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### Scheduled Events

#### Digital Library Brown Bag Series

TITLE: Investigating AV Use in Humanities Research: Results from the Avalon User Needs Assessment

DATE: Wednesday, September 12, 2018

TIME: 12:00pm-1:00pm

PLACE: Wells Library, E159 (Hazelbaker Hall)

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Watch the presentation here: <https://IU.zoom.us/j/890205369>

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Which software tools and services are common when working with time-based media in humanities research? What are common frustrations? How do researchers access, annotate, and search across digital AV collections? While researcher use of physical and textual media has been a frequent subject of study, few investigations have been made on humanities researchers who do significant work with audiovisual materials. Through interviews, observations, and diaries of research activities, the Avalon User Needs Assessment study aimed to learn more about these researchers and their practices.

In this presentation, observations and results from the study will be discussed: information on how researchers access and reference materials, common media formats used, frequent pitfalls and challenges, and analysis of software they find essential to their day to day activities. Discussion will include common needs and desired features, and how software platforms such as Avalon Media System can be improved to meet the unique needs of research users.

You can also follow and contribute to the presentation and discussion on twitter: #dlbb.

The Digital Library Brown Bag series is held Wednesdays in the Herman B Wells Library from 12:00-1:00 pm EST. The complete schedule, including abstracts, is available at: <http://libraries.indiana.edu/digital-library-brown-bag-series>.

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*Submitted by Nick Homenda, Digital Initiatives Librarian, Digital Collections Services*

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## Upcoming Retirement: Lynda Fuller Clendenning

TITLE: Lynda Fuller Clendenning Retirement Reception

DATE: Thursday, September 27, 2018

TIME: 2:00pm-4:00pm

LOCATION: Wells Library Staff Lounge

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After a successful career in academic libraries, Lynda Fuller Clendenning has decided that it is time to retire at the end of September.

Lynda joined the IU Libraries on September 23, 2002 as the Head of the Acquisitions department, a position she has held for sixteen years. While pursuing dual master's degrees in History (M.A.) and Library Science (M.L.S.), Lynda worked at the University of Maryland Libraries. In 1990, she began her professional career at the University of Virginia Libraries where she progressed from the Head of the Serials Unit, Cataloging Department to the Director of the Acquisitions and Preservation Department. Lynda served as the interim Director, Harrison Institute for American History, Literature and Culture and the Albert H. Small Special Collections Library her last two years at UVA.

Throughout her sixteen years within the Libraries' Technical Services operations, Lynda has provided invaluable leadership for all acquisitions activities -- always with the goal of ensuring library users with timely access to materials. Lynda has served in several leadership roles within professional organizations, delivered many presentations, and authored numerous articles during her career. Her many achievements in the field of librarianship are the direct result of her hard work and passion for libraries.

A retirement reception will be held for Lynda on Thursday, September 27th, from 2:00-4:00 pm in the Wells Library Staff Lounge (remarks at 2:30). All library staff are invited to thank Lynda for her service and wish her well in her retirement.

*Submitted by: Mechael D. Charbonneau, Associate Dean for Technical Services & Preservation*

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## Staff News

### Allison Chaplin Accepts Position

I'm delighted to announce that Allison Chaplin has accepted the position of Assistant Acquisitions Editor with Indiana University Press. Allison comes to us from Author Solutions where she was a content evaluator. She holds a B.A. in Journalism and Spanish from Indiana University. Her first day will be September 10. Please join me in welcoming Allison to the Press.

*Submitted by Dee Mortensen, Editorial Director, Indiana University Press*

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