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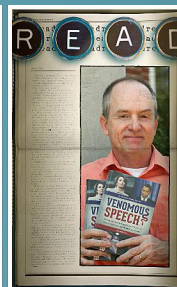
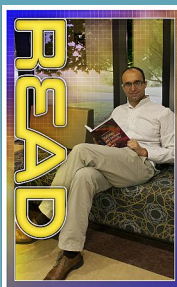
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Faculty Scholar Spotlight



On October 16, the Salmon Library partnered with the Office of Academic Affairs to give recognition to UAH faculty authors with recently published books. Dr. Christine Curtis, Provost, and David Moore, Library Director, gave an introduction before the authors themselves presented brief histories and anecdotes about the writing process. As part of the celebration, ALA-style "READ" posters were given to the authors, a sample can be seen, below.



One-on-One Research Consultations

Whether you are looking to refine your literature review, to know the differences between ScienceDirect and Scopus, or anything else, the Salmon Library's One-on-One Research Consultations are personal sessions tailored to fit your needs. If you are interested in a consultation, just look for this icon on the library homepage. Students, Faculty, and Staff all welcome.

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The Call Number Interviews

Dennis Hite
(Engineering)



How do you use the UAH library? For most of my reading, when I need to know something, I look it up in the academic journals. I use the UAH library through online access. Being able to access everything online is why I like the library. It's so user-friendly. I might read a journal article or an academic paper, and I can use that locally or at home. I can get to what I need quickly, I can read the material, and I can do so for free.

Why do you think that the UAH library is important? The library is important because it has a wealth of information. If you are looking for research topics or reports, the more you read, the better off you're going to be. You can generate ideas & information out of what you read. It's really important. And the library gives students a gathering place for group-study type activities. Working in the library gives you some structure - not like you're trying to study at home in the garage. (Which is not to say that good things can't happen in a garage.)

One thing that you would like to remind your students is... You need to be consistent in your actions, continuously striving to meet the challenges. Take responsibility for your education. Realize that things aren't always going to go your way, but if you hang in there, everything will be OK.

Check Study Room Availability Online

Use the study rooms at the library but want to know how many are available before coming over? Now you can check this information online!

uah.edu/library/services/study-rooms

Room 122	Seats 5	A
Open		B
Room 123	Seats 8	C
Open		D
Room 128	Seats 8	E
Open		

<http://uah.edu/library>
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Library Events

Refined Researchers Spring 2015 Schedule

- January -

13/15: The Mark of Zotero
(on the free citation manager, Zotero)

20/21: This Is the Endnote
(on the citation manager, Endnote)

27: Researching Company Info Online
(using free web resources for company research)

- February -

3: The Left Side of [Copy]right
(the history+philosophy of copyleft and how to use)

9: Google Power Searching
(advanced tricks for the famous search engine)

17: Now It's Personal
(researching with biographical databases and tools)

24: The Return of Zotero
(advanced Zotero tips and tricks)

26: Welcome to the Future History of the Book
(the future [and past] of information technology)

- March -

4: Accessing Government Info Online
(free government document and data research)

10: Endnote 2: Endnote Strikes Back
(advanced tips for the Endnote Citation manager)

12: Get Some Culture
(cross-culture research using a few key resources)

19: Alumni Access at the Library
(what alumni access involves and how to get it)

What's a **Refined Researcher**? Here at the Salmon Library, we offer a series of *free, open-to-all* classes designed to help you learn more about a variety of topics: from copyright law to researching businesses to using citation managers to how comics are used in the classroom.

No reservation necessary, and learners of all levels are welcome. If you see any that interest you, visit our homepage at uah.edu/library for more information, or contact the reference desk at erefq@uah.edu or (256)824-6529.

- March (cont) -

31: This Book has PICTURES in It
(comics and graphic novels and their use in education)

- April -

1: The Wide Weird Wacky World of Science Reporting

(science research beyond the journal article)

9: Oh the CITES You'll See!

(tracking how journal articles are actually used)

16: Job Hunting 101

(tools to hunt for jobs and to make yourself known)



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Rainy Street Stories



John William Davis **Rainy Street Stories:**

Reflections on Secret Wars, Espionage, and Terrorism

Author Talk. February 12, 2015. 5:30pm. Salmon Library Room 111. Open to everyone.



In October, Mr. Blane Dessy an executive director from the Library of Congress visited the UAH Library, the USSRC and the Redstone Scientific Information Center. Mr. Dessy was here to assist in evaluating the collections and offer guidance and support in long term planning for these collections. (L-R: David Moore, Library Director; Dr. Suzy Young, Director of the UAH Office of Proposal Development; Mr. Blane Dessy, Executive Director of the Federal Library and Information Network at the Library of Congress; and Dr. Deborah Barnhart, CEO, U.S. Space and Rocket Center. Photo taken at Space and Rocket Center Archives.)



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