



Health Sciences Library Newsletter

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Message from Jessica Koos, Interim Head of the Health Sciences Library



Dear Readers-
I hope you all had an enjoyable summer, and were able to do at least a little bit of whatever makes you happy!

We are already moving full steam ahead into the new semester. We have welcomed

the new medical and dental students to campus with our library orientations, and have continued to teach students in our other programs as well. As always, we have been providing consultations to our students, faculty, and researchers over the summer too.

For this academic year, we are hoping to make some significant changes to our space. We are working on conducting a thorough assessment of our print journal and book collections in order to make room for more study areas.

You also may notice that we no longer have our Dental Collection on display. After many years, we opted to deaccession it to make better use of the space. Thank you to our donors for generously loaning us their historical dental ephemera.

Last but not least, we are in the process of acquiring new wifi equipment for the library, which will hopefully make everyone's streaming services run more smoothly.

As always, please feel free to reach out with any questions or concerns.

Have a wonderful semester!

Sincerely,
Jessica Koos, MLS, MEd, AHIP

General Updates

Space Update

Coming soon...new and improved wifi!

Farewell to our dental collection. We thank our generous donors for loaning us their materials to display for so many years!

Staff Update

We will be posting an ad for a Library Service Coordinator in the near future. This person will be responsible for coordinating the student staff at the front desk, circulation, and working on other projects as needed.

Opportunities

Upcoming employment opportunities can be found on Handshake ([here](#)).

The Library employs both graduate and undergraduate students for federal work-study and student assistant positions. You can view current openings through [Handshake](#). The Library hires throughout the year on a need basis and keeps submitted applications until an opening becomes available. If no openings are listed on [Handshake](#), you can still submit an application for employment.

Upcoming Events

Feeling Well with HSL: Mindfulness Meditation

Thursdays, September 5th - October 31, 2024
12 PM - 1 PM, HSC 2-1A

Please join Healthier U and University Libraries for this mindfulness meditation series. All are welcome!

APA Style 7th Edition for Student Papers

Wednesday, September 18th
12:30-1:30 PM, Via Zoom

Learn how to format a student paper, create in-text citations, and put together a perfect reference list in accordance with 7th edition APA style guidelines

APA for Professional Papers

Wednesday, September 18th
3:00-4:00 PM, Via Zoom

Submitting a paper to a journal to be published? Learn how to format a professional paper for publication according to APA style guidelines for citations, footnotes, tables & figures, appendices & supplementary materials and more.

Money Matters Monday at the HSL: Scholarships

Monday, September 23rd
5:00 PM - 5:45 PM, Health Sciences Library, Entrance Area

There are a variety of scholarships for new and continuing students, some of which are based on merit and others which take into account special talents, leadership and community service or financial need. Join Emma Ozman and Katelyn Columbo from the financial aid office to learn about available scholarships and Scholarship Universe, a platform that allows you to create a personalized profile to match available scholarships for you. This Money Matters workshop is co-sponsored by the Office of Financial Aid & Scholarship Services and Stony Brook University Libraries.

NIH Data Management and Sharing Plan (DMSP) Requirements

Wednesday, September 25th
10:00 AM, , Via Zoom

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) now require that all grant applications be accompanied by data management and sharing plans as of January 2023. This workshop will cover the major changes that affect grant applications and funding. Tips for drafting a Data Management and Sharing Plan will also be discussed.

Health Tech Fair

Thursday, September 26th
10AM - 1 PM, Health Sciences Library

Join us at the Health Tech Fair, hosted at the Health Sciences Library, where representatives will be present to demonstrate their resources and apps. Explore the benefits of UptoDate, VisualDx, Complete Anatomy, Nursing Reference Center Plus, and other exceptional tools.

The event will also feature VR headsets from CELT and Center for Interprofessional Innovation. We extend a warm invitation to students, faculty, and staff from all Health Sciences Schools, as well as the University Hospital staff—all at no cost to you through Stony Brook Libraries! Plus, we've got exciting raffles and delicious popcorn waiting for you!

Upcoming Events (continued)

The Research Canvas: Filling in the Blanks with Art, Zines, and Queer Technique

Thursday, September 26th
3:30 - 5:00 PM, SAC Ballroom B

Join us for "The Research Canvas: Filling in the Blanks with Art, Zines, and Queer Technique," a 90-minute workshop, provided by Rena Newman, author, educator, illustrator, and publisher of the "The Testosterone Survey Zine." Rena will teach participants how to create their own zine, review the history and significance of zines for the LGBTQ community, and discuss how zines fill vital gaps in archives. Don't miss this inspiring session in SAC Ballroom B on September 26, from 3:30 to 5 pm. This event is the first of a four-part series in celebration of LGBT History Month.

Democracy in the Digital Age: AI's Influence on 2024 Elections

Monday, September 30th
12:30PM - 1:50PM, Wang Center Theatre

Join University Libraries for an engaging panel discussion where we delve in and learn about the impacts of artificial intelligence on the 2024 US elections! Panelists are Paige Lord, Tom Costello, and Musa al-Gharbi. The discussion will be moderated by Library Dean, Karim Boughida. Co-sponsored by the Office of Diversity, Inclusion, and Intercultural Initiatives.

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Wednesday, Nov. 20
Noon - 3:00p.m. | 5:00p.m.- 7:00p.m
Melville Library Central Reading Room

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& BECOME A BOOK**

Help challenge the stigma and stereotypes
through personal conversation with our readers.

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