Happenings@Hannon, January 2018

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Spring 2018 Preview Edition

During our last pass around the sun, we reached a number of important milestones at the William H. Hannon Library. We welcomed seven new librarians to our ranks. Our e-book holdings surpassed the half-million mark. The number of works in our institutional repository, Digital Commons, rose to over 10,000 objects. We saw more than 5,000 guests attend library events.

We introduced LMU students to national conversations about “fake news” and highlighted the intersections of information literacy and social justice. We added a variety of unique objects to our Special Collections, including early editions of titles by Charles Dickens, John Donne, and Sir Walter Raleigh. And we began building a platform of support for providing electronic access to course-adopted texts.

We hope 2018 will bring you as much joy and engagement as we experienced this past year.

In this month’s brief edition of Happenings @ Hannon, we highlight a few of our upcoming programs. Happy New Year, Lions!

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Opening Reception for Spring Exhibition
This semester’s Archives and Special Collections exhibition highlights the work of students enrolled in Cecilia González-Andrieu’s Theological Studies course entitled “Meeting Christ in Faith and Art.” We will celebrate the opening and learn more about this exhibition on February 8 at 5:30 p.m. We hope you will join us!

Four More Faculty Pub Nights
We are halfway through our 2017-2018 season of Faculty Pub Night at the William H. Hannon Library. This semester, join us as we hear about recent publications by LMU faculty, including Brett Hoover (Jan. 23), Carla Marcantonio (Feb. 20), Amir Hussain (Mar. 13), and Dean Scheibel (Apr. 10).

LMU Speaks: Off the Rails
We are bringing back LMU Speaks for a second season this Spring! Join us as we hear stories from five members of the LMU community about a moment from their life when they felt things went “off the rails.” Come listen to true tales of resilience, bravery, and that time when everything went wrong.

Long Night Against Procrastination
Every Spring we invite students to a late-night study event in the library’s Von der Ahe Family Suite. We provide participants with snacks, study tools, access to research support staff, and a structured evening of productivity in a private area of the William H. Hannon Library. Sign-ups for this event are first-come, first-served and will open in April. Follow us on Twitter to get notified and stay up to date!

Upcoming Events

Abacus: Small Enough to Jail
January 18, 4:30p - 7:00p
Join us for a screening of Abacus: Small Enough to Jail, a film by Steve James. The screening will be followed by panel discussions featuring Professors Kathleen Kim (Loyola Law School) and Edward J.W. Park (Department of Asian and Asian American Studies), as well as members of the Sung family via videoconference. More Info

Sunday Jewish Book Group
January 21, 2:00p-3:30p
Our first Sunday Jewish Book Group of the Spring semester will feature a discussion of Not in God’s Name by Jonathan Sacks. The discussion will be moderated by Elaine Goodfriend (CSUN Jewish Studies). This event is free and open to the public.

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