

# Health Sciences Library Newsletter

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*Letter from Jessica Koos, Interim Head of Health Sciences Library*



It's my pleasure to introduce the inaugural Stony Brook University Health Sciences Library newsletter.

You asked, we listened. Several faculty and students have expressed an interest in staying current with what's happening in our library. In response, we have developed this

newsletter as an outlet to keep everyone informed of important events, policy changes, staff updates, and more.

I am especially proud of all the hard work our faculty, staff, and work-study students have put into the library in recent months, in order to make it a more welcoming and enriching space. This past academic year we have implemented pet therapy (my personal favorite!), jigsaw puzzles, cookies for finals, numerous workshops and a very engaging panel discussion, all while providing top notch services to all of our patrons.

As you may have heard, we are also currently working closely with a consulting firm to investigate options to renovate the Health Sciences Library. Stay tuned to hear more about our progress in this area.

Wishing everyone an engaging and successful semester!

**Jessica Koos**, MLS, MEd, AHIP-S  
Interim Head of the Health Sciences Library

## *General Updates*

### *Look out for some changes around HSL*



#### Staff Update

Congratulations to Health Sciences Librarians Laurel Scheinfeld (pictured left) and Jessica Koos (pictured above) for being awarded continuing appointment with promotion to the rank of Associate Librarian.

#### Policy Update

Unattended belongings - Please note that the library staff are not responsible for these items, and leaving anything unattended places it at risk of being stolen. Kindly bring your items with you when leaving the library.

#### Space Update

All of our wifi ports have been replaced with newer, faster devices as of late January of this year. Additional enhancements were also made in order to enhance speed and connectivity. This work was completed in response to complaints of poor wifi service, and it is hoped that this will now prevent similar issues from occurring in the future.

## *Student Spotlight*



**Zack Li**: Since August 2021, Zack has been a valuable member of our student staff at the Health Sciences Library. He is confident, personable, and reliable. Zack has helped with training new staff members, is trusted with opening and closing the library, and has created a warm and welcoming environment. Zack has received many awards recognizing his contributions to the Stony Brook University community and recently received the Star Recognition award from Stony Brook University Libraries Dorothy Award committee. Congratulations Zack!

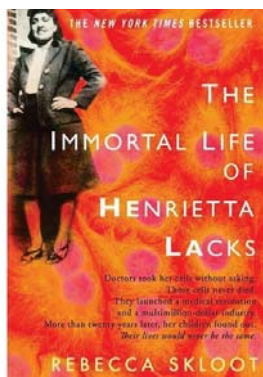
Zack is a linguistics and TESOL major and looks forward to a career as an ESL teacher.

February

## Celebrating Black History Month

Check out these books and ebooks at the Health Sciences Library.

Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks, by Rebecca Skloot (2010) permanent reserves.



Click on the link to access these e-books:

- [African American Women in Academia: Intersectionality of Race and Gender](#) (2021)
- [A Black Women's History of the United States](#) (2020)
- [The Impacts of Racism and Bias on Black People Pursuing Careers in Science, Engineering, and Medicine: Proceedings of a Workshop](#) (2020)
- [Banking on Freedom: Black Women in U.S. Finance Before the New Deal](#) (2019)
- [Medical Bondage, Race, Gender, and the Origins of American Gynecology](#) (2017)
- [Medicalizing Blackness: Making Racial Difference in the Atlantic world, 1780-1840](#) (2017)
- [U.S. Women's History: Untangling the Threads in Sisterhood](#) (2016)

## Upcoming Events

### February:

- **APA Citation Style For Student Papers**  
2/07/2024 @11:00AM
- **APA Citation Style For Professional Papers**  
2/07/2024 @1:00PM
- **Feeling Well with HSL: Yoga**  
2/26/24 @ 12:00 PM  
Room 3-171  
\*Please bring your own yoga mat\*



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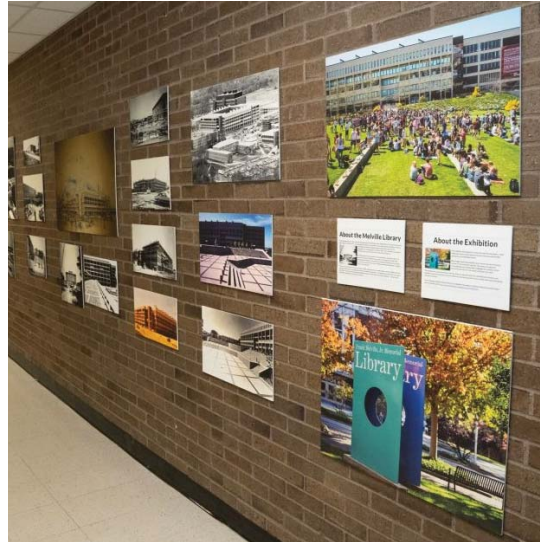
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## University Libraries 60th Anniversary

On Friday, December 1, 2023, Stony Brook University Libraries celebrated a momentous occasion: the 60th anniversary of the Melville Library. The event, brimming with intellectual discussions, historical revelations, and a touch of nostalgia, celebrated the library's rich heritage and its transformative journey over six decades.



Simeon Ananou, VP for DoIT & Chief Information Officer



Exhibition of the Library's History in Melville Library Atrium



Dean Karim Boughida with Wolfie



Jamie Saragossi with Wolfie



Tom Manuel with players from the Jazz Loft

### Publications

- Hathaway, J. R., Tarini, B. A., Banerjee, S., Smolkin, C. O., **Koos, J. A.**, & Pati, S. (2023). Healthcare team communication training in the United States: A scoping review. *Health communication*, 38(9), 1821–1846. <https://doi.org/10.1080/10410236.2022.2036439>
- Scorsese, G., Jin, Z., Greenspan, S., Seiter, C., Jiang, Y., **Huang, M. B.**, & Lin, J. (2023). Effectiveness of Thoracic Wall Blocks in Video-Assisted Thoracoscopic Surgery, a Network Meta-Analysis. *Journal of pain research*, 16, 707–724. <https://doi.org/10.2147/JPR.S396530>
- Viboud, G., Asaro, H., & **Huang, M. B.** (2023). Use of matrix-assisted laser desorption ionization time of flight (MALDI-TOF) to detect antibiotic resistance in bacteria: A scoping review. *American journal of clinical pathology*, aqad160. Advance online publication. <https://doi.org/10.1093/ajcp/aqad160>
- Zhu, J., Wang, E., Liu, S., **Koos, J.**, Shroyer, L., & Krajewski, A. (2023). Impact of surgical technique on outcome measures in chest masculinization: A systemic review and meta-analysis. *Journal of plastic, reconstructive & aesthetic surgery* : JPRAS, 87, 109–116. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.bjps.2023.09.002>

### Presentations

- **Scheinfeld, L., Chung, S.**, (2023, June 2–5) The challenge of accurately formatted references; Does Medline get it right? [Conference Session – Lightning Talk] Canadian Health Sciences Library Association Annual Meeting, In-person. Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada
- **Chung, S., Scheinfeld, L., Koos, J., Saragossi, J.** (2023, June 2–5) Putting a Sustainable Systematic Review Service into Action [Conference Session – Paper Presentation] Canadian Health Sciences Library Association Annual Meeting, In-person. Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada
- **Chung, S., Scheinfeld, L., Koos, J., Saragossi, J.** (2023, May 16–19) Looking Back and Forging Ahead with a New Systematic Review Service [Conference Session] Medical Library Association/Special Libraries Association Annual Meeting, Hybrid, Detroit, Michigan.
- **Chung, S.**, Cotter, C., Li, C., Yuen, E. Yao, H. (23, April 7) ChatGPT and the Future of Library Services Roundtable Discussion [Conference Session] Chinese American Librarians Association Northeast Chapter Meeting, In-person, Flushing, New York.
- **Chung, S.**, Ledbetter, L. Experience MLA: Systematic Review Series – Avoid Systematic Review Pitfalls: Tips for Success, February 20, 2023, Virtual.



## Resource Highlight

### Endnote

EndNote is a citation management program designed to make it easier to save and organize references and to create and format bibliographies automatically.

Stony Brook University Libraries currently provides access to EndNote version 21 for free. Download EndNote from SoftWeb to install on your personal computer.

You will need to enter your NetID and password.

### Endnote Guide

Link to soft Web:

<https://softweb.cc.stonybrook.edu/>

Upcoming Endnote Classes

February:

2/22/24 @ 2:00 PM

Using Endnote 21 Workshop

Via Zoom

[Register for this event here.](#)

### Contact Info:

#### Library Access Hours:

<https://library.stonybrook.edu/healthsciences/hsl-hours/>

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