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Events

Upcoming Events

Dissertation Writers Retreat (DWR) Summer Retreat
Monday, June 3, and Wednesday, June 5, 9 AM-4 PM, McWherter Library 2nd Floor Commons

Are you working on your dissertation, thesis, or other academic writing? This free event is geared toward master's and doctoral students who are currently working on their thesis, dissertation, or other academic writing and focuses on improving writing and writing skills, completing a project, and what to do afterward. There will be lunch, presentations, writing blocks, and opportunities for writing consultations. Learn more>

New Student Orientation Academic Advising Sessions will occur from noon to 5 p.m. in McWherter Library most Tuesdays and Thursdays, June 4 through August 1. There will also be NSOs on Friday, June 21, Wednesday, June 26, and Friday, June 28 in June. Incoming students will use the computers in the 1st Floor Commons, Government Publications, the sandbox, and Instruction Room 225.

Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day will occur on Wednesday, June 5. McWherter Library will participate in this University event and Human Resources will lead the day with a full agenda. Ash Tierney (Gov Pubs) and Ashley Roach-Freiman (RIS) will participate in the morning's breakfast and Q&A to be held in the UC. For the McWherter presentations that will take place between 9 a.m. and 12:30 p.m., the following have volunteered to participate: Perveen Rustomfram (GovPubs), Bess Robinson (RIS), Ben Lankford (sandbox), Caitlin Harrington (IAS), and Brigitte Billeaudeaux (Special Collections).

UM3D Training

UM3D offers Canvas and Microsoft Teams training every week. To view the full schedule, visit the UM3D Events Calendar>

The Digital Commons
Did you know the Digital Commons has a C.H. Nash Museum at Chucalissa collection?

The collection includes photos of excavations, artifacts, and contemporary Native Americans, as well as videos and documents.

View the collection now>

C.H. Nash Museum at Chucalissa, a division of the UoF,M, protects the Chucalissa archaeological site’s cultural and natural environments, and provides educational, participatory, and research opportunities on the landscape’s past and present Native American and traditional cultures.

Learn more about C.H. Nash Museum at Chucalissa>
Did you know the sandbox houses the Libraries comic book and graphic novel collection?

The collection of comic books and graphic novels includes series such as *Black Panther*, *Monstress*, *Moon Girl and Devil Dinosaur*, *Tokyo Ghoul*, *The Unbeatable Squirrel Girl*, and more. Visit the McWherter Library 1st floor sandbox creatorspace and browse the collection!

Announcements
Roderick Burns is no longer at the Libraries. Best wishes, Roderick!

Carl Hess and Jessica McClure presented “Pooling Our Expertise: Creating Information Literacy and Writing Tutorials with a Cross-Campus Team” at the Library Instruction Together 2024 Retreat with Meredith Boulden. Congrats!

Check out the current book and Gov Pubs displays in McWherter Library rotunda:

- #NoDietDay book display by Anna Kirby, also available virtually here>
- Mother’s Day book display by Niki Nikmard Tehrani, also available virtually here>
- Gov Pubs Bird Migration display by Betsy Eckert.

McWherter Library will resume regular hours for the Summer Term through August 2:

- Monday-Thursday, 7:30am-Midnight
- Friday, 7:30am-6pm
- Saturday, 10am-6pm
- Sunday, 1-10pm.

Juneteenth on June 19 is the next University holiday. View all University holidays here.
Contact & Follow Us

- Planning events for the summer or next semester? Plan at least a month ahead! We have a Marketing Resources page on the Libraries intranet site. Be sure to review this page for your event and marketing requests. It contains many FAQs that will help you plan.

- Want something included in the weekly email, monthly newsletter, or on social media? Email the Libraries marketing team at lib_marketing@memphis.edu.

- Don’t forget to follow @UofMLibraries on Facebook, X (formerly known as Twitter), Instagram and YouTube to learn about upcoming events, interesting resources, and more! Highlighted events can also be found on the Libraries homepage.