This Week in IUL News

- Digital Library Brown Bag Series
- Staff News

Library News and Events

Digital Library Brown Bag Series

TITLE: Maps for Our Maps: Improving Access to Historic Maps with Interactive Indexes
PRESENTER: Theresa Quill, Social Sciences Data & GIS Librarian
DATE: September 16, 2015
TIME: 12:00pm-1:00pm
PLACE: Wells Library, E159 (Hazelbaker Hall)
Save to my Calendar

Watch the presentation here: http://connect.iu.edu/diglib
(If you are not a registered Connect user, select "Enter as Guest".)

The Herman B Wells Library at Indiana University has been digitizing its collection of Soviet Military Topographic maps from 1880 to the 1940s. These maps were created by the Soviet Military for internal intelligence purposes and classified as top secret. During World War II, some sheets were captured by German forces and were later captured by the U.S. Military. These maps bear stamps from Nazi Germany and are marked "captured map." After the fall of the Soviet Union, many more maps made their way to libraries across the United States, including the library at Indiana University.

Previously, in order for a user to find these topographic maps, he or she must be able to read an old and unclear index map to determine the appropriate sheet. This is especially vexing in the case of Eastern Europe, where borders and place names changed frequently in the early 20th Century. Based on a framework… [read full abstract here: https://libraries.indiana.edu/maps-our-maps-improving-access-historic-maps-interactive-indexes]

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.

Job Postings

Librarian

Associate Dean for Collection Development and Archival Collections
IU Bloomington

Head, Teaching & Learning
IU Bloomington

Research Data Management Librarian
IU Bloomington

Associate Director for Public Services
Ruth Lilly Medical Library

Professional Staff

DevOps Engineer, Avalon Media System
IU Bloomington

Director of Communications
IU Bloomington

Web Programmer/Analyst
IU Bloomington

Head, Digital Media Software Development
IU Bloomington

Support Staff

Administrative Secretary - Administration
IU Bloomington

Exhibition Assistant - Lilly Library
IU Bloomington

To receive a reminder and an abstract for each presentation, send an email to iulist@iulist.indiana.edu with the message body: sub dl-brownbag-l Your Full Name

For full Scholars' Commons workshop schedule, please visit www.libraries.indiana.edu/workshops

Submitted by Nick Homenda, Digital Initiatives Librarian

back to to

Staff News

Paulette Davidson Resigns

Paulette Davidson has resigned from the position of Administrative Secretary in the Administration Offices effective September 16, 2015. Paulette has accepted a new position as the Student Services Assistant for Economics in Wylie Hall. Please join me in congratulating Paulette on her new position.

Submitted by Sally Nicholson, Human Resources Coordinator

back to top

Kimberly Horne Resigns

Kimberly Horne has resigned from the position of Public Services Coordinator for Government Information, Maps and Microform Services effective September 25, 2015.

Submitted by Nicholas Wyant, Head, Social Sciences

back to to

ALF Internal Processing Manager
IU Bloomington

Senior Collections Reference Assistant
IU Bloomington

IU Libraries Newsletters

CeDIR Citings
(News from the CeDIR Library, IUB)

Check It Out!
(News from the IU Kokomo Library)

Gateway
(News from the IUPUI University Library, Indianapolis)

Helmke Highlights
(News from the Walter E. Helmke Library, Fort Wayne)

IU Northwest Library Newsletter
(News from the Indiana University Northwest Library, Gary)

IU South Bend Libraries News
(News from the Franklin D. Schurz Library, South Bend)

News and Views
(News from the Indiana University Robert H. McKinney School of Law, Indianapolis)

The Red Journal
(News from the Ruth Lilly Medical Library, IUPUI)

IU Libraries Blogs

Blackgrooves
(Archives of African American Music and Culture, IUB)

BLAWg IN Bloom
(Maurer School of Law, IUB)

Blogging Hoosier History
(IU Archives and Records Management)

Center for Disability Information & Referral
(IUB)

ET2 Blog
(Government Information, Maps, and

Microform Services, IUB)

Film Archives
(IUB)

GLBT Library Blog
(IUB)

Herron Art Library Blog
(Herron Art Library, IUPUI)

InformU
(Business/SPEA Information Commons, IUB)

IUCAT Beta Blog
(IUCAT Beta)

IT Training Tips
(University IT Services)

IU Library East Blog
(IU East)

IUL Preservation Blog
(E. Lingle Craig Preservation Lab, IUB)

IUPUI Center for Digital Scholarship
(IUPUI University Library Center for Digital Scholarship)

OLE@IU
(IUB)

Lilly Library News and Notes
(IUB)

Media Beat
(Media Reserve Services, IUB)

Medical Library News
(Ruth Lilly Medical Library, IUPUI)

reDUX
(Discovery & Research Services Department, IUB)

RLLL Blog
(Ruth Lilly Law Library, IUPUI)

Schurz Library News
(IUSB)

Wells Reference Blog
(IUB)

Wylie House Museum Blog
(IUB)

Other Resources

IU Libraries
- Twitter
- Facebook Page

Franklin D. Schurz Library, IUSB
- Twitter
- Facebook Page

HathiTrust Digital Library
- Monthly Newsletters

Herman B Wells Library, IUB
- Flicker
- Facebook Page

IU East Campus Library
- Facebook Page

IUPUI University Library Center for Digital Scholarship
- Twitter

Maurer Law Library, IUB
- Twitter
- Facebook Page
- Pinterest

Ruth Lilly Medical Library, IUPUI
- Twitter
- Facebook Page

Ruth Lilly Special Collections and Archives, IUPUI University Library
- Twitter
- Facebook Page

Walter E. Helmke Library, IPFW
- Twitter
- Facebook Page

William and Gayle Cook Music Library
- Twitter
- Facebook Page

Wylie House Museum, IUB
- Facebook Page

University Library, IUPUI
- Twitter
- Facebook Page