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Preserving LMU Student Research

Many of our readers know that the William H. Hannon Library provides a digital platform for preserving faculty research and sharing it with a global audience. What about student research? How can LMU students share their creative and scholarly work with the world? Recently, we sat down with Digital Initiatives Librarian Jessea Young to talk about Digital Commons and how students can use this platform as a way to continue the life of their assignments past the grading process and as a forum to amplify their research beyond the bluff.

Library News

Exploring the Basement Stacks

You may know that almost half of our print collection is located in the basement of the library. You may have even visited it during our Haunting of Hannon Library. But have you ever wondered how we organize so many items in such a tight space?

Walt Walker Named Director-at-Large

Head Cataloging Librarian Walt Walker was recently appointed as Director-at-Large for the American Library Association's Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual, and Transgender Round Table. We sat down with Walt to learn more about his service to the library profession beyond LMU.

Celebrating Open Access at LMU

October 23-27 was International Open Access Week. To celebrate, we explored how our Digital Commons makes faculty research globally accessible, we discussed publishers policies and author sharing rights, and we highlighted the benefits of LMU Selected Works.

Haunting of Hannon V

For a fifth year in a row, we collaborated with students in LMU’s Theatre Arts program to haunt the stacks of the library! For this year’s theme, Murders in the Rue Bibliothèque, we brought to life stories of mystery, murder, dying of fright, and the occult detectives of late 19th century literature. Best of all, we levitated a first-year student in the basement. All this week, we are sharing our favorite photos from that evening on Instagram.

Upcoming Events

Veterans Library Exhibit Reception

November 7, 4:30 - 6:00p

Join LMU’s Veteran Programs for a reception highlighting this year’s Veterans’ Library Exhibition. All items on display have been provided by veteran students, staff, and faculty.

LMU Human Library

November 8, 11:00a-3:00p

The Human Library is an international event that promotes dialogue and understanding through one-on-one conversations. This year’s program is hosted with the Office for International Students and Scholars.

Faculty Pub Night: Greg Ruzzin

November 14, 5:30-7:00p

In our third Pub Night of the semester, Gregory Ruzzin, Associate Professor of Production at LMU’s School of Film and Television, will discuss his recent work, The Magic Chair Project. Ruzzin will be joined by the project’s co-creators Victoria L. Graf and Becky Herr-Stephenson.

Jewish Book Group: Henna House

November 19, 2:00-3:30p

You are invited to join us for a lively discussion of Henna House by Nomi Eve. The discussion will be moderated by Rabbi Joshua Kalev (Congregation Tikvat Jacob Beth Torah). The Sunday Jewish Book and Discussion Group is free and open to the public.