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Libraries are a place for learning outside the classroom and for the free exchange of ideas and we are privileged to be your hosts in those endeavors. Through various interactive events like our annual Literary Festival, we offer students opportunities such as meeting authors and gaining insight into the writing process, learning about different educational subjects through Broward College and Florida Atlantic University faculty and staff and sharing readings of their original or favorite poetry.

As we take a look back over the past year, I am excited to let you know some of the ways we have been actively supporting important Broward College initiatives as part of Student Services. Our librarians are working on the College’s Pathways Communities teams which are helping shape more efficient Career Pathways for our students. We are also involved in the First Year Experience (FYE) program, with some of our faculty teaching classes for new students or serving as guest lecturers. In addition to our many traditional library services, our staff continues to serve students daily with instructional services, technical services and tutoring in multiple subject areas through our Academic Success Centers. We also serve on many regional, college-wide and campus committees helping advance programs benefitting our students, staff and community.

I am honored to serve as the new Dean, Libraries and Academic Success Centers, having previously worked as Associate Dean of Public Services and as Librarian in the University/College Library (UCL) during my Broward College career. The role of the UCL Dean has been expanded to combine leadership of the UCL with our North and South Campus libraries and our Academic Success Centers (ASC’s) on those campuses. I am excited to guide our team in shaping the future of our College library system and ASC’s.

Looking ahead, we are considering options to revitalize our library with more collaborative space that will meet the information and research needs of our students. Just as technology has transformed our lives, it also impacts the way we learn and access information. We are also focused on providing more accessibility to new technology in the future. And, many of our staff are immersed in statewide working groups helping prepare for the July 2017 implementation of a new library catalog system called Sierra Encore Duet, which will be used by all 40 of Florida’s public colleges and universities.

I am proud to work with such a talented and engaged team and I look forward to further positioning us as a vital part of the success of our students.
GUIDED PATHWAYS MODEL

Our libraries are fully engaged in Broward College’s new Guided Pathways Model which helps students build an academic track with a career goal in mind. Students choose a program of study upon entering Broward College and develop an academic plan based on program maps created by faculty and advisors, thereby simplifying decision-making and allowing students to complete programs more efficiently. Program maps help students stay on track academically and with career goals simultaneously.

The College has created Pathways Communities which are integrated teams of faculty, advisors, staff, administrators, students and local industry experts clustered by majors, concentrations or career choices which fall under a given Career Pathway. Our librarians are currently serving on each of the eight Pathways Communities as follows:

- Michelle Apps and Andrew Dutka – Arts, Humanities, Communication & Design
- Chris Casper – Business
- Elita Kalma and Cristy Moran – Education
- Suzette Spencer – Health Sciences
- Lori Albrizio – Industry, Manufacturing, Construction & Transportation
- Dan Tan – Public Safety
- Elena Hall and Simone Williams – Science, Technology, Engineering & Math (STEM)
- Victor Lawrence and Judi Tidwell – Social Behavioral Sciences & Human Services

NEW RESOURCES

- Project MUSE
  The UCL purchased over 2,000 e-books from major academic presses on this new platform.

- Science
  - We started a new subscription to this major peer reviewed science e-journal on 1/1/16.
- Four new EBSCO databases were added from the state: Applied Science and Technology Source, Art Source, Education Source and Humanities Source
- Two new databases from ABC/CLIO started 1/1/16:
  - Latino American Experience: The American Mosaic (ABC-CLIO)
  - Pop Culture Universe: Icons Idols Ideas (ABC-CLIO)

NEW SERVICES

Many new tools were introduced in 2016. LibCal went live in October 2015, to help scheduling of library research consultations on South Campus. LibAnswers, an interactive chat and knowledgebase tool, went live in March 2016. A major upgrade of library software, LibGuides 2.0 was released. And, our old Add Value machine was retired after nearly 20 years of service, making way for the new Seahawk Print system.
The Broward College Digital Archives was opened to public acclaim in February 2016. This is an online repository that supports research and teaching with locally curated resources. It hosts collections representing the varied holdings of Archives and Special Collections: Asian Collection, College Catalogs, Cynthia Thuma Collection, Cultural Objects Collection, Lyman Redding Collection (Butterflies), P'an Ku, Rare Books, Rodrick Collection, and The Observer. It is available at https://broward.digital.flvc.org. Special kudos for the Technical Services team of Jan Rothhaar, Silvia Ana Perez-Barraza, and Lynette Vargas, who pioneered with FALSC through a long incubation period as the state released the Islandora-based tool for college use.

Rich Ackerman, Andrew Dutka, Michelle Apps, Jan Rothhaar, Lynette Vargas and Silvia Ana Perez-Barraza attended a Digital Preservation training workshop presented by two Lyrasis digitization experts at Nova Southeastern University in April. As a follow-up in June, two Lyrasis Digitization Consultants came to UCL for an in-person collection review site visit focused on handling, historical value, and suitability for digitization. This was part of a grant program run by SEFLIN.

**Grant Won**

In December, the UCL won a grant to support a visit in 2019 by “Native Voices: Native Peoples’ Concepts of Health and Illness,” a traveling exhibition that explores the interconnectedness of wellness, illness and cultural life for Native Americans, Alaska Natives and Native Hawaiians. The exhibition was developed by the U.S. National Library of Medicine and was displayed from 2011 to 2015 at the Library of Medicine in Bethesda, Maryland.

**FALSC Region 5 User Meeting**

In May 2016, the UCL hosted the Florida Academic Library Services Cooperative (FALSC) Region 5 User Meeting. Over 60 information professionals from southeast Florida colleges and universities attended.

**Sierra Encore Duet Upgrade**

The UCL is busy working towards the July 2017 go-live of a new library catalog system called Sierra Encore Duet. This is a state of the art cloud based library platform. Several UCL staff members are serving on the state-wide working groups (WG) helping implement the system for all 40 of Florida’s public colleges and universities: Silvia Ana Perez-Barraza is on the Cataloging WG; Jan Rothhaar is on the Serials/Acquisitions WG; Michelle Apps is on the Joint Use WG; and Rich Ackerman is on the Electronic Resource Management WG.

**College-Wide Information Literacy Committee Established**

Broward College recently acknowledged the importance of information literacy when the General Education Task Force elevated the college’s information literacy competency to a full competency, impacting over 40 general education courses. The faculty librarians considered this new initiative to be an ideal opportunity to establish a college-wide support system for information literacy. Upon submitting a proposal to the College Provost, we were granted approval of the establishment of such a committee. The newly formed Committee on Information Literacy provides an environment for the college community to discuss and develop strategies for incorporating information literacy across the curriculum and fosters collaborative efforts among all faculty to enhance student learning experiences in this important area. This committee will begin the groundwork for building a collegewide plan to institutionalize information literacy across all Broward College programs.
PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND CONTINUING EDUCATION

Ready to Use Resources: Fall 2015 at North Campus, Victor Lawrence and Cristy Moran presented resources available for faculty to incorporate information literacy directly into their course resources including infographics, student-centered learning activities and others.

Quality Enhancement Plan (QEP) Emerging Scholar: Lori Albrizio was selected as a QEP Emerging Scholar for the 2015-2016 academic year. She developed critical-thinking (CT) enhanced learning activities and information literacy curriculum for a certified scholar’s blended session 4 ENC 1102 class.

New Faculty Institute - October 2015: Lori Albrizio presented “Effective Use of Library and Instructional Resources” and Rich Ackerman presented “Copyrights at Broward College.”

Michelle Apps was a judge for the Florida Authors and Publishers Association 2016 Presidents Book Awards.

Evaluate & Incorporate Research Sources: Professional Development Day 2016 at Central Campus, Victor Lawrence, Chris Caspar, and Cristy Moran presented student-centered information literacy engaging activities including “Evaluating Internet Sources with CRAAP.”

Incorporating Sources: Spring 2016 at North Campus, Victor Lawrence and Cristy Moran presented tools for enhancing instruction in reading, understanding and using research including three student-centered activities.

South Campus Faculty Professional Development Coordinator (Spring and Summer 2016): Lori Albrizio provided “on the ground” support to the CTEL Department by promoting professional development opportunities on South Campus. She developed 2 CTEL assessment workshops for faculty.

Faculty Conferred Doctorates from Nova Southeastern University in 2016: Chris Casper received her Ed. D. in Higher Education Leadership in May. Sunem Beaton-Garcia received her Ed. D. in Instructional Technology and Online Education in June. And, Monique Blake received her Ed. D. in Higher Education Leadership in August.

STAFF NEWS

• Executive Assistant Lilly Gordon retired in December 2015 after almost six years with UCL and 20 years with Broward College.

• Faculty Librarian Neil Linger retired in January 2016 after 42 years at UCL. Neil joined the library in 1973.

• In June 2016, UCL Executive Assistant Nancy Calderon was promoted to UCL Circulation Supervisor.

• Dr. Sunem Beaton-Garcia was promoted to Dean, Libraries and Academic Success Centers in August 2016. She previously served as Associate Dean, Public Services for the UCL.

• In September 2016, Librarian Suzette Spencer was promoted to Associate Dean, Public Services, overseeing the librarians and all public services that Broward College libraries offer.

• Also in September 2016, Nelly Polanco joined the staff as Executive Assistant supporting the Associate Deans for Public and Technical Services. She previously worked as Administrative Specialist III in the Miramar West Center.

• And, Gayla Jauch was named Executive Assistant to Dean Sunem Beaton-Garcia in September 2016. She worked as Senior Executive Assistant in the Sun Sentinel’s Executive Offices and Advertising prior to joining Broward College.

• Lynette Vargas was promoted in October 2016 to Senior Library Specialist. In her expanded role, she will focus on all phases of materials acquisitions.
Information Literacy in Your Course Design (CTEL course ASC1200):
Beginning Fall 2016 at all campuses, Cristy Moran is presenting elements of the Framework for Information Literacy Threshold Concepts to faculty and supporting faculty as they enhance existing syllabuses and course content for information literacy. This includes providing lesson templates and ideas for student-centered learning activities and ongoing coaching.

Lori Albrizio presented at the MLA 8th Edition Update Lunch and Learn (for English faculty on South Campus) on November 4, 2016.

Simone Williams provided consultations to faculty developers and the instructional design team on copyright, Open Educational Resources, Creative Commons licenses and general resources for 8 courses. She also gave presentations at the Downtown (WHC) and BC Online Adjunct Faculty Welcome Back meetings, New Faculty Institute, visiting delegates from China and Vietnam, and to faculty at different sites at our International Center in Sri Lanka. She also gave synchronous and asynchronous presentations to faculty at Bolivia Center and to faculty, staff, and administrators at the Annual South American Summit and Asian Summit.

Judi Tidwell served as a judge of FAU Graduate Research Projects on March 18, 2016.

FACULTY AND STAFF COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIPS

Regional
• SEFLIN Cataloging Discussion Group
• SEFLIN Information Literacy Discussion Group
• SEFLIN Training Administrators Committee
• SEFLIN Technology Committee

County/Community
• Liaison with Broward County Library System

Broward College
• Academic Freedom and Tenure Committee
• BC Online Search Committees
• Center for Teaching Excellence & Learning (CTEL)
• College Read Committee
• College Sustainability Committee
• Community Engagement Committee
• Curriculum Committee
• Endowed Teaching Chair Committee
• Faculty Senate
• LGBT Faculty Advisor
• Health Care Task Force
• Honors Committee
• Information Literacy Committee
• International Education Committee
• Professional Development and Planning Committee/Chair and Member
• QEP Emerging Scholars Program
• United Faculty of Florida Executive Council

BC Central Campus
• Central Campus Sustainability Committee
• Campus President’s Committee
• Campus Read Committee
• UCL Outreach Committee

BC North Campus
• Art Fest Committee
• College Read Campus Committee
• Library Outreach Committee
  (Broward County Library, BC Library and ASC)
• wRites of Spring Committee

The UCL’s Academic Success Center had a great year serving, faculty, staff and students with resources that would assist students in achieving success. Several efforts were made to ensure ASC staff were ready to assist students in the Guided Career Pathways. The ASC held the first Guided Career Pathways, cultural awareness, and metacognitive tutoring skills training, and more than 150 tutors attended the college-wide training program. The ASC staff remain excited and ready to assist students with reaching their goals.
Broward College Student Engagement

August 2015:
The UCL hosted a “Welcome Back” desk to welcome students back for the new term.

November 2015:
The UCL Outreach Committee hosted a discussion of Native American history, culture, health and education from a Native American perspective to celebrate Native American Heritage Month. Approximately 100 attendees participated in the discussion.

Spring 2016:
Librarians Elena Hall and Dan Tan created the Roving Reference Project to increase visibility of the University/College Library, staff and resources. They revved up the library cart and took to the Broward College sidewalks, interacting with 285 BC students during the spring semester.

Spring 2016

- Monday 01/25/2016 Students-232
- Tuesday 01/26/2016 Students-53
- BC Roving Ref. Total-285

Elena Hall talks to Broward College students
April 2016:
Over 1,000 Broward College, Florida Atlantic and College Academy students took part in the University/College Library’s Literary Festival 2016. The three day event hosted over 40 local authors, community organizations and Broward College and Florida Atlantic University agencies and programs.

- Of special note was the “Human Library,” an event that gave students a chance to check out a human “book” to learn about different educational subject areas through dialogue with BC and FAU faculty and staff. The event, attended by over 100 students, offered over 30 human books such as “Coloring for Stress Relief,” “Women of the Civil Rights Movement,” and “Growing up in Cameroon. What’s it like?”
April 2016

UCL held a De-Stress event for students during exam week. Students were invited to grab water and have fun using a stress ball to relieve the pressure of finals.

2015-2016:

Associate Dean, Public Services Suzette Spencer led 8 APA Boot Camps for RN to BSN Nursing students. The library hosts several boot camps per year to assist students with formatting their APA papers.

• Other events included the Multi-Lingual Poetry Slam, a two-day event attracting over 100 students, with spoken-word performances and readings of original and favorite poetry. (pictures below)

• The final day included the Writer’s Forum, which allowed interested parties to meet authors and gain insight into the writing process.

• The Literary Festival capped off three days of activity with the evening College Read Reception. Students were asked to read “The Real Wes Moore” and write an essay on their impressions of the book. Three first place winners were chosen, as pictured.

April 2016:

UC Library participated in Broward College’s Open House speaking to hundreds of potential students and their parents and offering tours of the library.

Ducar Hughes, Margaret Apostolis and Jennifer Richard
Elita Kalma interacts with students during our De-Stress Event

APA Boot Camp
Fall 2015/2016 and Spring 2016

Librarians Elena Hall and Dan Tan created the Roving Reference Project to increase visibility of the University/College Library, staff and resources and to engage students and build relationships. They interacted with approximately 530 FAU students on their campus during these fall and spring events.

We also held three FAU “Pop-Up Library” outreach events. Over the course of those three events, we interacted with a little over 1,000 students, conducted impromptu library instructions/orientations for FAU classes and assisted with scheduled research appointments.

FAU Specific Stats:
- Student Research Appointments - 89
- FAU Transfer student orientations - attended 3 orientations and interacted with 74 students
- Instruction sessions -26 sessions with 784 students in total
- APA Boot Camps for FAU - 3 boot camps with 8 students in total

UCL STATISTICS

Ebook Sessions (login click through)
- 2015-2016: 44,638

Libguides page views
- 2015-2016: 459,388

Broward College Digital Archives (6 months)
- 2016: 11,303 page views

Website page views
- 2015-2016: 392,112

D2L Library Resources Page Views
- 2015-2016: 40,547

Total Database Sessions: 240,204
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| **GATE COUNT**           | 770,472 | 1,082,493 | 1,123,388 | 1,027,362 | 1,424,843 | 994,298 | 904,589 | 817,426 |

*Gate malfunctioned throughout year repairs from 10/23/08-11/21/08

| **INFORMATION LITERACY** |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Classes/Tours            | 333     | 353     | 391     | 351     | 359     | 345     | 413     | 478     |
| Students                 | 6,423   | 7,131   | 7,613   | 7,000   | 7,312   | 7,614   | 8,219   | 9,420   |

| **INTERLIBRARY LOAN**    |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
| Lending Transactions Filled | 2,613  | 2,751   | 2,022   | 2,384   | 1,835   | 2,006   | 5,281   | 4,317   |
| Borrowing Transactions Filled | 413    | 377     | 346     | 464     | 706     | 528     | 1,203   | 803     |
| Total Requested Transactions | 6,369  | 6,267   | 5,585   | 5,125   | 4,305   | 4,320   | 6,484   | 5,120   |

| **LIBGUIDES (guide views)** |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |         |
|                            | 112,090 | 117,090 | 189,365 | 237,961 | 277,842 | 459,388 |

| **REFERENCE TRANSACTIONS** | 26,972  | 28,590  | 25,350  | 20,951  | 21,695  | 18,042  | 18,913  | 14,478  |

| **STUDY ROOM USE**        | 14,406  | 12,638  | 12,962  | 12,434  | 9,645   | 9,612   | 11,364  | 12,150  |

| **WEBSITE**               | 17,962,014 | 19,366,758 | 19,008,009 | *1,197,558 | *1,076,393 | *856,527 | *863,383 | *392,112 |

*The U/C Library now uses Google Analytics to collect website usage statistics. The unit of measure reported is “Page Views”. This is a more accurate representation of actual usage than the previous methodology which counted a “hit” for every component of a web page that got loaded.*
### COLLECTION STATISTICS as of June 30, 2016

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w/d = withdrawals
Library Materials Expenditures

Books (Print and eBooks) ................................................................. $247,352.00
Serials (including databases) ........................................................... $159,821.00
Audio/Visual .................................................................................. $4,172.00
Total Materials .............................................................................. $411,345.00

Salaries and Wages

Full Time Personnel ...................................................................... $1,328,039.12
Part Time Instructional ................................................................... $6,110.93
Part Time Non-Instructional ........................................................... $71,890.50
Total Salaries and Wages .............................................................. $1,406,040.55

Fringe Benefits .............................................................................. $610,409.72

Other Operating Expenditures

Travel ............................................................................................... $1,612.20
Freight & Postage ........................................................................ $1,268.68
Printing ........................................................................................... $4,120.35
Repairs & Maintenance ................................................................ $4,089.64
Rentals ............................................................................................. $235.15
Other Services ............................................................................... $11,681.41
Professional Fees .......................................................................... $35,697.74
Educational, Office/Dept. Material & Supplies ......................... $3,949.53
Data Software – Non-Capitalized .............................................. $972.71
Maintenance & Construction ...................................................... $794.37
Other Materials & Supplies ......................................................... $3,083.57
Other Expenses ........................................................................... $305.16
Total Other Operating Expenditures ........................................... $67,200.19

GRAND TOTAL ........................................................................... $2,494,995.46
Broward College Central Campus, Building 17
3501 SW Davie Road, Davie, FL  33314

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954-201-6653

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Monday-Thursday: 7:30am – 10:00pm
Friday: 7:30am–5:00pm
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