

AAHSL Program and Education Committee 2013 Annual Report

The AAHSL Program and Education Committee Members

Barbara Kern, University of Chicago, (Chair), 11/11-11/14
Tania Bardyn, University of Washington, 11/12-11/15
Mary Blanchard, Boston University (Incoming Chair), 11/12-11/15
Nancy Bulgarelli, Oakland University, 11/12-11/15
Judy Burnham, University of Southern Alabama, 11/10-11/13
Barbara Cavanaugh, University of Penn, 11/10-11/13
Susan Murray, McGill University, 11/11-07/13
Kerry O'Rourke, University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, 11/12-11/15
Leslie Schick, University of Cincinnati, 11/12-11/15

I am very grateful to the committee members for their contributions this past year, and for developing an exceptional program.

2013 Planning

The Program and Education Committee goal this year for the program at the AAHSL Annual meeting was to present a range of topics that have impact on libraries and librarians, and serve as a catalyst for important conversations about academic health sciences libraries now and in the future.

The work of the Committee started at the 2012 Annual AAHSL meeting where we meet to review the past year, and think about the year ahead. We continued to meet regularly throughout the year via conference call.

Friday Program

There were many excellent ideas and topics put forth for the program this year by the committee, which we shared with the AAHSL leadership. Spaces, mobile compatibility with ebooks, mobile content, Inkling, community medicine were all topics discussed. The topics which were ultimately decided on did not follow one theme, but instead focused on current, relevant, up-and-coming need to know information, including massive open online courses (MOOCs) and the semantic web, work being conducted on the value of libraries, and informatics.

The Committee invited exceptional speakers for the program this year. In keeping with the format from previous years, we invited a keynote speaker for the morning, and “hot topic” speakers for the afternoon sessions. The keynote speaker, Dr. Kevin Fickenscher, is the President and Chief Executive Officer, American Medical Informatics Association (AMIA). We have four hot topic speakers, including two who are not affiliated with AAHSL: Dr. Ben Abella, is Assistant Professor of Emergency Medicine, Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania and Attending Physician & Vice Chair of Research, Dept of Emergency Medicine;

and Clinical Research Director, Center for Resuscitation Science, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania. Dr. Parsa Mirhaji, M.D., Ph.D. is an Assistant Professor, Department of Systems & Computational Biology, Director of Clinical Research Informatics at Albert Einstein College of Medicine and Montefiore Medical Center. Julia Sollenberger, MLS, AHIP, FMLA, is the Associate VP and Director, Medical Center Libraries and Technologies, University of Rochester Medical Center. Carol Jenkins, is the now retired Director of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Health Sciences Library. Jim Curtis, is the Interim Director of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Health Sciences Library and M.J. Tooey, MLS, AHIP, FMLA, is AAHSL President and Associate Vice President, Academic Affairs Executive Director Health Sciences and Human Services Library University of Maryland.

This year was not without challenges. Due to changes in AAMC programming, the AAHSL program was moved from Saturday to Friday. Thanks to AAHLS leadership, the membership was kept informed of these changes and asked for feedback about the date and time of the program. After a poll, it was decided Friday was the best day.

Agenda for the Friday Program

10:30 AM - 11:00 AM

Coffee & Tea - Networking

11:10 AM - 12:00 PM "From Guttenberg to Zuckerberg: The 2020 Transformation of American Healthcare" Keynote Speaker: Kevin Fickenscher, MD, CPE, FACPE, FAAFP. President and Chief Executive Officer, AMIA (American Medical Informatics Association).

12:20 PM - 1:05 PM Lunch

1:15 PM "MOOCs and health care education: Cardiac Arrest, the Global Community & Saving Lives through On-Line Education" Presenter: Dr. Ben Abella, Assistant Professor of Emergency Medicine, Perelman School of Medicine, University of Pennsylvania and Attending Physician & Vice Chair of Research, Dept of Emergency Medicine; and Clinical Research Director, Center for Resuscitation Science, Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania

1:45 PM "Using Evidence to Communicate Value: The Value of Libraries in Patient Care Study"

Presenters:

Julia Sollenberger, MLS, AHIP, FMLA, Assoc VP and Director, Medical Center Libraries and Technologies, University of Rochester Medical Center.

Carol Jenkins, retired Director of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Health Sciences Library

Jim Curtis, Interim Director of the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill Health Sciences Library

2:15 PM -2:30 PM Tea & Coffee Break

2:30pm "Semantic web in healthcare and life sciences" Presenter: Dr. Parsa Mirhaji, M.D., Ph.D. Assistant Professor, Department of Systems & Computational Biology, Director of Clinical Research Informatics at Albert Einstein College of Medicine and Montefiore Medical Center

3:00 pm "AAHSL and Informatics" Presenter: M.J. Tooley, MLS, AHIP, FMLA, Associate Vice President, Academic Affairs Executive Director Health Sciences and Human Services Library University of Maryland

Matheson Lecture

Due to changes in AAMC programming the Matheson Lecture will not be presented this year. http://aahsl.memberclicks.net/index.php?option=com_content&view=article&id=22:matheson_lecture&catid=19:site-content. This is unfortunate, and we are hopeful that it will be presented next year.

Budget

Invited speaker \$2500 honorarium, \$500 travel
Hot topic speakers not affiliated with AAHSL \$650 honorariums (\$400 and \$250)
AV – approximately \$1000
Lunch, coffee/tea am and pm – approximately \$10K
Handouts - \$300
Name tags - \$150

2014 Planning

Mary Blanchard will be Chair of the Program and Education Committee for the 2014 program.

Respectively submitted,

Barbara Kern

Chair, Program and Education Committee