Highlights 2017-2018

Two Library Grand Rounds offered for CME

25% more attendees in our classes for affiliates

New computers in labs 1-417 and 1-419

Julia Esparza recognized as holder of Marianne & Stafford Comegys Professorship in Medical Library Science
Collection Improvements

Upgrade DynaMed to DynaMed Plus

Board of Regents funding for 4 e-books

Major cleaning and “de-duplication” of archives and special collections, fall 2017
Collection Use

*Our campus’ most frequently viewed topics on UpToDate, 2017-2018:*

- Treatment regimens for *H. pylori*
- Cellulitis and skin abscess in adults
- Acute complicated UTI in adults

251,864 full-text downloads from e-journals

43,496 uses of e-books

415,731 searches in databases, indexes, or topic views in point-of-care tools like UpToDate and DynaMed

105,197 practice exam questions answered in BoardVitals
Education

Unique and new offerings

- Library Grand Rounds on Global Health, August 27, 2017
- Partnership with School of Allied Health Professions & SHIP student group
- Library Grand Rounds on data management, with guest speaker from NEJM, April 17, 2018

Library faculty teach in all 3 schools, residency & fellowship programs, and the community
Library Grand Rounds on Research Data Management
Special guest Pamela Miller from NEJM
April 2018
Service beyond Education

Library faculty & staff answer questions, consult on writing, and serve as an interlibrary loan resource for the nation.

- 3,769 reference transactions
- 354 completed writing consultations (80% for students, residents, or fellows)
- 1,663 total interlibrary loan transactions
- 3,426 checkouts at desk
Use of facility

Library still a popular destination for study and “quiet time”

80,717 visits
21,894 visits to computer labs
102.5 hours per week open
Therapy dog visits
4 hosted exhibits
Library systems use

Library systems staff certified lab computers for 86 departmental exams including evenings and weekends

Library faculty and staff continue to support high-stakes testing and maintain high-traffic websites

671,168 views of websites managed by Library
Faculty & Staff

Library faculty and staff are national, regional and state leaders

**Library faculty**
- 2 awards for research
- 1 state award for mid-career achievement
- David Duggar served as President of General Faculty for LSU Health Shreveport for 2017-2018
- Published 2 book chapters
- 2 Library faculty approved for promotion & tenure effective July 1, 2018

**Library staff earned**
- 1 competitive scholarship
- LSU Health Shreveport Employee Excellence Award

**Library faculty and staff completed 16.5 hours of professional development**
- Active Shooter training for all Library staff, February 2018
National, regional and state leadership coincided in 2018

Julia Esparza, MLS, AHIP
President-Elect of the Medical Library Association
Starting May 2018

Montie’ Dobbins, MLIS
President of the South Central Chapter of the Medical Library Association
October 2017-October 2018

Will Olmstadt, MSLS, MPH, AHIP
President of the Health Sciences Library Association of Louisiana (HSLAL)
Calendar year 2018
Assessment

Qualitative and quantitative feedback from learners

Average course evaluation score for Library faculty: 3.71/4

2018 AAMC Medical School Graduation Questionnaire:
92.4% of respondents “satisfied” or “very satisfied” compared to 86.3% nationally

2018 SAHP Student Exit Survey:
84.86% of respondents “satisfied” or “very satisfied”
What are faculty & learners saying?

- "WOW! Thank you so much! I knew my CV was probably not formatted correctly, but I have no idea how completely off I was! Your changes look incredible!"

- “Thanks you so much for your great and speedy help obtaining these studies and papers! It's been an essential help for me.”

- “Everyone at the library has been so friendly and helpful to me, and your staff is comprised of some of the nicest people on campus!”

- “I know a lot of students heavily rely on this space as a quiet, comfortable place to be productive, and your contributions to this don’t go unnoticed!”
2018 is the 50th anniversary of the founding of the Department of Medical Library Science.

Medical Communications produced a video for the golden anniversary.

Read about our founder, Mayo Drake.
Donating to the Library

A gift to the Library benefits the entire campus!

The Library serves all residents, fellows, and the students, faculty, and staff of all 3 schools of LSU Health Shreveport.

Donations can be made through the Foundation:

https://www.lsuhsfoundation.org/index.php
Thanks to 2017-2018
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