General Library Meetings June 12

The next General Library Meetings will be Wednesday, June 12. The meetings will be at the Thompson Library, Rooms 150 A & B, from 9:30-11 a.m., and from 2:30 – 4 p.m. at the Libraries Tech Center, Room 122.

Scheduled Libraries Catalog Downtime for Sierra Conversion on June 3 from 12 a.m. - 6 p.m.

Monday, June 3, from 12 a.m. to 6 p.m. EDT, Millennium will be converted to the Sierra platform. During the conversion, the online library catalog will be unavailable to patrons and staff. An alert will be posted on library.osu.edu regarding catalog downtime beginning May 31, notifying our users.

While the catalog is down:

What is still available?
1. Interlibrary Services
   - Users can continue to request interlibrary loan materials on the day of migration.
2. Searching can be done in WorldCat@OSU and OhioLINK
   - All holdings display; however, requesting materials is not available.

What will be restricted?
1. Links to the catalog will redirect.
   - Any links to library ohio-state.edu (which includes My Library Account) will redirect to a page offering alternative sources.
2. Millennium, the character-based system, and Sierra will not be available.
   - As a result, staff cannot view or perform record maintenance, send notices, etc.
3. Access to Web Management Reports will not be available.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact Michelle Gerry and Sue Rahnema via go.osu.edu/hub.
Preservation work to begin this summer on Byrd Polar Research Center Archival Program

Byrd Film Series

The Byrd Polar Research Center Archival Program (BPRCAP) has received a $32,160 grant from the National Film Preservation Foundation (NFPF) for the preservation of a unique film series used by Antarctic explorer Richard Byrd.

Laura Kissel, Polar Curator for BPRCAP, said the grant provides an exciting opportunity to preserve and show unique footage shot in Antarctica during the early to mid-1930s.

“The grant enables us to preserve ten films from the Admiral Richard E. Byrd Collection,” Kissel said. “Shown on Byrd’s lecture tour following the expedition in 1935, these films transported the audience to Antarctica – which was still quite unknown at the time.”

Byrd led his second expedition to Antarctica, commonly called BAE II, from 1933-35 following the success of his first expedition in 1928-1930. Many “firsts” in the history of Antarctic exploration were achieved during BAEII, including the first radio broadcast from Antarctica to the rest of the world on February 1, 1934.

Byrd’s status as a national hero grew at the conclusion of BAE II, and he was highly sought on the public lecture tour circuit. The films to be preserved are part of the series Byrd used on this lecture tour, called Discovery. Byrd wrote that “This pictorial record will show better than any words of mine could, the sacrifices my men made and the credit they deserve.”

The Discovery Lecture Series was originally comprised of 28 reels of film. Of these 28 reels, only ten films have survived. These reels hold 8,875 feet of 35mm film. Prior to the BPRCAP acquisition of the series, it was housed in a numerous locations, including several warehouses and a barn. Despite the excellent storage conditions at the BPRCAP, the films’ condition made it impossible for researchers to use.

The film will be cleaned, repaired, and transferred to a stable medium by Cinema Arts Incorporated, in Pennsylvania. In addition, access copies will be made in DVD formats, enabling scholars, students, polar enthusiasts, and the general public the opportunity to view the films, which have not been shown since 1935.

Work on the restoration and preservation process will begin in July 2013.
Pelotonia is a grassroots bike tour with one goal: to end cancer. Pelotonia raises money for innovative and life-saving cancer research at The Ohio State University Comprehensive Cancer Center - James Cancer Hospital and Solove Research Institute. Driven by the passion of its cyclists and volunteers, and their family and friends, Pelotonia's annual cycling experience will be a place of hope, energy and determination. Pelotonia proudly directs 100% of every dollar raised to research. It is a community of people coming together to chase down cancer and defeat it.

Learn more about Pelotonia and how the funds are used: http://pelotonia.org/about/money/

Digital Scholarship @ The Libraries
- Danny Dotson reflects on the difficulty of finding conference proceedings for patrons, and the desirability of making them available in the KB: http://library.osu.edu/blogs/digitalscholarship/?p=543
- Melanie Schlosser talks about why academics blog about their research: http://library.osu.edu/blogs/digitalscholarship/?p=88
- Craig Gibson explores the idea of engaged librarianship in the realm of digital scholarship: http://library.osu.edu/blogs/digitalscholarship/?p=490
- Maureen Walsh provides a recap of the 5th Annual Knowledge Bank Users Group Meeting: http://library.osu.edu/blogs/digitalscholarship/?p=777

LOEX Encore Webinars
The Teaching and Learning Office will be hosting a final LOEX Encore Webinar from a session that was presented at the LOEX conference in Nashville at the beginning of the month. No reservation is required. The webinar will be shown in 150A Thompson Library:

- **Thursday, May 30, 1-2pm**
  *The Ballad of the Librarian and the Infographic: A Tale of Data Visualization*
  Caitlin A. Bagley (Gonzaga University)
Congratulations to the 2013-14 Course Enhancement Grant Recipients

The following faculty and librarians have teamed up for winning Course Enhancement Grants for the 2013-14 academic year. We are excited that this group will be participating in a new assessment piece for the grants.

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For Supervisors: Coaching and Performance Management Workshops and Step 4 Brown Bags

Supervisors, in preparation for the upcoming Staff Performance Management Step 4s, plan on attending a “Coaching and Performance Management Workshop”. The 2.5 hour workshop is intended to:

- review good techniques,
- provide for quality discussions,
- allow participants to practice coaching and complete performance management evaluations.

Please register for the following workshop by contacting Greg Newman at newman.25@osu.edu.

- June 4, 1:00 – 3:30, 150 THO

For all staff: Performance Management Step 4 Brown Bag May 31

For anyone participating in the Staff Performance Management Step 4, plan on attending a Staff Performance Management Step 4 Brown Bag. The 45 minute brown bag is intended to:

- review the Step 4 timeline,
- review items to consider in the process,
- answer questions.

No registration is required for the session, on Friday, May 31, from noon-12:45 p.m. in Thompson Library, Room 150. For questions regarding coaching or performance management, feel free to contact Kelly Rose or Greg Newman.

Holiday and Electing Comp Time

The university observes ten holidays per year and provides eligible employees with two benefits as outlined in Policy 6.20. One is Holiday Benefit Pay which is pay received for holidays observed by the university, whether or not the holiday is worked and is calculated at the base rate of pay. For part time employees with a regular work schedule greater than the holiday pay supplied please adjust the Holiday Benefits Pay accordingly. The maximum Holiday Benefits Pay is 8 hours.

The second is Holiday Premium Pay which is for hourly paid staff only, and is for hours actually worked on a holiday premium pay date. It is calculated at one and one-half times the base rate of pay. Eligible employees who work on a holiday premium pay date have the option of electing compensatory time in lieu of compensation. A manual adjustment is needed to elect compensatory time. Please contact Kelly Rose at rose.900@osu.edu if you work on the holiday premium pay date and want to elect comp time.

Please visit the Holidays Frequently Asked Questions page for additional information.
Proposals are now being accepted for the ALAO Annual Conference. The deadline for proposals is June 7, 2013. Proposals should be submitted online via: http://goo.gl/jssbh

The ALAO Conference Planning Committee invites you to submit proposals for presentations for the 2013 Annual Conference. Applicants are encouraged to develop creative proposals that show thoughtful exploration of this year’s conference theme: “The Changing Faces of Academic Libraries: Transforming, Reorganizing, Re-imagining.” You are encouraged to share your experiences, solutions, expertise, and innovative practices with colleagues from all types of academic libraries.

Possible topics include, but are not limited to:

**Transforming:**
- Collaboration – departments, community, groups
- Collections – print vs. electronic
- Outside the box – new initiatives
- Services – areas of student experience

**Reorganizing:**
- Library spaces – physical and virtual, active learning
- Staffing – new roles, new positions, new responsibilities
- Budget (electronic vs. print)
- Collections – maintenance
- Services
Ross Heart Hospital hosts wellness events
Join Ohio State's Ross Heart Hospital in a series of wellness events to end heart disease. Upcoming events include: Heart Champions 5K walk/run at Ohio Stadium – a fun event for the whole family with activities and photo opportunities in Ohio Stadium. Tri Fit Challenge triathlon where beginners or seasoned triathletes can choose from three distances to participate as an individual or in a relay team. Proceeds benefit cardiovascular research at Ohio State.
> Read more: go.osu.edu/series

Your Plan for Health free fitness classes
If you are feeling stressed or lacking energy, it may be time for a fitness break. Celebrate National Employee Wellness Month this June by stepping away from your desk and joining a free on-campus fitness class, brought to you by Your Plan for Health. From yoga to Boot Camp with Your Dog, there’s something for everyone. Find a class you’re interested in and sign up now. View a list of events >
> Register: go.osu.edu/WellnessMonth

Spot Bonuses
Congratulations to Andy Krutko and Matt Kelley, Book Depository, who each received a spot bonus for their extraordinary efforts in ensuring a smooth delivery of materials from University Libraries to the CIC Shared Print Repository at Indiana University. The two loaded a 53-foot semi-truck full of 26 pallets from the STX and Ackerman locations.

Highlighted
Miriam Conteh-Morgan’s “Literary Map of Africa” was featured as the “Website of the Week” by MLA International Bibliography.

Individual + Good Deed = Kudos
Please take a moment to show your appreciation
http://library.osu.edu/about/departments/human-resources/kudos/2012-kudos/

Or

go.osu.edu/kudos
Research and Education Faculty Librarian Cohort Search
The following positions represent an extraordinary opportunity for the Libraries to recruit six talented and forward-looking Faculty focused on engagement with digital scholarship for the Research and Education division to enhance its team of librarians:

• Head, Fine Arts Library
• Head, Knowlton School of Architecture Library
• Business Librarian
• Geospatial Information Librarian
• Digital Humanities Librarian
• Data Management Services Librarian

Individuals hired will find a collaborative environment for, and a renewed focus on, outreach and engagement with faculty, students, and other constituents to create communities of interest in digital scholarship, research innovation, and teaching and learning. This cohort within the Libraries will support the University’s strategic focus on three Discovery Themes, which calls for the hiring of new cohorts of faculty contributing to the interdisciplinary themes of Health and Wellness, Energy and Environment, and Food Production and Security; in supporting exemplary teaching and learning practices through the Digital First initiative, employing mobile and other technologies to create new learning opportunities and environments; and in general, supporting the processes of scholarship more deeply by using a variety of digital tools, resources, and techniques appropriate both for specific disciplines as well as for interdisciplinary projects.
To learn more about the positions, please visit http://go.osu.edu/facultycohort. Applications will be accepted until the positions are filled. Preference will be given to applications received by the deadlines noted below. Please send cover letter, CV, references and salary history and requirements via email using the subject line to identify the position title to Greg Newman at newman.25@osu.edu.

July 15, 2013
• Head, Fine Arts Library
• Head, Knowlton School of Architecture Library
• Business Librarian

August 5, 2013
• Geospatial Information Librarian
• Digital Humanities Librarian
• Data Management Services Librarian

Rights Management Specialist
The Ohio State University Libraries are seeking a dynamic, innovative, and service-oriented individual for the position of Rights Management Specialist (Program Coordinator) within the Copyright Resources Center. The Copyright Resources Center provides information and resources to The Ohio State University community on topics and activities related to copyright. Reporting to the Head of the Copyright Resources Center, the successful candidate will assist in the development of instruction, guidance, communications, and advocacy on copyright issues to the University and University Libraries. This position reports to the Coordinator of the Non-Roman Languages Section in Cataloging Department. This position reports to the Head of Copyright Resources Center.

Target Hiring Range: $38,000-$42,000 annually. Position Number: 376128. To apply, please visit the personnel postings at jobsatosu.com by 6/16/2013.

Hebrew Cataloger
This position is responsible for cataloging materials, primarily in Hebrew language, in various formats using national, international and OSU rules and standards. This position requires knowledge of cataloging rules and standards (e.g. AACR2/RDA, LCSH, OCLC Input Standards and MARC formats); knowledge of local system structure and functions; analytical and problem-solving skills, with ability to work independently and set priorities. It also requires expertise in database management, expertise in using the LC classification schedules and LC Subject Headings (LCSH), and expertise in searching and interpreting OCLC databases (Worldcat and its authority files). This position reports to the Coordinator of the Non-Roman Languages Section in Cataloging Department.

Target Hiring Range: $12.91-$15.50/hour. Position Number: 374767. Please note that the application deadline has been extended to 6/16/2013 for this position. To apply, please visit the personnel postings at jobsatosu.com.
**Partner Relations Coordinator**

University Libraries Digital Content Services (DCS) engages with partners across the University to increase the amount, value, and impact of OSU-produced digital content. DCS offers support by organizing, providing access, distributing, and preserving digital scholarship through the Knowledge Bank repository and the Libraries Publishing Program. The DCS Partner Relations Coordinator works under the direction of the Institutional Repository Services Librarian and is the initial DCS contact for potential new content, responding to requests for information and accompanying subject specialists in first and follow up conversations with potential partners. These conversations often include a preliminary assessment of the potential partner’s goals in light of Library goals and policies, and a follow-up assessment of what is needed to present and distribute the content online. The person in this position works closely with the Institutional Repository Services Librarian, the Digital Publishing Librarian, and the Head of the Department to develop and maintain partner relationships. The position requires an in-depth understanding of the suite of digital content services provided by the department, sound judgment and decision making. There is a potential for supervisory responsibilities for student staff.

**Target Hiring Range:** $40,000-$45,000 annually. **Position Number:** 376150. For more information and to apply please visit the personnel postings at jobsatosu.com from June 1st through June 30th.

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**East Asian Studies Program Assistant**

The Libraries’ East Asian Studies unit furthers academic research about and engagement with East Asia throughout the university, with a focus on supporting academic success in the University’s East Asian Studies Center, Institute for Chinese Studies, Institute for Japanese Studies, Institute for Korean Studies and Department of East Asian Languages and Literatures (DEALL) by building a strong, distinctive, interdisciplinary and responsive collection and engaging scholars in teaching, learning and research. This position assists in the selection, management and use of distinctive collections by coordinating and implementing activities such as acquisitions, cataloging, searching, reference, outreach and access support at high levels of complexity and responsibility.

**Target Hiring Range:** $13.25-$16.15/hour. **Position Number:** 374616. For more information and to apply please visit the personnel postings at jobsatosu.com from May 21st through June 16th.
Special Collections Processing Coordinator

The Processing Coordinator will build and implement a program consisting of effective and consistent processes to arrange, describe, and provide access to the diverse archival, manuscript, art, and other format collections in the Ohio State University Libraries Special Collections. The position will work collaboratively to improve intellectual and physical control over non-published materials, facilitating the discovery and use of these materials by researchers, and ensuring that the library can effectively manage primary source collections. Establishes policies, procedures and best practices that guide archival processing activity for all special collections. Directly coordinates processing of special collections housed in OSUs Thompson Library (Hilandar Research Library, Jerome Lawrence and Robert E. Lee Theatre Research Institute, and Rare Books and Manuscripts Library). Provides workflow planning and standards-based guidance to Archives. Collaborates closely with the Billy Ireland Cartoon Library and Museum to align standards and practices across departments.

Target hiring range $36,000 – 40,000. To apply to this posting please visit www.jobsatosu.com. Posting number: 375681. Application deadline is June 9, 2013.

Scholarly Communications and Copyright Librarian

The Ohio State University Health Sciences Library seeks a qualified Scholarly Communications and Copyright Librarian. Position provides leadership and instruction regarding open access publishing issues, advises on retention of author rights and federal funding compliance requirements, and explores the use of bibliographic metrics and systems to evaluate personal research impact; plans maintenance and growth of the Library’s Scholarly Communication web site; plans and manages budget and special program funds associated with copyright and scholarly communications; provides training and educational resources regarding the appropriate use of copyrighted resources and application of the U.S. copyright law; assists health sciences faculty, staff, and students secure copyright permissions; reviews Health Sciences Library electronic resource licenses; works collaboratively with staff from the University Libraries Copyright Resource Center, University Legal Affairs, and the University Technology Commercialization Office; engages with other University librarians, participates in relevant OhioLINK, CIC (Big 10), MLA, ALA, and other organization committees as appropriate; serves as liaison librarian for health sciences faculty and students as assigned; supervises at least one student employee.

Application deadline: July 20, 2013
Salary: Commensurate with qualifications and experience, minimum starting salary is $48,000.
Application: This is a faculty, tenure track position. Individuals interested in instructional and faculty positions must submit a curriculum vitae and cover letter to Lynda Hartel hartel.642.fwd@osu.edu (614-292-4892).
Electronic Resources Metadata and Discovery Librarian

The Ohio State University Libraries are seeking a collaborative and service-oriented Electronic Resources Metadata and Discovery Librarian with strategic vision to manage and lead our Electronic Resources Cataloging Program. The selected candidate will report to the Head of Cataloging and has the support of three full time staff. The Electronic Resources Metadata Discovery Librarian will work in a highly collaborative organization to create and implement innovative approaches that provide support for the bibliographic control and metadata related to electronic resources of all types, with a focus on e-books and databases. The selected candidate will work as a member of the Electronic Resources Cataloging Team and will share responsibility for establishing and maintaining access to the Libraries’ extensive electronic resource collection. To learn more about the position, please visit http://library.osu.edu/about/jobs/faculty/. Nominations or applications will be accepted until the position is filled. Preference will be given to applications received by May 31, 2013. Please send letter of interest with a current resume and name, address, phone, and email address of three references to Greg Newman at newman.25@osu.edu. Please include “Electronic Resources Metadata Discovery Librarian Application” in the subject field.

To build a diverse workforce Ohio State encourages applications from individuals with disabilities, minorities, veterans and women.

EEO/AA employer
Exhibits

**Alternate Views: Perspectives on the American Civil War**
Billy Ireland Cartoon Library & Museum
Through July 12, 2013
Monday-Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

*The Question Settled*. Artist unknown. 1865?

**Travelers to and from Mount Athos:**
The Translation of Culture, Knowledge, and Spirituality
An Exhibit of the Hilandar Research Library
Through September 8
Thompson Library Gallery