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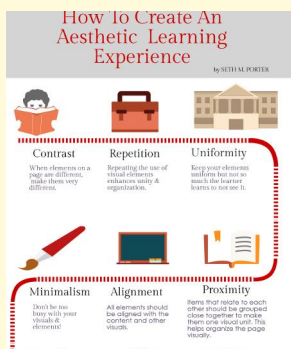
The newsletter of the UAH Salmon Library

Fall
2015



Seth Porter Presents on the Aesthetics of Instructional Design at ALA 2015

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We regularly post presentations from classes, conferences, and Refined Research events to the Salmon Library Twitter account. If you are interested in seeing the files as we tweet them, feel free to follow <https://twitter.com/uahlibrary>.

Seth Porter (third from left in above photo) presented "The Importance of Visually Aesthetic Design in Information Literacy Instruction" at the American Library Association's 2015 national conference in San Francisco. His talk covers the importance of using key aesthetic elements when designing visual presentations. Seth also presented at the 2015 Alabama Library Association joint conference with the Southeast Library Association. He was joined there by Doug Bolden, whose talk "The Best Use of Fair Use" dealt with the nature of Fair Use and why one should not be scared of copyright.

Elsevier Expo

September 15

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Library Advisory Student Group Begins



In the Fall 2014 semester, the UAH Library formed a new Library Student Advisory Group (LSAG), to discuss how the UAH Library can better meet the needs of UAH students. The LSAG held 3 meetings during 2014-2015, with 4 librarians and 8 student representatives (with both undergraduate and graduate student representatives, from 5 different colleges). The LSAG is a great way for students and librarians to meet up and discuss ways that the UAH Library can do more. We are already looking into ways to make this even better for 2015-2016!

One-on-One Research Consultations Continue

The Salmon Library will continue to offer one-on-one research consultations this fall. Think of them as therapy for your research. Whether you have a research project just starting one on that has been in motion for some time, we can help you know which resources are the best to use and how to find more information on any topic. Contact us and we will set up a custom consultation to fit your needs.

The Reference Desk Is Now the Research Help Desk!

The Reference Desk is undergoing a slight name change to the Research Help Desk. The primary reason for this change is to better reflect the sort of help we offer to students, but it is still a place you can come and ask us anything.

Fall 2015 Refined Researchers

Refined Researchers are a series of open-to-all classes and workshops designed to bring new and informative looks at information literacy. They are free, and require no reservation. For more information, see <http://uah.edu/library>.

Citation Management

Instructor: Ron Schwertfeger

Sept 10. 5:30pm.

Citation Management Basics

Sept 17. 5:30pm.

Citation Management: Zotero

Sept 24. 5:30pm.

Citation Management: EndNote

The Classroom Copyright Caper

Instructor: Doug Bolden

Sept 29. 5:30pm.

The Basics of Copyright

Oct 6. 5:30pm.

Using Copyright in Everyday Life

Oct 13. 5:30pm.

Copyright and the Problems of Copyright

Open Web Research on Government Information and Policy

Instructor: Seth Porter

Oct 15. 4:30pm.

Thinking Outside the Journal in Policy Research

Oct 27. 4:30pm.

Government Sources for Scholarly Research

Business Research in Context

Instructor: Michael Manasco

Nov 3. 5:30pm.

Finding and Using Marketing Data

Nov 10. 5:30pm.

Getting a Grip on Industry Data

Nov 17. 5:30pm.

The Ins and Outs of Company Data

Salmon Library Interviews: Dean Adams from Nursing

How long have you been at UAH?

I have completed my first year at the College of Nursing, working with faculty and staff to transform the College's mission, vision, core values, revise and update existing policies, and revise the undergraduate curriculum to reflect current and future trends in health care.

What do you remember about the library when you were in school?

Since being "online" did not exist, I was in the library a lot. It is where I found my resources for preparation of class and writing my thesis and dissertation. I used the library to also study.

Why do you think that the UAH library is important? The library provides support by expert librarian staff who assist students with searches and help with acquisition of materials not housed within the library. The librarians also support student learning through participation in courses that aim to build skills for evidence-based practice. I really like the close proximity of the library to the College of Nursing (just across the greenway) because it



provides easy access for nursing students to study and collaborate on projects together while utilizing the library resources.

What is the most interesting thing that has ever happened to you in the library? I met my husband in the library. He was a dental student working part time at Lister Hill Library. As I said, I stayed in the library a lot.

One thing that you would like to remind your students is...: UAH faculty and staff are here to promote student success so it is important that students take advantage of the excellent resources and services that are provided such as a great library!

A poster for the Salmon Library Street Fair. The top section has a purple background with large, colorful triangles (yellow, orange, blue, green) and the text "SALMON LIBRARY STREET FAIR" in a stylized, outlined font. Below this, there are two columns of text listing activities: "FREE FOOD", "LIVE MUSIC", "CHARGER BLUE MASCOT", "OLD TIME PHOTO BOOTH", "ROLLER COASTERS (LIVE TOURS)", "BOOTHS" on the left; and "OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES", "YARD BOWLING", "BEAN BAG TOSS", "SIDEWALK CHALK", "INFLATABLES", "DOOR PRIZES" on the right. At the bottom, the date "8*27*2015" and time "10AM-2PM" are displayed. The poster is decorated with small white starburst graphics at the corners and intersections.

Notes from the Director

On June 3rd, 2015, I was pleased to present a framed resolution from the Alabama State House of Representatives to Dr. Charles Lundquist (on the right) at the Marshall Retirees Association dinner for his tireless research in the field of



aerospace science over the past several decades. Part of that research has recently involved the Louis Salmon Library staff and specifically its archives department, culminating in a one-of-a-kind book published this year entitled *Transplanted Rocket Pioneers*. It details over 200 original rocket scientists that came to Huntsville after WWII and help put Huntsville on the map as we made our way to the moon. Dr. Lundquist's use of library resources and collaboration with Library staff and also the Office for the Vice President for Re-

search and Economic Development in preparing the book is a wonderful example of the positive contributions that can be made to our community and society at large. We celebrate with Dr. Lundquist his achievements and look forward to working with him on other projects as we approach the 50th anniversary of the moon landing. - David Moore, Library Director



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