INTRODUCTION

This annual report has been prepared to share information on the activities and accomplishments of the staff of the Aubrey R. Watzek Library during the 2013/2014 fiscal year. The report is presented as follows:

2 SUMMARY
   Brief descriptions of major accomplishments during the year

3 ACCOMPLISHMENTS
   Details of accomplishments made within specific departments or areas within the Library

5 LIBRARY EVENTS
   Significant special activities undertaken within the Library during the year

7 STATISTICS
   Basic statistics on collections, services and facilities

This report was prepared from departmental reports and input from Library staff under the editorial guidance of Elaine Hirsch, Associate Director of the Library. If you have questions or would like additional information on any aspect of this report, please let me know.

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SUMMARY: 2013-2014

For the first time in nearly two decades, Watzek Library staff came together with colleagues at Boley Law Library to implement a new library management system. Under the coordination and leadership of Access Services Manager Rick Peterson, the two libraries and their various departments successfully transitioned their work to the new system, overcoming many obstacles with a mixture of tenacity and ingenuity.

We are now live on the back office (Alma) and the public search interface (Primo) sides of the new system. Shared with other libraries in the Orbis Cascade Alliance consortium, the system will provide the capacity we need to support advanced discovery and management of library resources in the years ahead.

Over the course of the year, the Watzek Library Space Needs Assessment Task Force examined study spaces, technology, service points, and collection/exhibit spaces in the library using a variety of tools including surveys, focus groups and meetings with stakeholders. The task force developed recommendations for improvements that will serve as the basis for planning and fundraising for a future library/IT renovation.

CAS discussions around General Education and strategic planning this year provided an opportunity for the library to emphasize the importance of information literacy competencies in the curriculum. Our research librarians continued to deliver instruction sessions and research consultations, expanding into new areas of the curriculum where librarians had not been active previously.

The library improved its services and collections in a number of ways. Research Services developed Primo training for faculty and students and created a plan for migration to a new research guides platform. The Discovery Team configured and introduced a new library catalog/discovery interface to the campus community. We introduced a number of new resources including ebook sets and primary source collections and performed a review of print reference materials. Our Data Services Librarian Christine Malinowski launched support for data-intensive research in the sciences and social sciences.

The library moved ahead on a number of other initiatives. We created the Pioneer’s Balcony reading area that honors College history. Digital Initiatives developed a website funded by the Mellon Student/Faculty Research grant that presents collaborative student/faculty research from across the College. The Special Collections/Archives team organized a highly successful series of events around the William Stafford Centennial and coordinated memorial events for Jack Howard and Vern Rutsala.

Following Special Collections Librarian Jeremy Skinner’s departure in December, the library undertook a national search for a replacement and hired E.J. Carter as the new Special Collections and Archives Librarian in May.

In the fall of 2014, we will be developing a three-year plan around the following four themes, which tie into a number of College-wide priorities:

1. **Resources and Services** Continually improve the resources, services and spaces we provide our patrons, maximizing available resources.
2. **Student Learning** Support and enhance student learning from basic foundations to advanced study.
3. **Distinctive Academics** Foster distinct academic opportunities for Lewis & Clark faculty and students.
4. **Leadership & Innovation** Provide direction to the College community in areas relevant to librarianship, scholarly communication, 21st century literacies and beyond.

I look forward to the creative process of developing Watzek’s three year plan with my library colleagues.

Mark Dahl
August 2014
ACCESS SERVICES
• Transition to the new shared Integrated Library System (SILS), including testing, training, publication of new opportunities around the system✓
• Implement ILL-Acquisitions program to provide faster, cheaper access to resources that enhance our collection✓
• Ensure our services are meeting needs of particular student groups including international students and users of the Adaptive Technology Lab✓

ADMINISTRATION
• Organize a space planning initiative to assess space needs around collections, technology, collaboration/study, and service points✓
• Provide organizational support for Stafford Centennial events in cooperation with the English department✓
• Oversee the SILS implementation including potential workflow modifications to capture efficiencies✓

COLLECTION MANAGEMENT SERVICES
• Develop e-book plan for librarian and faculty review/discussion, and implement recommendations of plan✓
• Prepare for migration and implementation of SILS✓
• Implement SILS with updated workflows✓

DIGITAL SERVICES/SYSTEMS
• Manage systems aspect of SILS migration process✓
• Implement key modules in SILS such as link resolver✓
• Rebuild external applications that depend on SILS✓
• Launch PubComm image library✓
• Update various aspects of web site/server✓

DIGITAL INITIATIVES
• Complete Rabat Genizah project✓
• Develop new platform/strategy for Lewis & Clark Around the World (discussions underway)✓
• Support data services program with new Science/Data Services Librarian✓
• Recruit and plan for Mellon Humanities grant projects✓

PUBLIC SERVICES
• Continue training access services staff in reference and research assistance✓
• Provide research and input into holistic space planning process including the configuration of a shared service desk✓
• Implement Watzek Zones project initiated by Student Advisory Committee✓
• Develop Pioneers Balcony area with capital equipment funds for furniture✓
• Promote the new Shared ILS discovery interface through the Marketing Team✓

RESEARCH SERVICES
• Customise Primo discovery interface through the Discovery Team and educate patrons on the discovery interface change✓
• Develop a data services program✓
• Consider ways to develop Special Collections that fit well with general collections and meet the needs of researchers✓
• Promote information literacy-related learning outcomes and related assessment practices in the curriculum✓
• Establish a Liaison Team that meets monthly to discuss best practices for supporting faculty✓
SPECIAL COLLECTIONS AND ARCHIVES

- Host four practicum students and a number of classes✓
- Process and create findings aids for a number of collections including the Helen Sanders Quinault Indian Collection✓
- Enhance and develop a number of digital projects✓
- Complete the William Stafford Photography Exhibition✓
- Organize and participate in a number of Stafford Centennial related events including the Symposium and alumni events✓
- Mount three or more exhibits including Diderot, Stafford, and Callahan✓

VISUAL RESOURCES

- Foster the pedagogical use of visual resources and integration of visual literacy concepts into the curriculum by working with faculty✓
- Support students through instruction and consultations in a variety of disciplines, related to visual resources✓
- Enhance and build image collections to support instruction and research at the College✓
LIBRARY EVENTS

WILLIAM STAFFORD CENTENNIAL EXHIBITS & EVENTS

William Stafford at 100 — A Centenary Exhibit
Watzek Library Atrium
January - December, 2014

Photographs by William Stafford: Curated by Kirsten Rian
Watzek Library Atrium
January - December, 2014

A Rich Darkness: Discovering the William Stafford Archives at Lewis & Clark College.
Presented by Doug Erickson, Zach Selley and Jeremy Skinner.
Watzek Library
October 4, 2013

William Stafford Centennial Celebration
Presented by Literary Arts and Lewis & Clark
Newmark Theater, Portland, OR
February 7, 2014

William Stafford Symposium: “You Must Revise Your Life”
Agnes Flanagan Chapel, Lewis & Clark
March 15, 2014

EXHIBITS

Diderot, Champion of the Liberal Arts
Curated by Isabelle DeMarte and Current Students
Watzek Library Atrium
Fall 2013

Student Art Exhibit: Medicinal Plant Illustrations of Yasuni National Park
Katie George (LC 2014)
Watzek Library
April 25-May 13, 2014

LECTURES & PRESENTATIONS

14th Annual Johannah Sherrer Memorial Lecture in Library Service
“What Librarians and Faculty Should Know about Today’s Students and Their Research Practices”
Alison J. Head, Project Information Literacy
Smith Hall, Lewis & Clark
September 20, 2014

Lewis & Clark Homecoming Weekend
“Diderot, Champion of the Liberal Arts”
Isabelle DeMarte and Current Students
Watzek Library Classroom
October 4, 2013

READINGS

Stafford Poetry Reading
Curated by Mary Szybist and read by current faculty, students, and alumni.
October 4, 2013

The Residue Years Fiction Reading
Mitchell S. Jackson
Watzek Library Classroom
April 24, 2014

MUSIC

Watzek Rocks!
Featuring The Grouse and Daniela Jiménez
Watzek Library Atrium
January 23, 2014
FILM

Watzek Screens: French New Wave
Miller Hall, Lewis & Clark
Sept. 12, Sept. 26, Oct. 17, Oct. 24, Nov. 14, Nov. 21

Watzek Screens: 80s Indie
Miller Hall, Lewis & Clark
Feb. 6, Feb. 20, March 6, March 20, April 3, April 24

OTHER EVENTS

Diversions Display: The Nature of the Unnatural
In conjunction with the 16th Annual Environmental Affairs Symposium
Watzek Library
October 2013

Diversions Display: Police States, Prison Nations
In conjunction with the 10th Annual Ray Warren Multicultural Symposium
Watzek Library
November 2013

Diversions Display: William Stafford Centennial
Watzek Library
January 29-February 14, 2014

Diversions Display: Gender, Power, Space
In conjunction with the 33rd Annual Gender Studies Symposium
Watzek Library
March 2014

Diversions Display: Gambling with Security, New Frontiers in Global Intervention
In conjunction with the 52nd Annual International Affairs Symposium
Watzek Library
April 2014

History Senior Thesis Poster Session
Watzek Library Atrium
December 11, 2013 and May 1, 2014

James J. Kopp First-Year Research Awards Presentation
Honoring Kristina Dill and Isaac Goldstein
Watzek Library Pamplin Room
January 23, 2014

Special Collections Open House
Watzek Library Heritage Room
Oct. 2, Nov. 6, 2013

Watzek Connections: A Faculty Workshop Series
Watzek Library Classroom
Oct. 22 and Nov. 19, 2013, March 18, 2014

Watzek SAC presents... Watzek Recess!
Watzek Library
December 12 & 13, 2013, May 2 & 3, 2014
## Statistics

### 2014

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**Other**

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