

ALHHS/MeMA 2018 Annual Meeting – Preliminary Program Los Angeles, California

ALHHS (Archivists and Librarians in the History of the Health Sciences)
&
MeMA (Medical Museums Association)

Wednesday, May 9, 2018

8:00-9:30 am Tour #1 (limited to 15 people)
Behind-the-Scenes and Alongside-the-Construction at History & Special Collections for the Sciences
History & Special Collections for the Sciences, a division of
UCLA Library Special Collections
4th floor, UCLA Louise M. Darling Biomedical Library
Docent: Russell Johnson (Curator for History of Medicine and the Sciences)

10:15 am – 2:30 pm Tour #2 (limited to 20 people)
Tour and Tea at the Museum of Jurassic Technology (MJT)
Tour convener: Lisa Mix
Docent: MJT

10:15 am	Leave Luskin Center on shuttle bus for MJT
11:00 am	Tour
1:00 pm	Tea
1:45 pm	Depart MJT and return to Luskin Center

10:00 – 11:00 am Tour #3 (limited to 15 people)
Tour of the Mildred E. Mathias Botanical Garden
Docent: Jules Cooch (Visitor Services Coordinator)

9:30 am	Walk from Luskin Center to Garden; or
9:45 am	Walk from Biomedical Library to Garden

3:00-4:30 pm

ALHHS/MeMA Special Focus Workshop (limited to 20 people)
Library UX 101: Designing a Collections Management System for End Users

UCLA Louise M. Darling Biomedical Library

Michelle DiMeo
(Hagley Museum and Library)

Librarians and archivists often work with systems that are designed to meet their collection management needs and internal workflows, but what if we designed our digital presence by putting end users first? This hands-on workshop will introduce some basic concepts employed in User Experience (UX), including focus groups, user personas, and usability testing. No experience is necessary. You will be exposed to a variety of methodologies and encouraged to think about what aspects you can take back to your home institution.

4:30-6:30 pm

ALHHS Steering Committee meeting

Rare Book Room, UCLA Louise M. Darling Biomedical Library

7:00-9:30 pm

Dinner at UCLA Faculty Center

6:30	Campus shuttle bus or walk from Luskin Center
7:00-8:00	Happy Hour (includes tickets for two free drinks)
8:00-10:00	Dinner (with cash bar)

Thursday, May 10, 2018

Library Conference Center, UCLA Charles E. Young Research Library

8:00-8:45 am

Registration and Continental Breakfast

8:45-9:00

Welcome by Virginia Steel, UCLA University Librarian
Welcome by Rachel Ingold, ALHHS President
Welcome by Sarah Alger, MeMA President

9:00-10:30

Presentations

The Nuts & Bolts of Building an Inclusive and Diverse Archive and The Tools They Didn't Give Us in Library School!

Gino Pasi and Lori Harris
(Henry R. Winkler Center for the History of the Health Professions and Harrison Health Sciences Library, University of Cincinnati)

The Promise of Social Network Analysis in the Research of Historical Patient Health Data: A Case Study

Aimee Medeiros

(Department of Anthropology, History and Social Medicine, University of California, San Francisco)

Metadata and Medical Terminology for Historical Context: The Case of the Perkins School for the Blind Archives

Jennifer Arnott (Perkins School for the Blind) and Catherine Arnott Smith (The Information School, University of Wisconsin-Madison)

10:30-10:45

Break

10:40-11:45

Keynote Address

Animating Special Collections: Digital Humanities Opportunities for Historians of the Health Sciences

Miriam Posner

(Information Studies & Digital Humanities, UCLA)

11:45 am-12:00 pm

Lunch begins (continues through Business Meetings)

Attendees retrieve individual boxed lunches from the Presentation Room and return to the Main Conference Room

12:00-12:15pm

“Open Mic”: short (3 minutes each) announcements during lunch

12:15-1:15pm

ALHHS Business Meeting

Library Conference Center: Main Conference Room

MeMA Business Meeting

Library Conference Center: Executive Conference Room

1:15-2:30 pm

Presentations

Archiving HIV/AIDS on the Web

Christine Wenc and Christie Moffatt

(National Library of Medicine)

Archiving the HIV/AIDS Epidemic at UCSF

Kelsi Evans and David Krahn

(Archives & Special Collections, University of California, San Francisco)

2:30-2:45

Break

2:45-4:00

Presentations

Eduard Pernkopf and his Atlas: The Next Chapter

Linda Lohr

(R.L. Brown History of Medicine Collection, University at Buffalo)

and Keith Mages

(Samuel J. Wood Library, Weill Cornell Medicine)

New Approaches to Embedding Collections into Classes and Collaborations

Lois Hendrickson

(Wangensteen Historical Library of Biology and Medicine, University of Minnesota)

8 x 20: Telling the Story of Anesthesia in a Shipping Container

Sarah Alger

(Russell Museum at Massachusetts General Hospital)

Researching Nursing Artifacts from a Material Culturalistic Perspective

Patricia Hanes

(School of Nursing, Azusa Pacific University)

4:15 pm

Adjourn

4:15 – 5:15 pm

Tour #4 (AAHM tour; accommodates 10 from ALHHS/MeMA)

Rarely Seen Period Rooms in the Jules Stein Eye Institute

Docent: Victoria Steele (Curator for UCLA Public Art)

3:45 pm depart Luskin Center; or

4:00 depart Young Research Library

4:15 pm begin tour at JSEI

4:15 – 5:30 pm

Tour #5 (limited to 15 people)

Kleinrock Center for Internet Studies

Leaves at 4:15 from front entrance of the Charles E. Young Research Library

Docent: Charlotte B. Brown (UCLA University Archivist emerita)

4:15 – 5:00 pm

Tour #6 (Self-guided)

Teaching with Rare Materials in the History of Medicine exhibit

Library Special Collections

A-level, UCLA Charles E. Young Research Library

Program Committee

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