

Staff Advisory Group

5.16.19

Anne Barker – SAG Chair

- Outlined agenda for meeting: Announcements from Ann, lightning talk presentations for those who have attended recent conferences.
- Will be accepting nominations for SAG Vice-Chair and Recorder. Please email nominations to Anne Barker.

Ann Campion Riley – Vice Provost for University Libraries

- Budget
 - We will be taking a 3% cut of \$500,000 which is less than most departments.
 - Ann will be asking for the bailout funding to cover the journal costs that are rising higher than the cost of inflation.
- Space Update
 - We will be meeting with Shepley Bulfinch this Monday as we provide input for their final report.
 - Ann will be meeting with Gerald Morgan to discuss status of proposals for space in Ellis.
- Open Access
 - The System Open Access task force has met twice. They are evaluating the current industry to make a recommendation to the President on our ongoing relations with large journals.
- Disaster Manual
 - The disaster manual is being revised.
 - The recent emergency in the Bookmark Café was referenced.
 - It was encouraged that Security and Communications work closely to ensure all relevant information is being distributed.
- Budget Advisory Committees
 - We would like as many librarians on these budget committees. The best strategy is to wait for the list to come out to see if we can recommend any additional librarians.

Lightning Talks

- Ernest Shaw – IT will be moving to a central domain for computer login and email. Staff will be required to restart their computer to activate updates. It was suggested to download directions from an email you will receive in the near future. For those that will be away during the implementation, please be sure to turn off your computer before you leave.
- Steven Pryor - Misinformation
- Felicity Dykas - Cyberterrorism and Protecting your research data
- Anne Barker – ACRL panel IPASS systems
- Noel Kopriva – Survey of Engineering Library student usage

Note from Grace: ULSAC started a librarian of the year award and Noel Kopriva was their first recipient.

Q/A: Some questions were asked about presentations.

Celebration of Service: May 30th with a Staff Photo opportunity at 11am.

Next SAG: June 11 at 10-11:30am