2011 15:27:00 -0700 (PDT)
Subject: [Research-mla] Fwd: Librarians After Hours Survey

Ophelia,

Our chapter doesn't have its own email discussion list, but almost all of us
subscribe to the regional list, HLIB-NW. I'll post the message there.
Thanks!

Susan

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> Thank you very much for your time!
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From hleman at samhealth.org Wed Sep 14 07:36:43 2011
From: hleman at samhealth.org (Hope Leman)
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Please forgive the cross posting.

Hi, all. I learned yesterday of the workshop below on Monday, Sept 19th 2011
and just thought I would pass it along given that may be still some of us
that are not familiar with Mendeley and are missing opportunities to a)
manage our own lives as librarian researchers better and b) help our patrons
by showing them how to harness a really cool tool to become incredibly
efficient researchers.

And I would be really grateful, too, to hear stories from those who are
already Mendeley whizzes and swear by it (or from those who tried it and
didn't like it). I don't know enough about it and hear so much about it and
so feel out of it and would appreciate input.

Here is the post about the session for professors:

http://www.mendeley.com/blog/events-2/no-time-to-learn-new-software-let-us-
teach-you-join-us-for-mendeley-for-professors-on-2011-09-19-at-12-and-8-pm/

A bit on what it covers:

?   What Mendeley is (and what it?s not)
?   Writing grants & papers with Mendeley
?   How Mendeley works with your existing information systems
?   Organizing, sharing, and discovering research with Mendeley
?   Mendeley?s role in the future of research

Here are the links for the librarian sessions?coming up fast--2011-09-29:

Advanced: http://mnd.ly/ruMyDE
Beginner: http://mnd.ly/qhXAIl

Note--you may get a screen asking for time zone info, but I think you just
click through to continue.

Thank you for the help.

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Hi, all. I am passing along the item below given that it is open to all types
of libraries.

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From: Mary Ellen Davis [mailto:mdavis at ala.org]
Sent: Friday, September 16, 2011 11:09 AM
To: acrleads at ala.org
Subject: [acrleads] ALA seeks applicants for Carnegie-Whitney Awards up to
$5,000

Dear ACRL Leaders,

I thought some of you might find this grant of interest. Please share with you lists and colleagues as appropriate.

Best,
Mary Ellen

Carnegie-Whitney Awards up to $5,000
The American Library Association Publishing Committee provides a grant of up to $5,000 for the preparation of print or electronic reading lists, indexes or other guides to library resources that promote reading or the use of library resources at any type of library.

Funded projects have ranged from popular, general-reader proposals such as "ReadMOre," a reading list for Missouri's state-wide reading program, to more specialized, scholarly proposals such as "Librarianship and Information Science in the Islamic World, 1966-1999: An Annotated Bibliography."

Applications must be received by Nov. 4, 2011. Recipients will be notified by the end of February 2012.

For more information and guidelines, visit http://www.ala.org/ala/aboutala/offices/publishing/sundry/alapubawrds/carnegiewhitney.cfm or contact Mary Jo Bolduc, Grant Administrator, American Library Association, 50 E. Huron Street, Chicago, IL 60611; Fax (312) 280-5275; e-mail: mbolduc at ala.org<mailto:mbolduc at ala.org>.

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From: hleman at samhealth.org (Hope Leman)
Date: Fri, 23 Sep 2011 09:28:07 -0700

Please forgive the cross-posting.

Hi, all. Thank you to everyone who responded to my question about Mendeley. I
very much appreciate your time and willingness to share your expertise.

Below is a summary of the responses?as you will see many of the respondents
compared it to comparable products such as Zotero and I have included that
info as well.

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I've used Mendeley and some of our research staff use it. It's good to know
about, but the citation piece is not as robust as Endnote.

At the University of Michigan Health Sciences Library, many departments I
worked with were heavy Endnote users, but I had many faculty & house staff
who would use Mendeley (desktop version) in combination. The biggest draw to
Mendeley was the ability to extract reference information from pdfs they
already had downloaded & saved. I was told by many that this fit better into
their existing work flow & patterns, versus the "import from database"
methods of building your library we usually teach with the citation
management tools. Especially the house staff emphasized that they were often
working away from their personal computer for snatches of time and would find
pdfs and save to flash drives or would get articles emailed to them by
colleagues, and that it worked well for them to be able to gather all of
these random pdfs and "dump" them into Mendeley, then export their library &
import into Endnote. (which they did so they were using the same software as
'everyone else') As I understand it, this extraction of reference
information from pdfs can only be done in the desktop version of Mendeley, is
not always successful, and is more often inaccurate than the references
imported directly from databases, but again, many users seemed to find it
much more convenient. We also frequently steered our international visiting
scholars, or our house staff looking to go into private practice, toward
these web-based free tools.

I really haven't used the other features of Mendeley at all, but that ability
to extract info from pdfs is quite appealing.

I saw a presentation on this product. It encourages users to download pdfs
(content) and put them up on the Mendelay server where they are then
encouraged to share the content with others - in their workgroup, etc.

>From my perspective - it encourages peer to peer sharing which I have some
concerns about how this might violate licenses or copyright
particularly if they are working with others outside the institution.

For what it is worth.

Take a look at the articles listed here - http://www.mendeley.com/research-
papers/ and note the articles available for download. I doubt all of them
are open access though some of them are.

The concept relies on the user knowing what the rights are for individual
articles - something which most faculty and graduate students do not
understand clearly.

I think this is just a lawsuit waiting to happen and would not personally
want to be connected with it.

One student asked us for advise and it brought out another student's
comments.

1. After a little use:

Thank you so much for compiling this. I have started my Mendeley use, and I
agree, its really really nice. In addition to searching through my pdfs, it
backs up and organizes all of them. The web importer means it can act just
like zotero, but it has the added benefits of a stand alone software. The
social/sharing aspects I think are just beginning to get off the ground.
Also, the Plug-ins for open office and word work wonderfully.

I think Mendeley and a decent RSS reader/aggregator are going to be my best
bet.

2. This person had apparently been using Mendeley for a longer time:
 I'd like to point out that there is an additional option of Mendeley, a free
paper/reference manager. I can best describe it as an amalgam of Papers &
Endnote while it is far more full-bodied than Zotero. For freeware, in my
opinion, this is the best reference management software. It is equipped with
a pdf reader where you can highlight text and take notes on journal articles,
automatic detail detection for citations, online syncing so that you're
library can be stored online, an iPhone/Droid app and a nifty plugin for word
to track citations. Also, the website features a neat social media network
purely for researchers with interesting tracking and statistics based tools
(which is currently the most read paper, which field has most citations for
this month etc.)

My two cents for anyone looking out for good freeware.

Mendeley: http://www.mendeley.com/

Just my quick thoughts - Mendeley is a wonderful tool that can help to make
library information more accessible to patrons.

If you have not, I would also poke around at Zotero - the tutorials on their website are bite-sized and very helpful. It does fundamentally the same things (interface differences abound) with the added advantage of being developed open-source by the Center for History and New Media of George Mason University (GMU) with heavy librarian involvement.

Just because I happen to know it - development on much of their interface slowed until late 2010 as they worked on making Web 2.0 functionality work (syncing library across computers etc...) since then it has been expanding by leaps and bounds (although it still has some quirks).

My sense of Zotero is that it's strengths are it works well for new users, particularly students (the I-tunes interface and easy web browser and website integration makes immediate sense to them) and advanced users (librarians etc... who appreciate the ISBN integration and similar features).

Menedely has a advantage when it comes to handling PDF's and for very large collaborative projects, which makes sense for working scientists. So I think you are on the right track that both of them can do pretty much the same things... but what is emphasized and the "mindset" of each plays a big role in how they are perceived and used.

I?m a recent convert to Mendeley. Arizona State University is actually a RefWorks campus, but I found in my own professional life that Mendeley works much better for collaborative projects across institutions. I appreciate that there are no site restrictions when it comes to creating a collaborative bibliography or set of references. While you can create as many RefWorks accounts as you desire and share your references with those in other institutions, I don?t believe that they can log in and edit the account due to the authentication requirements.

Honestly, I was a little hesitant at first to try Mendeley because I wasn?t really looking for another social network. But that was just my perception on how it was being marketed initially. I used Mendeley when working on an ALA task force this past year and it was very convenient to upload and share articles with collaborators from across the country without clogging up email, having multiple iterations of the same document or relying on one single person to maintain a RefWorks (or other) account.

The in-text citation piece seems to work well. I?ve also used it both on my work PC and my Mac at home to edit the same document and so far I haven?t encountered any problems. Now that I?ve given Mendeley a chance, it also seems like a good way to connect with other researchers who share the same interests.

Hope this helps!

This response may be overkill but I?ll share what I know anyway. I saw your post on Medlib-L and wanted to offer my two cents. I?ve actually been using Zotero since the beginning of the year and Evernote since the beginning of this week. Zotero is a reference manager that is comparable to Mendeley. Evernote is more of an organization tool but it could be wielded as an archive for articles, too.
Here?s a lengthy email I sent to a patron after a nursing research forum. It includes links to short videos that might be of use for background. I swear by and love Zotero (warts and all) myself and my affection for Evernote borders on the embarrassing.

TEXT OF EMAIL

We spoke briefly at the nursing forum last Friday. You mentioned RefWorks to one of the other forum participants. I noted that there are several other free reference managers that might be of interest to you. You might want to check out Zotero; Mendeley or Citeulike or even Evernote. This might seem like an embarrassment of riches but you will likely choose a favorite tool or combination of tools that fit your needs.

Zotero is a free, open source reference management software to manage bibliographic data and related research materials (such as PDFs). You will need to use the Firefox browser to use Zotero. With Zotero you can sync to the web server, generate in-text citations, footnotes and bibliographies as interact with the word processors Microsoft Word, LibreOffice and OpenOffice.org Writer. It is produced by the Center for History and New Media of George Mason University (GMU).

My comment: This one is pretty easy to learn, I think. It has lots of features you may or may not want to use.

Short video here:
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dYu6__8e94Q&feature=related OR try this one

http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded&v=hLi3ZhUQDhs

Mendeley is a desktop and web program for managing and sharing research papers, discovering research data and collaborating online. It combines Mendeley Desktop, a PDF and reference management application (available for Windows, Mac and Linux) with Mendeley Web, an online social network for researchers. Mendeley requires the user to store all data on its servers. Upon registration, Mendeley provides the user with 1000 MB of free space, which is upgradeable at a cost.
This one focuses, I think, more on the social networking aspect but it does allow you to archive your citations and/or pdfs for use during research. Also allows you to interact with word processors.

Short video: Go to their website: www.mendeley.com and click on the video in the lower right hand corner.

CiteULike is a free online service to organize academic publications, now run by Oversity. It has been on the Web since October 2004 when its originator was attached to the University of Manchester, and was the first Web-based social bookmarking tool.

My comment: I am mentioning it because it?s the one source here that is available over the web -- don?t need to install software or use a specific browser.

Short video here:
http://www.youtube.com/watch?feature=player_embedded&v=LkNeEUV4sPs

Evernote is a suite of software and services designed for notetaking and archiving. A "note" can be a piece of formatted text, a full webpage or webpage excerpt, a photograph, a voice memo, or a handwritten "ink" note. Notes can also have file attachments. Notes can be sorted into folders, then tagged, annotated, edited, given comments, searched and exported as part of a

notebook. Evernote supports a number of operating system platforms (including Microsoft Windows, Mac OS X, Android, iOS and WebOS), and also offers online synchronization and backup services.

My comment: As I understand it Evernote is like Microsoft?s Onenote. I started using this in Monday and there?s no stopping me now. It?s just so darned handy. You can add to and access across many platforms and mobile devices. I heard about it at Computers in Libraries a short while ago but only revisited it recently. Try it you might like it.
Short video here:
http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i_mjXFhNSpk&feature=results_video&playnext=1&list=PL1AD815E034276C53

I am a big Mendeley fan. I have experience with both RefWorks and Mendeley, and I actually prefer Mendeley for my personal citation management needs. I think it is a little less buggy than RefWorks, and the cite n'write feature is both easier to use and better developed than RefWorks.

One thing that can throw some people is that your Mendeley account has both a web and desktop presence, and the two must be synced. When you add something to Mendeley from the web (say the contents of your PubMed clipboard) the first thing that happens is that those items are added to your web library. You then have to sync your desktop library with your web library, so the items you just added will show up in your desktop library. Your desktop library is primarily used for output, so if you need to use the write n'cite feature or create a bibliography you would generally do that from your Mendeley desktop. If, like me, you have more than one computer you work from, you can have multiple desktop libraries associated with one web library. A somewhat applicable metaphor is iTunes and mobile devices- you can have your iPhone and your iPod and your computer associated with the same iTunes account, and you have to sync them so you know all your music and videos will be available on all your devices.

Mendeley also has the social networking aspect that is pretty great. You can use Groups to create public folders that everyone, or a select list of people can see. This might be really helpful if you're working with a group of patrons who want to share a collection of articles. The groups have varying levels of access, so you can add full text and still be copyright compliant. At one of the libraries I work at I've created a current awareness resource, and I used Mendeley Groups to organize the citations. Furthermore, because Mendelely provides you with an embed code, I can publish the resource to the library's web page (the only full text included are OA articles). Here is the link if you're interested: http://www.lifewest.edu/lw_library/articles.shtml

I don't know if I'd call myself "whizz" :-) but I do personally use Mendeley, and I teach classes on it here at Penn State. The classes have been very popular - we limit them to 15 participants, since they are hands on, and I've been full each time. I have another one scheduled for November and it is already almost full. The sessions are an horu and half long, but I always end up going a little longer for those who want to stay.

Generally the things people like about Mendeley:
the ease of getting citations into the system by dragging and dropping PDFs onto the Mendeley Desktop
the integrated PDF reader which allows highlighting and note taking
full text searching of both your library, and the PDFs

flexible and easy to use sharing options.
the fact that the basic plan is free (Grad students love to hear that!:-)
cross platform use and syncing of your library (Mac at home and PC at the
office?? No Problem!)

I hope this gives you some information.

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Dear Research Section members,

The deadline for abstract submissions for MLA 2012 is coming up quickly.? I
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submit next week.? If you are interested in/available to review abstracts for
one of our sessions (listed below), please send me your contact information
and session choice(s) no later than Wednesday, October 12 at kris at
jeffalpi.net.?? If you are willing to do more than one session, please rank
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funders that is lead sponsored by Health Association Libraries Section -- if
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Kris Alpi
Research Section Chair-Elect

Effective Dissemination of Findings: Pitching Your Research with Speed and Accuracy

This session will present strategies and methods for disseminating and evaluating the impact of findings from library or health research. Examples from community-based participatory research and illustrations of the role of the library in disseminating findings to a wide range of constituents?such as study participants, funding agencies, current and future practitioners, policymakers, and journalists?are welcome.

Spring Training: Statistical Literacy and Techniques in Library Research and Practice

This session will address the development and application of statistical knowledge by librarians. Areas of interest include statistics in critical appraisal, bioinformatics searching and results interpretation, library research, and decision making. Presentations on library roles running the gamut of statistical information needs from choosing statistical software, collecting in statistics, referring or engaging in statistical consultation, participating in meta-analyses, and beyond are welcome.

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Koufogiannakis, Editor-in-Chief, at denise.koufogiannakis at ualberta.ca by
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        definitive books on Electronic Resources Librarianship
Message-ID:
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Please forgive the cross-posting.

Hi, all. Eeek! I have to have to write a book review and sound knowledgeable.
Uh oh! My topic is, "...your selection of a few of the classic, definitive
books on Electronic Resources Librarianship and why you think these books are
so important to defining the field."

And guess to whom I turn when I need help? Yes, you guessed it. You guys!
Therefore, would you please let me know if you have books that you regard as
absolute must reading (need not be in the field of medical librarianship).

Thank you for your help. I would be happy to summarize for the list.

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Dear Research Section Members:

Thinking about a submission for MLA 2012?? Here are the Research Section
sponsored
sessions inviting contributed papers. ??If you have questions about any of
these
sessions, please let me know.?? We want
to hear about what you are doing!?

Effective Dissemination of Findings: Pitching Your Research with Speed
and Accuracy
This session will present strategies and methods for
disseminating and evaluating the impact of findings from library or health
research. Examples from community-based participatory research and
illustrations of the role of the library in disseminating findings to a wide
range of constituents?such as study participants, funding agencies, current
and
future practitioners, policymakers, and journalists?are welcome.

Spring Training: Statistical Literacy and Techniques in Library
Research and Practice
This session will address the development and application of
statistical knowledge by librarians. Areas of interest include statistics in
critical appraisal, bioinformatics searching and results interpretation,
library research, and decision making. Presentations on library roles running
the gamut of statistical information needs from choosing statistical
software,
collecting in statistics, referring or engaging in statistical consultation,
participating in meta-analyses, and beyond are welcome.
With the Health Association Libraries Section leading, Research
will cosponsor:

Moneyball: Demystifying Library Funding
This session will comprise six fifteen-minute contributed presentations or
question-and-answer sessions from librarians who have succeeded in getting
funding to support research projects, special collections, one-time
activities,
or ongoing operations from a variety of foundation, government, and community
sources. Presentations will share how funders were selected and approached,
the
process of being funded, and post-funding requirements and continuing

engagement. The design or impact of the actual projects will not be
discussed,
so that you may submit the actual project for consideration for another
session
as a paper or poster.

The deadlinefor submission is Wednesday, November 2, 2011 at Midnight
CST. ?To read the call and for more information about submitting an
abstract, please go to http://www.mlanet.org/am/am2012/sect_prog/call.html.

Please
let me know if you have any questions.?? We look forward to your submissions!
Kris Alpi
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From: hleman at samhealth.org (Hope Leman)
Date: Thu, 3 Nov 2011 17:36:07 -0700
Subject: [Research-mla] Call for Participation at Library Research Round
        Table (LRRT) Forums
Message-ID:
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Hi, all. I have been asked to forward the item below.

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The Library Research Round Table will be sponsoring three research forums at
the 2012 ALA Annual Meeting. Here is the call for participation; please
forward to interested groups (apologies for cross-listing):

Call for Presentation Proposals

2012 Library Research Round Table Forums at
ALA Annual Conference,
Anaheim, CA

The Library Research Round Table (LRRT) will sponsor two Research Forums at
the 2012 American Library Association Annual Conference in Anaheim, CA (June
21-26). The LRRT Forums are a set of programs at the ALA Annual Conference

featuring presentations of LIS research, in progress or completed, followed by discussion. Three LRRT Research Forums are scheduled for 2012, two that are broad in scope and one on a more specific topic. The forums are:

Research to Understand Users: Issues and Approaches
This session will feature three library-related research papers investigating users and their use of libraries and information. An LRRT committee will select the winning papers based on quality of study design, significance of the research topic, and potential for significant contribution to librarianship.

Research into Practical Problem Solving in Libraries
Much of the most valuable and useful research in librarianship begins with the awareness of a challenge or problem that one perceives. For this session three papers that address such authentic problems will be selected for presentation. Again, a committee will evaluate submissions and select the papers to be presented.

Research: Creativity and Innovation
Novelty and innovation are needed to respond to many of today?s challenges. Libraries and librarians require new and creative approaches to defining questions and finding answers. Three papers that demonstrate innovative inquiry will be selected by a committee for inclusion in this Forum.

This is an opportunity to present and discuss your research project conducted in the broad area of library and information science or in a more specialized area of the field. LRRT welcomes papers emphasizing the problems, theories, methodologies, or significance of research findings for LIS. Topics can include, but are not limited to, user studies and user behavior, electronic services, service effectiveness, organizational structure and personnel, library value determination, collection and/or access assessment, development and use of repositories, archiving, preservation, and overall evaluation of library and information services.   Both completed research and research in progress will be considered. All researchers, including practitioners from all types of libraries, library school faculty and students, and other interested individuals are encouraged to submit proposals. LRRT Members and nonmembers of LRRT are invited and welcomed to submit proposals.

The Committee will use a blind review process to select a maximum of nine projects, three for each of the three forums. The selected researchers will be required to present their papers in person at the forums and to register for the Annual Meeting (LRRT cannot pay for any expenses). Criteria for selection are:

 1. Significance of the study to library and information science research;
 2. Quality and creativity of the methodology;
 3. Potential to fill a research gap or to build on previous LIS studies;
 4. Adherence to submission requirements (see below).

Please submit a two-page proposal by Tuesday, December 20, 2011. Late submissions will not be considered, and submissions must be limited to two pages in length. On the first page, please list your name(s), title(s), institutional affiliation(s), and contact information (telephone number, mailing address, and email address). The second page should NOT show your name or any other identifying information. Instead, it must include: 1) The

title of your project, and 2) A 500-word or less abstract. The abstract must include a problem statement, problem significance, project objectives, methodology, and conclusions (or tentative conclusions for work in progress), and an indication of whether the research is in-progress or completed. Previously published research or research accepted for publication by December 20, 2011, will not be considered.

Notification of acceptance will be made by Friday, February 24, 2010. Please email submissions (with an indication of which of the three forums for which the abstract should be considered) to:

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Hi everyone-

The Research Section's 30th anniversary is in 2012. We have been asked to provide milestones/facts that MLA can use for the development of a proclamation that will be given to our section at the MLA Business Meeting next year. If anyone knows of the Research Section's significant milestones through the years please let me know.   I will collect them and write a summary for our review before sending the final version on to MLA.

Thanks,
Diane

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Hi, all. I just want to pass along the link below to a blog post about
Mendeley for those of you not familiar with it. Never hurts to get proficient
in tools researchers and students use.

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Calling all librarians and information science professionals! Come learn
about how researchers at your institution are using Mendeley and how you can
use it to help patrons find what they're looking for faster. This session is
appropriate for folks with no prior experience, but we'll also go in depth in
some areas and there will be plenty of time for questions, so feel free to
join just for Q&A if you like. Please download and install
Mendeley<http://mnd.ly/mRWTqQ> before the session so if you have any
questions, you'll be able to ask them during the event.

We'll discuss topics such as:

  *   Writing grants & papers with Mendeley
  *   Importing from and exporting to other systems (Google Scholar, Pubmed,
Endnote, Refworks, etc.)
  *   Organizing, sharing, and discovering research with Mendeley
  *   How Mendeley respects intellectual property & copyright
  *   Mendeley's role in the future of research

William Gunn<http://mendeley.com/profiles/william-gunn/>, Head of Academic
Outreach, will be conducting this session. There will be plenty of time for
questions after and during the session. Please download and install
Mendeley<http://mnd.ly/mRWTqQ> before the session begins. If this time
doesn't work for you, please see our events
page<http://www.mendeley.com/spread-the-word/> for an event near you. We will
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