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Transformational Change: The 9th Annual Health Science Lively Lunch

Friday, November 6, 2009

Speaker: *Pat Thibodeau* - Associate Dean for Library Services, Duke University Medical Library (*)
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DEVELOPMENTS

Economy, flu resources, NIH Mandate, journals: free to fee-based & other changes, webinars...

News, and trends that occurred or were noted since Charleston Conference 2008. This list is not meant to be comprehensive and does not necessarily endorse or critique the sites, products or companies listed... Sources for "Developments" items include: MLA Collection Development Section's discussion list; SLA Division of Biology and Life Sciences' <http://units.sla.org/division/dbio/medicalsection/inside/news.html>; LJ Academic NewsWire; Inside HigherEd; NLM site...

(*) Transformational Change in Health Science Libraries: Space, Collection, Roles

*The 2009 Charleston Conf. Lively Lunch theme was inspired in part by the theme of a conference hosted April 2, 2009 by Penn State Hershey College of Medicine, George T. Harrell Health Sciences Library. The conference site includes presenters' (*Pat Thibodeau's and others') PowerPoint presentations, podcasts and videocasts. Also included are a bibliography, key points of the discussions and links to relevant websites.*

<http://nmlm.gov/mar/about/spaceplanning/index.html>

Signs of the times? Samples:

2010 journal prices (frozen to 2009 levels) including Scientific Technical Medical (STM)

Compiled by Ad Hoc Committee for Advocating Scholarly Communications information, Medical Library Association; Announced: July 2009; last updated: September 22, 2009

http://www.mlanet.org/resources/publish/sc_2010-prices.html

Discussion: <http://www.library.yale.edu/~llicense/ListArchives/0908/msg00003.html>

Duke University Medical Center Library: Resources have changed, the Library's budget was cut...

<http://www.mclibrary.duke.edu/about/news/ln08-09.html>

Canceled Databases: *"Given the difficult financial times...the pricing model was no longer sustainable..."*

<http://www.mclibrary.duke.edu/databases/canceled/>

H1N1 Flu resources (government & private sector)

<http://www.flu.gov/>

Influenza Evidence-Based Information Portal

<http://www.ebscohost.com/flu/>

October 2009

The STM Report: "An overview of scientific and scholarly journal publishing"

A follow-up to the 2006 report, "Scientific publishing in transition: an overview of current developments"

http://www.stm-assoc.org/2009_10_13_Press_Release_The_STM_Report.pdf

http://www.stm-assoc.org/2009_10_13_MWC_STM_Report.pdf

World Library of Toxicology

Partnership with the USA National Library of Medicine (NLM), the International Union of Toxicology (IUTOX), and the Institute of Neurotoxicology and Neurological Disorders (INND).

<http://toxipedia.org/display/wlt/Welcome>

Redesign of the PubMed interface

“While retaining the robust functionality, the interface was simplified to make it easier to use while promoting scientific discovery.”

http://www.nlm.nih.gov/pubs/techbull/so09/so09_pm_redesign.html#note2

Ovid Webcast: Acquiring Scholarly Content: Putting Rankings and Reviews to Work for You

SPONSORED BY: Ovid and Library Journal (October 29, 2009); Eigenfactor...

<http://www.ovid.com/site/index.jsp>

<http://event.on24.com/r.htm?e=166266&s=1&k=6D75E24F2D2375F856F603711104F3FE>

Other 2009 Webinars included:

+ **Maximize Your Budget-3 parts (Swets)**

how Swets ScholarlyStats can help you reach better e-resource decisions

+ **Returning the Researcher to the Library-4 Parts (SerialsSolutions)**

+ **LibraryZone eBook Summit (Springer)**

Wolters Kluwer Health separates LCMEI from any Wolters Kluwer legal entity that markets products or activities... *Dr. Karen Overstreet appointed Executive Director of Lippincott CME Institute*

http://www.ovid.com/site/about/press_release_2009-10-22CME.jsp

<http://www.lww.com/resources/cmeinfo/index.html>

Science Translational Medicine (AAAS, v.1 #1, October 2009)

<http://stm.sciencemag.org/>

Exploring Cultural and Linguistic Services in the Nation's Hospitals: A Report of Findings &

Developing Proposed Requirements to Advance Effective Communication, Cultural Competence, and Patient-Centered Care for the Hospital Accreditation Program

<http://www.jointcommission.org/Patientsafety/HLC>

September 2009

PubMed Central releases new search option for embargoed articles

http://www.nlm.nih.gov/pubs/techbull/so09/so09_pmc_embargoed_articles.html

Images from the History of Medicine available through the NLM Gateway

Includes nearly 70,000 images from the HMD historical collections

http://www.nlm.nih.gov/pubs/techbull/so09/so09_gateway_ihm.html

PNAS has announced that it is abandoning the two-tiered system in July 2010

<http://www.pnas.org/content/early/2009/09/08/0909515106.full.pdf>

Peer review failure?

<http://www.insidehighered.com/news/2009/09/14/pnas>

The Public Library of Science (PLOS) adds article-level metrics

<http://www.plos.org/cms/node/485>

SciVal (Elsevier): first two products: 1) SciVal Funding & 2) SciVal Spotlight

"...a pioneering suite of research tools that helps you evaluate, establish and execute your research strategies more effectively." 1: funding intelligence solution/integrated award data; 2: co-citation analysis.

<http://www.scival.com/>

August 2009

The National Library of Medicine (NLM) launches "Rapid Research Notes" archive

Archives research made available through online venues for rapid scientific communication

http://www.nlm.nih.gov/pubs/techbull/so09/so09_rapid_research_notes.html

<http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/rrn/>

SpringerImages

"Unique to SpringerImages, users not only search the caption of the images but also search sentences from the full text which refer to the image... Springer only distributes content it legally owns or for which it has been granted distribution rights."

<http://www.springerimages.com/>

Medical papers by ghostwriters pushed therapy

"ghostwriters paid by a pharmaceutical company played a major role in producing 26 scientific papers backing the use of hormone replacement therapy in women..."

http://www.nytimes.com/2009/08/05/health/research/05ghost.html?_r=3&hp

July 2009

PLoS One --the world's third largest journal

Projected to publish about 4,300 articles in 2009, making it the world's third largest journal (and already the world's largest non-physics journal). In 2010, PLoS One projected to publish 8,000 articles, which would make it the world's largest scholarly journal, by far.

<http://www.poeticeconomics.blogspot.com/.../dramatic-growth-of-plos-one-soon-to-be.html>

EBSCO Publishing acquires AgeLine (formerly produced by AARP)

<http://www2.ebsco.com/EN-US/NEWSCENTER/Pages/ViewArticle.aspx?QSID=304>

http://www.aarp.org/research/surveys/stats/demo/agingtrends/articles/ageline_database.html

June 2009

NPG and Scientific American merge into a single business

http://www.nature.com/press_releases/scientificamerican.html

The Evidence Behind Point of Care Products / Andrea Ketchum and Ahlam Saleh

From presentation at 2009 Medical Library Association conference. Compares five POC products included in the study were UpToDate, Clinical Evidence, ACP PIER, DynaMed, and FIRSTConsult.

<http://www.hsls.pitt.edu/updatereport/?p=2050>

May 2009

Elsevier published 6 fake journals / "Merck published fake journal"

<http://www.earlham.edu/~peters/fos/2009/05/elsevier-confirms-6-fake-journals-more.html>

<http://www.the-scientist.com/blog/display/55671>

April 2009

Top 100 Journals in Biology and Medicine

In conjunction with SLA's Centennial, poll conducted by SLA's BioMedical & Life Sciences Division to identify the 100 most influential journals of Biology & Medicine over the last 100 years.

<http://units.sla.org/division/dbio/publications/resources/dbio100.html>

Journal of Visualized Experiments (JoVE) "Goes Closed Access"

"A peer reviewed, PubMed indexed journal devoted to the publication of biological research in a video format. ..."
(Launched October 2006, went from "free" to fee-based, citing the "higher than usual costs".)

<http://www.jove.com/>

<http://www.the-scientist.com/blog/display/55598/>

Cochrane Library now free for all Canadians

http://www.media.uottawa.ca/mediaroom/news-details_1661.html

AAMC (Association of American Medical Colleges) launches MedEdPORTAL 2.0 repository and Web site

<http://www.aamc.org/mededportal>

March 2009

The Omnibus Appropriations Act of 2009 makes the NIH Public Access Policy permanent

March 19, 2009

<http://publicaccess.nih.gov/policy.htm>

NLM launches a new NLM Journal Donation Program

Ensures that NLM's holdings of journals, indexes, and other serials are as complete as possible.

http://www.nlm.nih.gov/pubs/techbull/ma09/ma09_journal_donation_system.html

Thomson Reuters unveils InCites: customized Web-based solution- tools demonstrate the impact and importance of an institution's research

<http://science.thomsonreuters.com/press/2009/8507893/>

Elsevier Grand Challenge- winners announced

June 2008 launch: invited researchers to prototype tools dealing with the ever-increasing amount of online life sciences information...

<http://www.elseviergrandchallenge.com/>

Role of Health Sciences Librarians in Patient Safety Position Statement

<http://www.mlanet.org/government/positions/patient-safety.html>

January 2009

Embo Journal: new initiatives (3 major changes in 2009), transparent editorial process

<http://www.nature.com/emboj/journal/v28/n1/full/emboj2008250a.html>

December 2008

Doody's Review Service and Doody's Core Titles 2009 enhancements

Electronic titles identified; Brandon/Hill icons; monthly newsletter.

<http://www.doody.com/dct/>

IJCEP- International Journal of Clinical and Experimental Pathology (founded in 2008)

"Unlike most other open access online journals, IJCEM will keep all the traditional features of paper print that we are all familiar with, such as a unique cover page for every single issue, continuous volume and issue numbers, as well as continuous page numbers to keep our warm feelings towards an academic journal..."

<http://www.ijcep.com/>

