

ADDED ENTRIES!



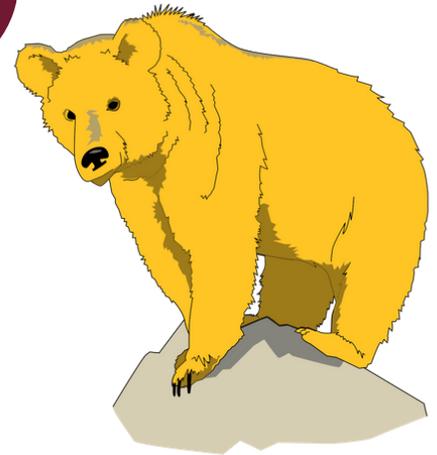
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The Chair Speaks



12/6/18

Dear Alumni,

We are just wrapping up the last day of our classes today and I thought it would be a nice time to reflect on where we are in the department today, much of which is due to your continued and strong support of our programs. Our library science undergraduate program enrollment was resilient this Fall and we are hoping to continue that trend, so please remember to recommend our program to any high school students who love the library as much as we all do!

Our graduate programs are also growing in leaps and bounds. With more students enrolling, it means we need more faculty. Of course, we are missing one of our all-time favorite faculty librarians this year, Nancy Latanision, who retired in June 2018. To fill our vacant position, we welcomed in several new adjunct faculty members this year, who are now just wrapping up their first semester with us. In fact, you may know some of them!

Cathi Fuhrman from Hemsfield SD, Emily Calaman from Schuykill Valley SD, and Matt Laubscher from NJ have all joined us this Fall and will be coming back in Spring 2019. Emily is about to become a mother for the first time, so we are all eagerly anticipating that awesome event! Duane Wallace, who recently completed his PhD in Instructional Technology from Lehigh University, will be joining us in Spring 2019 to teach one of our undergraduate instructional technology courses. So, you can see, there are some new faces around the department this year!

In early November, we had a wonderful turn out for Paul Acamparo during our annual Teen Library Day, and our Fall Book Review, just a few weeks ago, was a big hit as well! Many thanks to our Graduate Assistant, Megan Keenan, and our Office Coordinator, Julie Setliff, for their amazing facilitation of these events. I don't know how we would do it without them!

We wish you all a Happy Holiday and the very best of New Years!

Best regards,

Dr. Andrea Harmer
Chair for the Department of Library & Learning Technologies
Kutztown University





TEEN LIBRARY DAY 2018!

This year, the Library & Learning Technologies Department hosted author Paul Acampora for Teen Library Day! There were 11 different high schools and middle schools in attendance, amounting to over 300 students and teachers in the audience. This annual event was held in Schaeffer Auditorium on Friday November 2nd, 2018.

Mr. Acampora quickly enraptured his young audience and had them laughing throughout his presentation. Students even had the opportunity to get involved in role-playing scenes... one even involving a T-rex and a sword fight! (pictured below)

Following the presentation, students participated in a Q&A session, where they asked the author questions about his process as a writer, his books, and more. A raffle was also held, where students had the chance to win all kinds of Kutztown University goodies! Students then had the opportunity to tour our beautiful campus (albeit in the rain!).

We'd like to thank Mr. Acampora for sharing his story, and we look forward to the next Teen Library Day!



2018 Fall Book Review!

The 2018 Fall Book Review took place on November 27th in Boehm Science Center, Rm 145. Presenters at the event included KU staff and students like Karen Wanamaker, Cynthia Stunkard and Brittany Harris, as well as librarians and teachers from across the county. These presenters shared reviews of their favorite selections from last year's Spring Book Review. After the wonderful assortment of presentations, over 100 books were taken home by the attendees. These books will be reviewed and published in the 2018 Spring Review Book, which will be revealed at the event on April 23, 2019.



You can access the PDF of the 2018 Fall Book Review on the Library & Learning Technologies website!



INDUCTION CEREMONY

Alpha Beta Alpha

FRIDAY NOVEMBER 30, 2018



Congratulations new inductees!

Elizabeth Matz

Jessie Ziolkowski

Katherine Emmett

Laura Conaway

BOOKS

PEOPLE

SERVICE

LIFE



21st Annual Kutztown University



CHILDREN'S LITERATURE CONFERENCE

SATURDAY
APRIL 13, 2019

McFarland Student Union Building



SPRING BOOK REVIEW

APRIL 23 2019

7-9 P.M.

BOEHM SCIENCE CENTER, RM 145



BS.ED
MARIA BILYNSKY
MCKAYLA STODDART

ms
SARAH STROUSE
JESSICA MILLER

CONGRATULATIONS
December
Graduates!

M.ED ITC
LORI BERRYMAN
CAREY FREEMAN
JULIE GORDON
JULIE GULLING
EMILY HARNE

M.ED ITC
ANGELINA HOOK
TONI KEMMERER
LINCOLN KENNEDY
STACIE KNEHR-KUTZ
JESSICA MASTROMATTO

AUBREY PACE
DAVID STAUB
NICHOLE WHITTAKER
JULIA YOUNG

YOUR Added Entries!

Do you have some news that you'd like to share with your old classmates? Send an e-mail to libsci@kutztown.edu with announcements, marriages, births, degrees, career advancements and more, to be featured in the next *Added Entries!*

