



UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES NEWSLETTER

FALL IN REVIEW - JANUARY 2026

Read the University Libraries newsletter to learn more about the Libraries' recent activities and accomplishments.



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MESSAGE FROM THE DEAN

This fall has been full of exciting changes and fun moments in the libraries! To highlight a few:

- The launch of **Rapido**, a new interlibrary loan and document delivery system
- **Open House** to showcase our services
- **Barbara Freiman receives Honorary Degree**

We're continuing to build the libraries of the future together. I hope you enjoy this newsletter as a look back at a productive fall semester!



STUDENT EVENTS AND ENGAGEMENT

Our students are the reason we are here! We continued our student focused programming and engagement this fall and had a lot of fun along the way.

[Learn more here! >](#)



PERSONNEL UPDATES



We added new hires, new positions and some of our faculty were recognized for outstanding accomplishments.

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LIBRARY INSTRUCTION



Instruction remains at the forefront of our efforts to contribute to the learning community for our student, faculty and staff.

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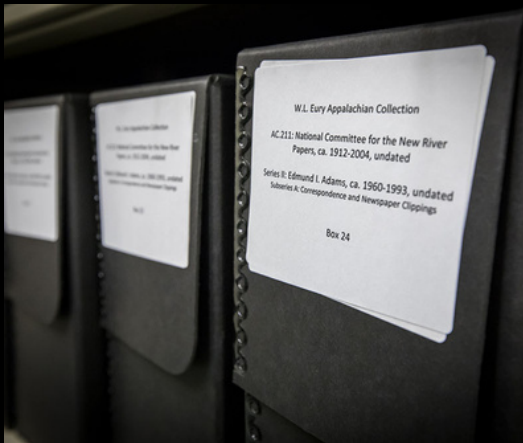
FACULTY RESEARCH



Library Personnel successfully represented the library in professional meetings and with presentations during our fall semester.

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FALL HIGHLIGHTS



Collections

We are always looking for opportunities to share and showcase our collections.

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Building Updates

As we look to bring our campus the library of the future, we imagine innovative ways to improve our spaces.



Library Development

Library Advisory Council member, Barbara Frieman received an honorary doctorate.

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UPCOMING EVENTS

App State Giving Day
March 26

University Library Expo
April 16

National Library Week
April 19-25



**BRIGHT UWAKAE WINS
TOP OF THE ROCK
HOMECOMING 2025**



**BARBARA FREIMAN RECEIVES
HONORARY DEGREE**



FINALS FEST 2025



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