

History of the Health Sciences Programs at MLA 2014

Here, in chronological order (appropriately for this section), are the events the HHSS is directly involved in. (NOTE: Rooms are subject to change. Check the latest information.)

HHSS Visit to the International Surgical Museum of Science

Friday, May 16

(Contact Joan Stoddard joan.stoddart@utah.edu for reservations)

Section/Chapter Posters

Sunday, May 18 @ 3:30-4:30, Columbus Foyer, Gold Level, East Tower

Also, come by @ 4:30 and you can dine with some HHSS colleagues

Evolution of the Librarian: New and Changing Roles

Sponsor: Health Association Libraries Section.

Monday, May 19, @ 10:30 -12, Regency B, Gold Level, West Tower

Description: Just as the styles of buildings that house the books have changed over time, so has the job description of the librarian evolved to meet the changing needs of patrons. This contributed papers session explores the multifaceted roles encountered by the modern health sciences librarian such as: digital data manager, accidental archivist, medical records manager, copyright officer, digital content creator, course manager, instructional designer, and other unique roles not described here. This session offers the opportunity to share the new materials, novel methods, and nontraditional roles encountered in the modern health care environment.

Presentations:

Melissa A. Ratajeski, Carrie L. Iwema, Andrea M. Ketchum, & Bedda L. Rosario, University of Pittsburgh, "You Do WHAT with Your Data?! Opportunities for Librarians to Teach Data Management Best Practices"

Heather Coates, Indiana University-Purdue University, "Building the Future of Research Together: Collaborating with a Clinical and Translational Science Award (CTSA)-Funded Translational Science Institute to Provide Data Management Training"

Jamie M. Gray & Susan L. Groshong, Seattle Children's Hospital, "Part of the Team: Librarian Support in Developing Standardized Pathways of Care"

LaVerne Manos, Kristy Johnston, & Heather Collins, University of Kansas Medical Center, "Bridging Gaps in Transitional Care with Knowledge Management and Interprofessional Teamwork"

Pamela L. Shaw, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine, "Evolution of the Librarian as Superhero"

Celebrating Our Information Future Using the Treasures of the Past

Cosponsors: Consumer and Patient Health Information Section, Corporate Information Services Section, Health Association Libraries Section, Technical Services Section, and Osteopathic Libraries SIG

Monday, May 19, @ 2-3:30, Regency B, Gold Level, West Tower

Description: The time to collect and preserve your archival, historical, and special collections is today. Come learn how libraries and associations have collected, preserved (both physically and digitally), and used their treasures to celebrate the past and prepare for the future. Treasures such as archives and special collections, whether in physical or digital format, can help the library provide information about their institutions' histories. They are useful in physical and virtual exhibits. They can celebrate events such as 10th, 25th, and 100th anniversaries and begin or end friends and fund-raising campaigns. Rather than waiting for a last minute request, attend this session and start planning for your organization's future by celebrating its past.

Presentations:

Megan Rosenbloom, University of Southern California, "Branching out of the Rare Book Room: Expanding the Role and Reach of the Health Sciences Special Collections Librarian"

Polina E. Illieva & Karen Butter, University of California, San Francisco, "Preserving the Past for the Future: University of California-San Francisco Library Recipe for Success"

Sarah McCord, Joanne Doucette, Paul Kiritsy, Kathy Krathwohl, & Greg Martin, Massachusetts College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences University, "The New England Prescription Images Database: Building a Strong Foundation for Future Research"

Martha E. Meacham, University of Massachusetts Medical School, "Collaborative Connection to the Past and Future: Introducing an Archival Program and Creating a History and Image Web Exhibit"

Judit Ward and Bill Bejarano, Rutgers University, "Looking Forward, Looking Back: Celebrating Seventy-Five Years of Alcohol Studies"

Promoting Ethical Awareness among Health Sciences Librarians

Sponsor: Consumer and Patient Health Information Section.

Monday, May 19, @ 2-3:30, Columbus GH, Gold Level, East Tower

Description: Health sciences librarians must consider the ethical boundaries of their work on a daily basis, regardless of the environment. Do health librarians engage in patient education, for instance, or is that the realm of other health professionals? Is it ever ethical for librarians to withhold information from a library user? This session will feature contributed papers that "build on our past" approaches to library ethics with an eye toward revealing our future in the process.

Presentations:

Jackie Garner, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Chicago, "Affordable Care Act and the Role of Medical Librarians"

Christine F. Marton, University of Toronto, "Consumer Health and the Provision of Birth Control Information"

Rachel W. Becker & Aileen M. McCrillis, New York University Langone Medical Center, "Health Sciences Librarians, Patient Contact, and Secondary Traumatic Stress"

Jamie E. Peacock, National Library of Medicine, "New Construction and the Evolution of Outreach: Connecting with Family Caregivers on Facebook and Twitter"

HHSS Business Meeting

Tuesday, May 20 @ 7-9, San Francisco, Gold Level, West Tower

Section business meetings are open to everyone and we'd love to have you join us.

I hope to see you in Chicago.

Melissa Nasea, Chair-Elect/Program Chair