

TEXAS TECH UNIVERSITY HEALTH SCIENCES CENTER  
LIBRARIES OF THE HEALTH SCIENCES

TTUHSC Libraries Meeting (LBK, AMA, ODE, ELP)  
Thursday, June 8, 2023  
10:00 AM on [Zoom](#)

**In attendance:**

Tara Allison-Fielding  
Lisa Beinhoff  
Margaret Burnett  
Patrick Davis  
Peggy Edwards  
Andrew Escude  
Amy Faltinek  
Shannon Harris  
Paul Landers

Melissa Morrow  
Cynthia Sanchez  
Stephanie Shippey  
Kat Stapes  
Dan Stuart  
John Swearingen  
Erik Wilkinson  
Terri Wilson  
Kaylee Youngblood

- Introduction and Welcome (Andrew)
- Approval of minutes (Andrew)- Kat makes a motion to approve the minutes. Cynthia seconds the motion. Minutes have been approved.
- Director
  - No news about Library Renovation.
  - No news about hiring an Executive Director.
  - June 19th is a holiday. We have that day off.
  - SCCC/MLA will be meeting in New Orleans this fall. Registration is opening up at the end of June.
  - Congratulations to Kate and Erik because they will be presenting at SCC. They put together a class on 3D Printing and Medical Imaging. It will be Friday, September 22nd. At least 7 people need to sign up for it to make.
  - On June 13th, there will be an Institutional Master Planning Town Hall from 2-4 pm in the ACB building. Not sure if the branches can participate remotely. Lubbock employees are encouraged to attend.
  - On June 14th, Andrew has been invited to an Institutional Master Planning Workshop from 9 am - 4 pm.

- The President made a surprise visit a couple Fridays ago. She was looking at the Methodology lab and walking around. She said she was looking at the 3rd floor and decided to come down to the 2nd floor.
- Budget-wise: most of budget prep has been done. We are still finalizing everything. If there is anything you're needing to replace, please get requests in by the end of July. Get requests in to Cynthia, and we'll see what we can do. As far as supplies go, it would be better to use up FY23 funds if you need anything.
- Performance reviews need to be completed by the end of July, especially if you wish to be considered for a merit increase for September.
- Kat: Yoga In Libraries at TTU-- There is a class on the 14th. On Zoom.
- New Items
  - Gold Rush - Paul - reminder that Gold Rush is no longer available, as our subscription ended. There are still some Gold Rush links on some LibGuides. If you want us to do it, we can remove the link entirely and just leave the text.
  - library.lt@ttuhsc.edu distribution list - Paul- If you have any library IT needs, please use our distribution list above. It just saves us some time if you would always email that.
  - EndNote 21 released - Paul- We now have access to EndNote 21. Special thanks to Peggy, Amy, and Patrick for getting us what we need.
  - TTUHSC I.T. new work order system -Paul- If you are using the Star system directly, that system will reach end of life soon. There will be a new system. Same URL will work, but it looks quite different.
  - New version of Koha coming - Paul - Don't have an upgrade date. Probably late summer, early fall.
- Committees
  - Trends (Daniel)- nothing to report
  - Scholarly Communications (Burnett) - nothing to report
  - Evidence Synthesis Committee (Peggy)- See attachment.
- El Paso (Lisa) - Lisa has a new supervisor starting this month. This will be her 5th supervisor since she's been there. The AEC library is officially closing July 15th. They are in the process of hiring movers. El Paso can't let anyone who is not a student use PaperCut because of taxes.

- Discussion- We have the summer potluck on the 21st in Lubbock.
- Questions/Closure

## Library Faculty Meeting 06-07-2023 - Evidence Synthesis Committee Report

### Evidence Synthesis Committee

Members are: Stephanie Shippey, Amy Faltinek, Margaret Burnett, Shannon Harris, Kat Stapes, Dan Stuart, Travis Real, and Peggy Edwards, chair

The e-book *Principles and Practice of Systematic Reviews and Meta-Analysis* that Dan found is now available through Koha.

I am working on a scoping review on Standardized Direct Observation Tools for Dr. Cameran Mecham an ER resident. SDOT's are a procedure skill evaluation and feedback tool. He will be presenting at a trauma meeting in Tokoyo in September. I had a meeting with him and Dr. Stephanie Stroeve from Biostatistics regarding search terms and preliminary searches.

I sent links and PDF's for a number of documents on scoping reviews and Covidence to April Petersen, a student who is working on Ron Hall's scoping review.

I have communicated with Kat Stapes and Dr. Alyce Ashcraft regarding her review. I sent a copy of my JBI Study Types and Question Frameworks document to Dr. Ashcraft. She said she was going to use parts of it in a class that she teaches. Dr. Ashcraft is Associate Dean for Research and Scholarship in the School of Nursing.

I have an appointment on Friday with Dr. Ben Baronia to discuss his review.

Yesterday, I participated in MLA's webinar "Managing Systematic Reviews with Covidence."

John Swearingen has read a number of documents on scoping and systematic reviews in preparation for a beginning team meeting with Dr. Laura Gonzalez-Reyes, a resident at the Permian Basin. John is currently reading "Principles and Practice of Systematic Reviews and Meta-Analysis." We will be meeting with that team later this month.

Dan Stuart is working on 3 basic reviews, 2 scoping reviews, and 1 systematic review.

Margaret Burnett is working on 1 literature review.

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