

# University Libraries 2018 Consolidated Annual Report

#### Mission

University Libraries identifies, collects, organizes, preserves and provides access to information resources and services to support the University's commitment to academic excellence, educational opportunity, personal growth and social responsibility.

# Library Personnel

#### Administration (3)

▶ Dean, Assistant Dean, 50% Development Director

#### Faculty (13)

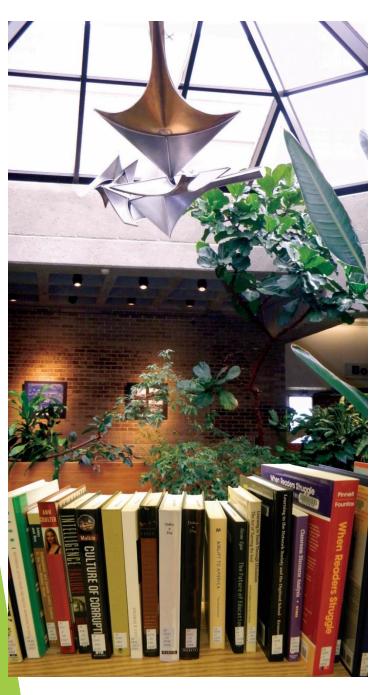
► This includes Jeff Hancks' open position

#### Civil Service (28)

► This includes the web specialist III open position

#### Students (52)

► This includes 3 graduate assistants and 2 IRAD



Accomplishments

#### Music Recital Archives

 Completed the digitization of over forty years of WIU recitals (1970-2014)

Recitals Digitized & Added – WIU Libraries Music Recital Archive							
	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	Total	
Recitals	234	238	414	420	886	2,192	
Digital Objects							
(.mp3 & .FLAC tracks; pdf programs)	5,487	5,323	8,786	11,137	19,341	50,074	

Implemented a "Name That Tune" contest to identify tracks of recitals missing programs.



#### Reference

- Answered thousands of reference questions, examples include . . . I need:
  - books with ethnographies
  - to access magazine articles from Education Week from a WIU digital database
  - books on Polish art in the 19<sup>th</sup> century
  - ▶ to cite Wordsworth's poem "Ode: Intimations of Immortality from Recollections of early childhood" as published in a book





# **WIU Authors Reception**



Library staff authors: Sean Cordes, Brian Clark, John Stierman, Rod Sharpe (retired), Linda Zellmer, Marilyn Shelley (retired)





#### **WIU Authors**

► Created the 13<sup>th</sup> annual WIU Authors Bibliography

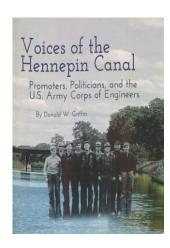
Year/	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2005-2012	Total
(Pub. Year)	(2016)	(2015)	(2014)	(2013)	(2012)	(2004-2011)	
WIU author citations	320	364	313	337	382	2,759	4,475

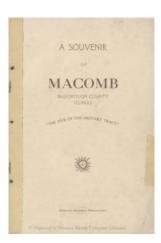




#### Digitization

- Imaging students completed 3,114 images for Document Delivery, ILL, and Reserves
- Completed imaging of several collections
  - Voices of the Hennepin Canal
  - A Souvenir of Macomb
  - Western Courier (10 more volumes added)







Top 20 WIU Home Pages — 2017CY							
Rank	WIU Page	Pageviews	Unique Visits	Avg. Page Time			
1	WIU Libraries	308,601	204,871	0:02:45			
2	AIMS	153,032	132,492	0:06:16			
3	"The Right Choice" (Admissions)	148,196	138,988	0:06:24			
4	Undergrad Application	122,234	13,622	0:01:03			
5	Academics	122,151	89,328	0:00:25			
6	Admissions	115,430	82,302	0:00:34			
7	Academic Majors	101,127	65,149	0:00:44			
8	Student Services	101,077	78,513	0:01:19			
9	WIU Quad Cities	91,172	64,033	0:00:57			
10	Provider Connections (COE)	90,463	72,419	0:01:58			
20	Housing (Student Services)	50,178	38,254	0:00:44			
Other Highly Ranked Library Pages							
38	Library Databases	38,265	26,397	0:03:47			
116	Library Hours	11,876	10,641	0:03:12			
120	Music Library	11,563	8,437	0:04:30			

Top 20 Web Pages of WIU Libraries @ wiu.edu/libraries/ 2017CY						
Rank	Library Web Page	wiu.edu/libraries [/]	Page Views	Unique Visits	Avg. Page Time	
1	Library Home	/index.php	308,601	204,871	0:02:45	
2	Databases	/databases/	38,265	26,397	0:03:47	
3	WIU-QC Library	/qc/library/	14,076	9,462	0:03:34	
4	Hours	/info/hours/	11,876	10,641	0:03:12	
5	Music Library	/music_library/	11,563	8,437	0:04:30	
6	Curriculum Library	/curriculum_library/	4,552	2,943	0:04:34	
7	Interlibrary Loan	/interlibrary_loan/	3,367	2,460	0:03:54	
8	Archives	/archives/	2,569	1,858	0:02:00	
9	Malpass Info	/info/malpassLibrary.php	2,220	1,896	0:00:53	
10	Gov/Legal Info	/govpubs/	2,043	1,031	0:02:05	
11	Article Databases	/databases/articleDBs.php	1,898	1,459	0:01:52	
12	Directory	/info/facultyStaffDirectory.php	1,785	1,092	0:00:54	
13	IL Compiled Statutes	/govpubs/illinois_laws/compiledAn dRevisedStatutes.php	1,679	1,276	0:02:09	
14	A-Z Index	/info/a2zIndex.php	1,656	1,119	0:00:40	
15	Help	/help/	1,610	1,356	0:01:40	
16	General Info	/info/	1,523	1,199	0:00:37	
17	Employment	/administration/employment.php	1,494	1,246	0:00:38	
18	Library Catalogs	/catalogs/	1,370	966	0:01:21	
19	Reference Tools	/reference/reftools/	1,347	757	0:01:00	
20	Access Services	/access_services/	1,341	1,003	0:00:37	
Subtotal (Top 20 Library Pages)			414,835	281,469		
Remaining library pages (1,207)*			44,505	33,340		
TOTAL wiu.edu/libraries/ Pages (1,227) (vs. 2016CY)			<b>459,340</b> (+2%)	<b>314,809</b> (+7%)	~2:42	
wiulibraries.org/ (via Linux Server)‡			504,201	89,895		
	Total Library Web Activity (vs. 2016CY)			404,704 (-6%)		

Library web pages were viewed 963,541 times in 2017

7 % increase over last year

#### Gifts

- \$36,222 was raised during 2017
- Major gifts received include:
  - ▶ \$3,000 and \$1,000 gifts to the Curriculum Library
  - ▶ \$1,000 gift to the Lwin Physical Sciences Library
  - \$1,000 gift to Archives/Special Collections Unit
  - Painting valued at \$2,000 in memory of Bill Sanders, former library employee
  - Music scores valued at \$1,400 to the Music Library



# Curriculum Library

Staff worked with the Curriculum & Instruction department to purchase a new Reading textbook series using foundation funds

Common Marine Sources Sources

 Held the 4<sup>th</sup> annual book sale, raising \$569



# **Music Library**

▶ Planned, organized, and staffed two book sales, raising a total of \$851.75





#### A Taste of Archives

Raised \$1,800









# Library Atrium Society Plant Reception

Two Library Atrium Society members were recognized at

the Gardener Level



Dr. Donna Goehner

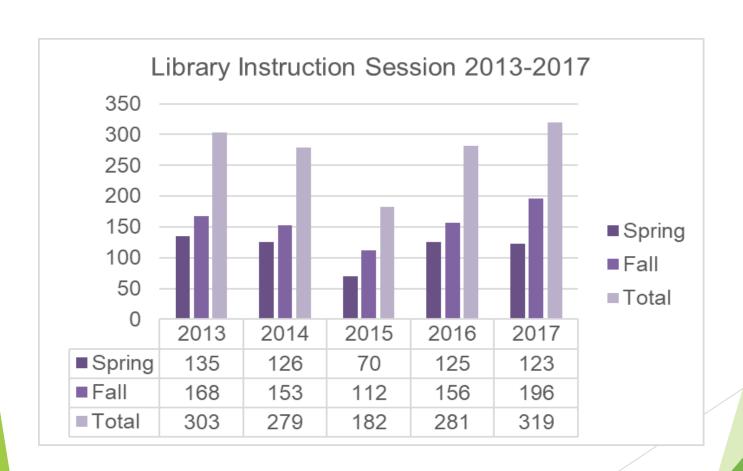


Dr. Cynthia Struthers

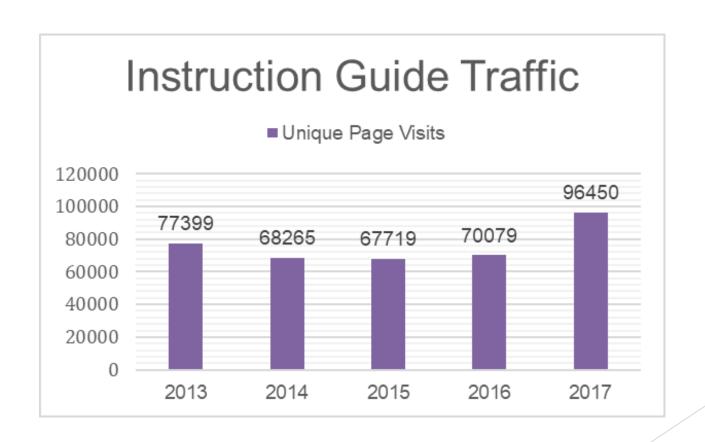
#### Library Instruction

- 304 Bibliographic instruction sessions were taught, including 42 tours
- Library faculty developed and taught 257.5 classroom hours of instruction
- Three Library faculty taught 4 sections of the University 100 Personal Growth and Well-Being course
- Three Library faculty (including the Dean of Libraries) served as Building Connections Mentors for 26 first-year students

## Library Instruction



#### Library Instruction Guides



#### **Quad Cities Library**

- Continued progress on Leibovitz Collection
   "Diaries & Memoirs" traveling case
- Circulated 1,691 items from I-Share
- Circulated 1,057 items from the local collection
- \$2,000 GIK of two antique bookcases, located in the QC Library







#### Visiting Scholar

Hosted Lemya Boughoua, a University Teacher
 Ministry of Higher Education
 University Center Abd Al Hafid Boussoufin Mila, Algeria



# **Library Events**





Archaeology in the National Parks



Arts in the National Parks



Stress relief with Therapy Dogs



Women's History Month

University Libraries Combined Measures						
Service Measure	2015	2016	2017	Change from 2016 to 2017		
Gate Count	493,706	682,598	808,746	16%		
Reference Questions	10,385	11,546	10,971	-5%		
E-Research Guide Use	67,719	70,079	96,450	38%		
Instructional Programs	182	281	304	8%		
Use/Circulation of physical materials	39,206	41,360	41,299	-0.1%		
E-Book Downloads	27,404	26,276	22,299	-15%		
E-Journal Use	307,518	279,309	278,356	-0.3%		
WIU Digital Collection Use	242,878	307,762	320,152	4%		
Reserve Use (Traditional)	10,606	12,192	12,500	2.5%		
E-Reserve Use	11,516	12,101	10718	-11%		
Reserves (# of courses)	545	640	739	15%		
Interlibrary Loan (borrowed)	19,492	18,728	14765	-21%		
Interlibrary Loan (loaned)	15,355	12,869	11538	-10%		
Library Web Pages Viewed	1,017,065	903,275	963541	6.7%		

#### Preservation



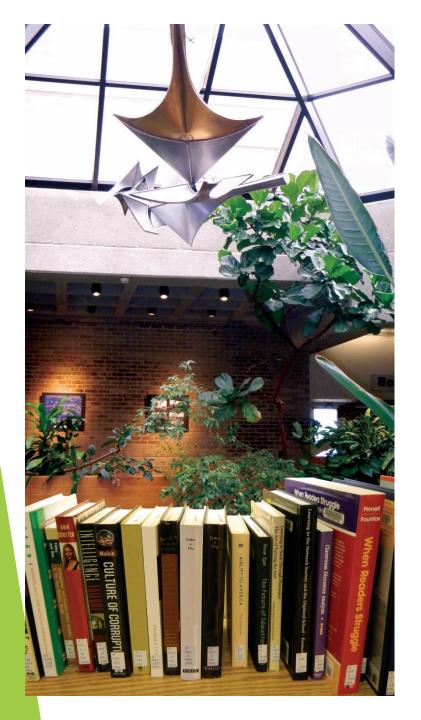
#### **Quick Facts**

- ► Labor cost \$48,958.83
- Student hours: 5,900 +
- Linear feet cleaned: 15,395 (approx. 142,933 volumes)
- 333 Journals deaccessioned
- Equipment/supplies cost: \$739.27
- Mold Consultant cost: \$1,296.49

#### Graham Scholarship

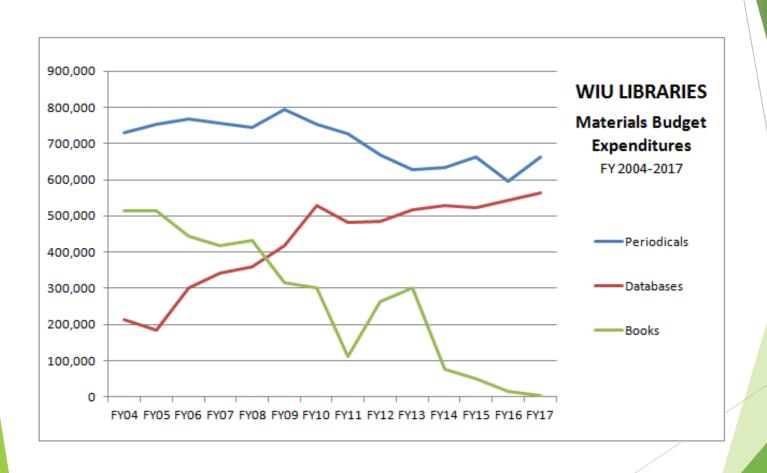


Avilashchary Maroju (Hyderabad, India), Molly Cameron (Ellisville, IL), Jessika Runquist (Plymouth, IL), and Taylor Runquist (Plymouth, IL)



# 2019 Goals

#### Develop/Maintain Collection



## Physical Sciences Library

- Move equipment and furniture to the Malpass Library
- Shift main collection to make room for PSL materials
- Move PSL collection to the Malpass Library





#### **Technology Goals**

- Include more wireless routers throughout the Malpass Library to increase connectivity
- Secure permanent funding for a sustainable four-year cycle of technology
- Promote the reduction of paper waste
- Explore benefits and costs of implementing a 'phaseone' Institutional Repository

#### Development Goals

- Transition Library Leadership Board into fundraising role
- Expand "Taste of Archives" event
- ► Host 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration of the Malpass Library





#### Personnel Reductions

- With the PSL closing the Civil Service LOA position will be eliminated
- Unit A faculty member (Instruction/Reference) retiring May 2018 will be temporarily vacant
- Civil Service LOA (Information Systems/Digitization)
   retiring June 2018 will be temporarily vacant

#### New Funding Requests

#### University Archivist

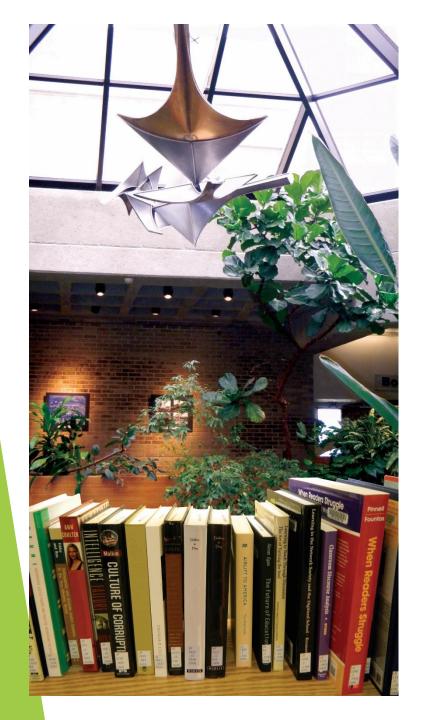
- Needed to supervise the Illinois Regional Archives Depository Program (IRAD) as part of the agreement with the State Archives
- Professor of Icarian Studies needed as per our donor agreement



#### New Funding Requests

#### Web Specialist III

- Update and maintain Library web pages
- Update Musical Recital Database
- Resolve ongoing issues with our many databases



"A library is not a luxury but one of the necessities of life."

Henry Ward Beecher

