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Baer William Engineering & Physical Sciences Librarian	I recently returned to ASEE and the realm of engineering librarianship after spending almost three years as the director of a small college library in Utah. The move to Kansas has been different but enjoyable.	the ethical use of engineering literature; podcast library instruction; article purchase vs. journal/conference subscriptions
Wichita State University		
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Beck Donna Engineering Librarian	Coauthored: "Becoming a Science Librarian: Accident, Serendipity, or Purposeful Plan?" scheduled for April 2007, Science and Technology Libraries. Looking forward to many of you reading it and sending me your opinions. Part of library team to implement the Ex Libris federated searching product, MetaLib. Carnegie Mellon University now in Beta testing of MetaLib. Also working as lead librarian contact for an information literacy game to be produced by graduate students from our Entertainment Technology Center. Regret not going to Hawaiihope to see you in my home town next year!	use of games in science library instruction
Carnegie Mellon University	contain regret net going to manail hope to dee you in my nome town next you.	
donnab@andrew.cmu.edu		
Berrington Rachel Manager, IEEE Client Services	In 2006, I was promoted to manager of IEEE's Client Services department. Last year, we hired a third librarian to the team, George Plosker (who'll be in Hawaii), and just a few weeks ago we found our fourth. Our fully-staffed team hopes to increase activities worldwide, become "temporary librarians" for customers who don't have their own library, and keep an eye on the future of electronic collections for our internal and external clients.	Engineering research in Asia; Tagging, Mash- ups, Social networking; Author/biographical databases; Online authentication alternatives; Scitopia.
IEEE		
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Berryman Karen Senior Customer Relationship Manager	Recently returned to the world of scientific bibliographic databases after working for a library recruiting firm.	
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Bhatt Jay Information Services Librarian, Engineering	*Scholarly Communications Symposium on Intellectual Property Rights was organized by Drexel University Libraries. Faculty members, librarians and students participated. *ENDNOTE workshops to Engineering Research Labs as well as in the Library. *Engineering Blogs are very successful and very heavily used by faculty and students. *PALINET/Elsevier Library Connect presentation on what users want *Drexel IEEE Graduate Forum was launched last year. Several collaborative activities.	In what ways Second Life can be integrated to teach information skills to the gaming generation? Engineering ebook collections - Usage, usefuleness, and searchability?
Drexel University	*Drexel E-Repository (iDEA)is launched to provide open access to digital works of Drexel Univ.	
bhattjj@drexel.edu		
Boyd Susan Engineering/Math Subject Specialist	Survived a move (found my stuff somewhere else after last year's conference) to temporary quarters while new main library (opening Fall 2008) is being built to replace the old one. Investigating possible educational uses for Second Life.	Web 2.0 library applications, open source journals, link resolvers, collaborating w/IT dept.
Santa Clara University		
skboyd@scu.edu		
Brach Carol Engineering Librarian	*Planning a Luauwhich is the Hawaiian version of the ELD New Members Welcome Reception. Hope to see you on Monday June 25. Aloha! *With colleagues, presented a poster session at the Library Assessment Conference in Charlottesville VA Sept. 24-27, 2006, entitled: "Assessing the effectiveness of unmediated commercial document delivery as an alternative to journal ownership." *ELD Second Year Director.	author rights, SAE's DRM issues, replacing copiers with networked scanners/printers; does anyone have any experience with this?
Notre Dame brach.10@nd.edu	*Saved lots of money by switching from commercial document delivery to Rapid ILL for non-subscribed journal articles.	
	I have had the opportunity to congratulate three librarians on their retirement from the Boise State	Training new librarians. :-)
Brin Beth Interim Coordinator for Reference Services	University Albertsons Library in the past year, and this means change! These three librarians had all worked in public services and so we have been a bit short staffed, and very involved in Search Committee activities. One retiree had been my supervisor, and during this interim phase, I am supervising reference and instruction services. I hope that I will soon be able to report on new hires!	Using wikis in instruction.
Boise State University		
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Conkling Tom Head, Engineering Library	We have been working steadily on the in-house digitization of videotapes from the Three Mile Island 2 cleanup, and will begin work shortly on digitizing the TMI photograph and slide collection. My colleague Bonnie Osif is working with the College of Engineering to produce a series of brief video instructional modules that faculty can use to introduce information literacy concepts into their classes. I hope to see everyone at next year's conference.	Springer engineering e-books and similar products
Pennsylvania State University		
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Curtis Scott Head of Reference Services Linda Hall Library of Science, Engineering and Technology curtiss@lindahall.org	We began a Linda Hall Library weblog in August, and this project has been successful at increasing the velocity with which new events can be reported to our user community. We also have hosted a One-Book discussion using Charles Wohlforth's "The Whale and the Supercomputer: on the Northern Front of Climate Change." This project included several events, including a collaboration with a local public library to present a climate change talk over the internet using OPAL technology. In the past month or so, we've been working on an internal wiki for better information dissemination.	Scholarly publishing trends, social networking technologies, trends in reference services
DeSart Mel Head, Engineering Library, and Acting Head, Science Libraries University of Washington desart@u.washington.edu	Been involved in a replacement of all shelving in the Engineering Library - shelving that was damaged in the Nisqually earthquake over six years ago. Been involved in a number of scholarly communication-related activities, but not as many as I should have been where ELD is concerned. Along with a number of other ELD members, have been involved in a GWLA and CRL supported project to digitize and make available old government technical reports. For more info, see http://digicoll.manoa.hawaii.edu/techreports/	Scholarly communication issues. Mentoring of new librarians.
Drew Christine Mgr. Instruction & Outreach WPI cdrew@wpi.edu	Online tutorials, podcasting, assessment of instruction, revamping first year program (with library inclusion)	Assessment, Web 2.0/Podcasting/Vodcasting/Screencasting, Outreach
Duke Darcy Engineering Librarian for Technology- Based Services MIT darcy@mit.edu	I have been working on: 1. Integrating a federated search (MetaLib) into our current search tools available to our users. 2. Developing a support model for creating video tutorials for instruction and staff training (using the Camtasia software). 3. Redesigning the web pages for our engineering and science libraries (just started).	- video tutorials for instruction - OPAC design (potentially using 3rd party interfaces) - using blogs and wikis (for staff and with our users)
Eckel Edward Engineering and Applied Sciences Librarian Western Michigan University edward.eckel@wmich.edu	Lecture on "Information Fluency for Engineers" given for undergraduates at College of Engineering and Applied Sciences - WMU Parkview Campus - February 26, 2007 Workshop presentation on Blogs and RSS for the "Fast, Cheap, and In Control" workshop by the Michigan Library Association Information Literacy Roundtable - Central Michigan University - March 9, 2007	Citation patterns in graduate level engineering theses compared to citation patterns in faculty publications - implications for instruction Information fluency instruction for engundergrads

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Fitzpatrick Krister University Parternship Program Manager (UPP) IEEE	Hosted first IEEE Leaders Summit last fall, bringing together IEEE Student Branch Chairs from 10 of 13 participating schools to network, share best practices. Visited 11 universities this spring, working with Drexel on Scholarly Communication Symposium, Virginia Tech and UCSD Student Professional Awareness Conference, Berkeley HOPE (Hand's on Practical Electronics), Dartmouth Formula Hybrid competition, etc. Expanding UPP program internationally in 2008. Chaired NJASIS&T DL, NJSLA employment/career guidance chair, entering Rutgers LIS PhD program this fall.	information grounds, building social networks/capital, engineering projects in community service, holistic information services
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Gabridge Tracy Associate Head, MIT Engineering Science Libraries, Librarian for Electrical Engineering MIT tag@mit.edu	- SAE activism - It's been fascinating to see the issues with SAE, DRM, and the new pricing models take on a life of their own with our faculty. - Conference proceedings project - Researching the conference habits of our faculty can be both tedious and enlightening. - Publicity efforts around scholarly communication issues - working with a group of librarians to create marketing materials. - Stephanie Hartman and I took a self-study class on marketing. - My job responsibilities over the past year have shifted to focus more on outreach and liaison roles.	Marketing and outreach, creating marketing plans Ways to learn about our user communities Collections as a tool for outreach Subject liaison programs Recruiting a new Aero/Astro librarian
Gibbs Paige	Revising and/or developing electronic subject guides for: Maps, Psychology, Philosophy.	Online student assessment in library instruction
Librarian	Getting a better grip on RefWorks, especially to assist faculty collaborating with researchers, on other campuses, who use EndNote. Attended NorthEast IEEE users group at the end of March.	Gaming as a vehicle for library instruction (the military has been using this as a training platform for years) Institutional Repositories
UMass Dartmouth		
pgibbs@umassd.edu		
Gluckman Lori	NY-NJ Medical Library Association Newsletter Co-Editor, 2006-07	Intellectual Property Issues, Metadata, Know about info in the medical sciences, but now
Head, Technical Services & Collection Development	Adjunct Professor, Palmer School of Library Science, Health Sciences Resources Course, Advisor, SUNY Maritime Yearbook	need to learn more about resources available in engineering and physical sciences
SUNY Maritime College-Stepher Luce Library	В.	
lgluckman@sunymaritime.edu		
Greenwood Aleteia Head, Science & Engineering, U	Been in the Head position since February 1, 2007. UBC Library is closing and relocating two branch libraries, Math and Foresty/Nutrition. Ongoing consultation with faculty and colleagues in Technical Support in planning the move. Learning the ins and outs of the Head position, attend an inordinate amount of	How to be a dynamic presenter/teacher of bibliographic instruction. How to be a good leader of a unit. Mentoring new librarians

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in planning the move. Learning the ins and outs of the Head position, attend an inordinate amount of

committee meetings. UBC has a budget deficit so we're looking at resources that we can cut; with the Head of Fine Arts Library, created a combined Fine Arts/Sci/Eng Reference desk. Staff cross-trained each other so we can answer questions from all Fine Arts and Sci/Eng disciplines

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Hartman	Stephanie	Retooling of the way we collect and order industry standards.	Outreach, marketing, design and function of spaces, undergrads, business information for
Engineering Librarian for and Outreach Services		Continued revitalization of Barker Engineering Library spaces including the completion of the Barker Media Suite.	engineers, new technologies, digital images, media
NAIT		Tracy Gabridge and I took a self-study class on marketing.	
MIT hartman@mit.edu		Along with a designer and four others, created and implemented first Libraries-wide ad campaign aimed at undergraduates. Followed up with assessment (via focus groups) to see if ads were seen and/or made an impact on students.	
Heyer-Gray	Bob	Usual ref/cd stuff, ELD web pages, etc.	
Engineering Librarian		Took on a temporary 50% position at the California Digital Library through August: Resource Liaison Coordinator.	
UC Davis		Member of the MRS Publications Strategy Task Force, which is exploring Open Access for Journal of Materials Research. Task force submitted a report at the Spring MRS mtg. Now also a member of MRS Library Advisory Board and MRS Information Services Committee.	
Hindkjaer Associate Professor	Annette	creation and updating of courses in Export Engineering	cross-disciplinary education intercultural experiences student exhange teaching materials
Copenhagen University Engineering	College of		
avh@ihk.d			
Hubbard	David	I'm new to ASEE and Hawaii will be my first ASEE conference. I've been active in ACRL-STS for a few years (Membership & Recruitment Committee), so some of you may know me from there.	GIS, chemical information, and U.S. government technical information.
Reference Librarian/Go Documents Coordinato		years (wernbership a recordiment committee), so some or you may know me normatere.	government teermeen mormanori.
University of Missouri -	Rolla		
hubbardd@umr.edu			
Johnson Head, Science & Engin Stony Brook University	,	Sadly I will only be there in spirit this year and want to wish y'all a wonderful conference; I will be looking for reports and papers on the website! This Summer we will be closing our (rather small) Computer Science Library and integrate the collection in the Sci & Eng Library. We have had a Safari subscription and hope that that will make it less painfull for some at least. We are thinking a lot about user-friendly spaces, future of Reference, created a new position: Undergraduate Instruction Librarian - will play with Web 2.0 stuff, etc.	Instruction; How to stay connected and relevant to facucity; Creative uses of space (information commons, study)
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Josephine Helen Head, Engineering Library	Planning for new Engineering Library (2009) with a manadate to prefer electronic access to print. Print collection of journals, conference proceedings, monographs, thesis will be sent to off-site location.	Integrating e-collections into the curriculum.
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Kardon Cynthia		Entrepreneurship Business
Electronic Resources Librarian		
Lippincott Library University of Pennsylvania		
croninkc@wharton.upenn.edu		
Kennedy Kathryn Engineering Outreach Librarian	blog for technical writing classes for engineers; journal cancellations project; textbooks on reserve project; interactive fiction game for information literacy	using technology effectively to teach information literacy (educational technology); faculty/liaison relationships and budget cuts
University of Florida		
katkenn@uflib.ufl.edu		
Koren Linette Librarian/Liaison, Kate Gleason College of Engineering Rochester Institute of Technology	There is a big push for new programs in environmentally conscious engineering and sustainability at RIT. To that end, I've completed impact statements to determine what we need to support these proposed new degrees; one at the Masters level and one at the PhD level. The College of Engineering is also proposing an undergraduate degree in chemical engineering. So if anyone else has added that degree recently, I'd love to chat with you. I've also organized a successful series of workshops (aimed at institute faculty/staff) on social networking topics. In addition I've given several presentations re: our change from a fee based reference chat product to a free web-based one - we use meebo.com. The library as a whole implemented	1. How to do more with less. We are looking at cutting databases since we did not receive what we asked for to cover inflation & which ones are absolutes for accreditation purposes. 2. How are others implementing or teaching social networking sites, security/safety issues involved, ramifications of using such sites.
lxkwml@rit.edu	the FISH philosophy during the year, launched a fee-based fax service, instituted on-campus delivery of library materials, and shared our holdings with Google Scholar.	What is the place of the library on these sites & if any. 3. The challenge of keeping up with sites like Google Scholar and its features and
LaCourse Pat		Copyright, especially for e-theses and
Engineering and Science Librarian		dissertations
NYS College of Ceramics, Alfred University		
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Locknar Materials Science and Librarian, Mechanical Librarian, Instruction C	Engineering	Integrating information literacy in a core chemistry course. I taught a 3 credit course in Fall 2006 to learn more about how MIT students think and interact with information resources to inform the way we integrate into a course of 500+ students. Also working on online video (screencasting) tutorials and a system-wide instruction plan.	educational technologies, online interactive video tutorials, virtual reference and virtual learning
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LUCIAN	CIOCA		
McKenzie	Jean	Camille Wanat is retiring after nearly 20 years as Head of the Engineering Library! Brian Quigley became	
Assistant Head, Kresg		the Head of the Math/Stats Library in January 2007. We're recruiting an entry level engineering librarian.	
Library		Electronic access expanded to include the Journal of Fluid Mechanics Archive, the ASM Alloy Phase Diagrams Center database, and the International Tables of Crystallography.	
University of California	a, Berkeley	Started a joint Science & Engineering blog at http://blogs.lib.berkeley.edu/sel.php. We also started an IM reference service with the screen name askengi.	
jmckenzi@library.berk	eley.edu		
Melgoza	Pauline		collection development, liaison, publishing
Science/Engineering L	_ibrarian		
Texas A&M University	,		
p-melgoza@tamu.edu			
Mitchell Engineering Librarian	Julie	-Poster Presentation for ASEE -Teaching engineering capstone design classes -Conducting a standards inventory/evaluation project	Info Lit Standards SAE DL Scholarly Communication
University of Minnesot	ta		
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Mizzy Acting Head, Engineerin	Danianne ng Library	Information Literacy; Library Toolbar; Digitization of technical reports; Renovation planning; Faculty document delivery; IM/Chat Reference	Assessment; Online Tutorials; Collection Development
University of Pennsylvan	nia		
danianne@seas.upenn.	edu		
Morgan Engineering Librarian	Ann	Our building addition & renovation project is on schedule. My dept. (Ref/Inst) should be moving into our new quarters in March 2008. We have a campus-wide initiative to develop more online and hybrid courses. I'm working with 2 of the engineering course teams to incorporate library resources into a Blackboard course. I'm also serving as Collection Management Coordinator which takes up way too much time.	
Cal Poly Pomona			
aemorgan@csupomona	a.edu		
Musser Head of the Earth & Min Library	Linda neral Sciences	Evaluating ways to use website statistics; creating metadata for a new digital resources; adapting to working in a facility with two exits/entrances; evaulation of reference activities.	Marketing and outreach to various user communities.
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Lrm4@psu.edu			
Napp Associate Professor of I Administration & Engine		I was granted tenure this year. Sorry to miss this year's conference, but I should see many of you in Pittsburgh.	
University of Toledo			
john.napp@utoledo.edu	ı		
Neville Interim Director, Centen and Engineering Library		Currently participating in a new strategic planning process for the entire library; maintaining regular operations while still supporting "refugees" from a major fire in the main branch	disaster preparedness and recovery; provision of reference services/reaching users at their point of need; collection analysis
University of New Mexic	co		
bneville@unm.edu			

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Noni (I have onl Noni Reference Librarian	I've been at Montana Tech two-and-a-half years.	-Collection development for engineering students and faculty who don't use the libraryFaculty outreach for folks who think the library and multidisciplinary awareness is extranneous.
Montana Tech		
noni@mtech.edu		
Omoruyi Joan Research and Instruction Services Librarian/Collection Manager, Engineering Northeastern University, Boston, MA j.omoruyi@neu.edu	Snell Library is in the midst of a weeding project; Library recently acquired INSPEC online and SPIE Digital Library; IRis the institutional repository was launched late last year; The Digital Media Design Studio will be ready by Fall, 2007 - will provide services, technologies and instructional support for digitizing and remixing various resources - to create new digital scholarly content. Open to current faculty, staff and students; Preparing for ABET accreditation visit; Attended IEEE New England users group meeting in March.	Institutional repositories Trends in instruction
Pedersen Lee Chemistry, Engineering, and Physics Librarian Brown University	Accreditation and Standards Committee for ELD Developed office hours model called Librarian in the Lobby starting in spring 2005 Interviewed by ACS Livewire SLA Division of Chemistry information literacy committee produced document on information competencies for chemistry undergraduates Boston Library Consortium shared retention/discard working group Massive serials review by all Brown librarians - challenge for a new librarian This spring converted a email newsletter into blogs for constituents of each of my subjects	Instruction, outreach, and assessment as a librarian; personally mysteries in print and on tape; cross-country skiing; travel; cats;
lapedersen@brown.edu	As a IEEE Client Services Manager, I do a range of support activities for clients and internal teams. Client	I am interested in online searching, premium
Plosker George Client Services Manager	support includes live and WebEx training on IEEE online products, assistance with internal marketing, intranet and library webpage enhancements, content and customer support issues. Internal support includes working with sales, marketing, product development and other IEEE team members.	content, library advocacy and marketing, trends in training and distance learning, and integration of content into curriculum and learning tools.
IEEE		
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Popescu Adriana Head, Engineering Library	As a new ASEE member, I have attended the ASEE Mid-Atlantic Spring Conference in April, where I presented a paper on library services and outreach activities for international engineering students at Princeton University.	collection development for sciences and engineering, library instruction, library management, digital collections
Princeton University		
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Powell Reference and Instructi	Jill on Coordinator	Website conversion using CommonSpot; user surveys, Wikis, Weill Medical College of Cornell NYC collaborations	Wikis, bookmark sharing programs, collection development
Cornell University			
jhp1@cornell.edu			
Pozo Collection Manager for Computer Science	Orion Engineering &	My work on the Physical and Engineering News blog http://www.lib.ncsu.edu/news/pes.php for the NCSU Libraries continues. In 2007 the New Books lists have been turned into Bookwall graphic displays, where the book's image links to the opac record. I am meeting this spring with each of my departments to ask them how they feel about format (print and/or online) decisions for our journal collection.	
NCSU Libraries		Work on our E-Matrix which will put all our journal information into a single integrated database is nearing completion. The Learning Commons just opened this week with much success.	
orion_pozo@ncsu.edu			
Ramachandran Eng Librarian	Hema	Was at Caltech for six years; mived to Pasadena City College as Access Services Librarian in March 2005; and recently took up present position.	Info Literacy in Eng Collaborating with faculty Digital archives
Cal State University - Lo	ong Beach	Wrote chapter on "Computer Engineering Resources" for Bonnie Osif's book on "Using the Engineering Literature". Co-chair of committee organizing a CARL miniconference in California in December. Collaborating with Eng Faculty member at PCC to incorporate IL into his drafting classes - topic of presentation on Sunday workshop.	
Reid Head Librarian	Bruce	Finished paper on our continuing saga to incorporate a GIS program in our library and also co-authored one concerning fraud and the proper use of audits in libraries. Finalizing plans to move into a new building in the coming year.	Land surveying and sports
Penn State Wilkes-Barr	re		
bdr5@psu.edu			
Rutter Science Librarian	Sara	Beginning outreach efforts to engineering faculty to interest them in integrating library instruction into their undergraduate courses. Planning to participate in graduate student orientation in engineering departments in Fall 2007	outreach to instructional faculty to help undergraduate and graduate students use the library resources and services available to them.
University of Hawaii at I	Manoa	Journal cancellationsdiscussing the high cost of scientific communication with engineering faculty.	Publishingscience & technology research communication
srutter@hawaii.edu			

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Salomon Carol Engineering & Science Librarian	Serving on institution's Middle States assessment committee. Working on library's Strategic Plan. Serving as Secretary of the faculty union. Revising web pages on patent searching, thesis research, etc.	Digital Institutional Depositories: return on investment? Negotiating terms for electronic resource licenses.
Cooper Union		
salomo@cooper.edu		
Sapp Nelson Megan Assistant Professor of Library Science, Coordinator of Reference, Siegesmund Engineering Library Purdue University mrsapp@purdue.edu	In the past year, a team from Purdue's Engineering Library and a professor from Purdue have put together an expert system/tutorial for Mechanical Engineering Technology. I helped create the logic for the expert system. I wrote an article on outreach reference to engineering students that will be published in Reference Services Review in May. We are starting the redesign process for our library website. I will be leading that project. I am currently writing an article about my experience as a volunteer collection developer at Africa University, Mutare, Zimbabwe.	outreach; reference; international librarianship; web design
Schlembach Mary Assistant Engineering Librarian / Physics & Astronomy Librarian	Bill Mischo was Acting Associate University Librarian for Information Technologies, therefore, I was trying to run two libraries simultaneously. Trying to get an article done on Local Journal Utilization Reports of journal usage through electronic resources.	
University of Illinois at Urbana- Champaign schlemba@uiuc.edu	Will admit to overspending by \$12K in Physics budget trying to buy journal backfiles. (Only 1 left to go though!!)	
Schwarzwalder Bob Assistant University Librarian University of Hawaii at Manoa	This is a time of transition for me. Shortly after the ASEE meeting I will resign my position at the University of Hawaii to become the first Associate University Librarian for Science and Engineering at Stanford University. This will be a welcome return to sci/tech librarianship for me and I am very excited to be working with such a talented group. Working at the University of Hawaii has given me the chance to do many new things, some rewarding, some not. In this last year we launched a DSpace initiative and were participants in a GWLA technical reports project.	Innovations in Digital Libraries, especially those involving online services (NOT Chat Reference).
Shimp Andy Engineering & Applied Science Librarian Yale University	* Participated in an evidence-based evaluation of journal package plans. * Headed a task force to establish policy for collection space management of the main library stacks. * Developed documentation for librarians using Yale's Sakai course management system. * Participated on an ELD task force to develop a potential engineering collection for JSTOR. * Developing an instructional workshop for EndNote Web. * Participating on an advisory committee to implement a digital repository service.	* Improving user interfaces (MetaLib, etc.) * Evaluating staffing needs with the transition to online collections. * Innovative methods for connecting with users.
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Siegler Sharon Engineering Librarian	Electronic Rights Management system RefWorks implementation (finally) InfoLiteracy: asking the faculty what they expect their graduates to know/be able to do about information gathering upon graduation Electronic dissertations (electronic submission of new ones and conversion of the pre-1996 print) "Virtual" embedded librarian (using BlackBoard)	JSTOR engineering collection Digital rights management (SAE and others) Faculty/librarian collaboration
Lehigh University	3. Viitual embedded librarian (using blackboard)	
sls7@lehigh.edu		
Stewart Andy Library Director	*Professional: Attended my ACRL in Baltimore (#13, but my first) in April. Led a Roundtable Discussion. *Army Reserve: Major change of responsibility as I took command of my local maintenance company in March. (In the "war stories" category, we have also changed the battalion to which we report this spring-imagine the turmoil!) *Human resources concerns predominate my thinking (low salaries, high turnover, oh my!) moved from topics to here	* The UM-Rolla campus has re-structured itself this year by eliminating four deans and their colleges/schools. * We have also begun planning to change our name: effective January, 2008, we will be the Missouri University for Science and Technology
University of Missouri Rolla astewart@umr.edu	 * Support for all of higher education from the State of Missouri is dwindling. More specifically, the UMR library budget is still essentially flat. * Many e-resources are funded UM system-wide or through other consortia, permitting small numbers of locally-purchased databases. 	(Missouri S&T). * The whole campus began the Higher Learning Commission self-study process, which **might** shed some outside-library light on low staff
Teleha John Engineering Reference Librarian North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University teleha@ncat.edu	Working on revising our library's Reappointment, Promotion, and Tenure Criteria and Guidelines to reflect recent changes to the University's Faculty Handbook. Incorporating EndNote into Instruction and Workshops. Incorporating RSS feeds into Alerting Services workshops and Instruction. Chair of the F.D. Bluford Library Performance and Recognition Committee. Weeding our engineering reference books. Working on changes in our mentoring document and learning how to be a mentor for the first time. My wife, Sheri, is joining ELD and you will meet her if you attend Hawaii. Aloha!	EndNote, RSS feeds, Promotion and Tenure, Mentoring new librarians, Starting an Institutional Repository
Thomes Kate	Development of online instructional modules integrated into course websites.	Developing online instructional materials.
Head, Bevier Engineering Library	Working with SAILS information literacy assessment instrument.	
University of Pittsburgh	Worked on library consolidation - moved another library's collection into our engineering library (other library closed). Coordinated a new program for library school interns working in departmental libraries.	
kthomes@pitt.edu		
Thompson Larry Engineering Librarian	Cancelling SAE Digital Library and implementing new on-demand service to provide SAE Technical Papers. Continuing to work with JSTOR to implement engineering archival collection. Reconfiguring the College Librarian program at Virginia Tech.	Digital Rights Management policies and how to deal with them
Virginia Tech		

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Trussell	Alice	Member, GWLA/CRL Task Force for Preservation of Pre-1976 Federal Technical Reports. Presentation to 3 groups (GWLA and CENDI) of task force Final Report.	Digitization of historic tech
Director, Fiedler	Engineering Library	Faculty Senate Secretary (165-17) Member Faculty Senate Leadership Council	dissemination

Trussell Alice Director, Fiedler Engineering Library	Member, GWLA/CRL Task Force for Preservation of Pre-1976 Federal Technical Reports. Presentation to 3 groups (GWLA and CENDI) of task force Final Report. Faculty Senate Secretary '06-'07. Member Faculty Senate Leadership Council. Member, governing board of International Association of Technological University Libraries; conference attended June 10-14, 2007. Somehow also fitting in BI & patron consultations for numerous technical writing classes.	Digitization of historic technical reports Use of RSS feeds for faculty information dissemination
Kansas State University	Last fall nominated for (and received) a "making a difference" award by a non-traditional female student. It felt wonderful.	
alitrus@ksu.edu		
Van Epps Amy Engineering Librarian, Coordinator of Instruction and Circulation Services	I've been heavily involved in the Purdue libraries faculty review of our Promotion and Tenure documents and changing procedures to include assoc. profs on the primary committee. I've also begun a more active role as a mentor for untenured faculty members. I spent time working on developing and troubleshooting our online tutorial/expert system for finding technical information (see the paper in the program) and researching the effect of open access, reviewed publications on library science publication locations.	mentoring; promotion; librarian publication patterns
Purdue University		
vanepa@purdue.edu		
Van Fleet James Research Services librarian	Disaster Training, Scholaring Communications website, Core journals review by subject.	Scholarly Communication Library Disaster Planning / Preparedness Electronic Journals
Bucknell University		
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Vazakas Sue Science and Engineering Librarian	Attended annual "BME Design Day" to see the undergrad BME design teams demonstrate their inventions; helped out with "Bioethics Week" and got Michael Crichton's autograph!; attended first symposium of new NanoBioTechnology Institute; copy-edited the latest edition of "Epidemic Proportions," the undergrad public health journal.	More good reasons for keeping *some* print How to work a single money pool for all the e- resources of several widely different campuses
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Volkening Tom Engineering Librarian	Within the last year we finally got the funding to subscribe to the IEL. The Engineering Library furniture will be refinished over the Summer. Library wide MSU moved its'Elsevier subscribtions to the Freedom Collection More of serials continue to be purchased as part of "deals". We continue move to electronic only access of more journals. The College will be marking its' 100th years this Fall with a number of events.	conversion to E-journals,journal package deals, value of e-books. Library instruction/information literacy for 1st year engineering students. ABET
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Wallace Martin Science & Engineering Librarian	I've Recently attended three other conferences. First, the Patents & Trademarks Depository Library Program Annual Training in Alexandria VA, then Engineering Social Justice & Peace at Binghamton University (this was a very good meeting) and lastly the Patent Information User Group Conference in Costa Mesa CA.	Intersection of Engineering (all types) and social justice.
Raymond H. Fogler Library, University of Maine		
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watkins patricia Reference/Instruction/Engineering Liaison Librarian Embry Riddle Aeronautical University,	* Attended MPLA conference in Albuquerque, NM recently (Mountain Plains Library Assoc.) included many sessions on new social media (podcasting, wikis) * Currently involved in a major collection assessment project looking @ 35,000+ books, reference materials with an eye towards cleaning up the stacks before we move into a new library in 2008 * Learning to use Camtasia software to create podcasts, video/audio Presentations	* Blogs, wikis, podcasting, latest engineering databases
Prescott AZ patricia.watkins@erau.edu		
Werhane Amanda Liaison Librarian & Marketing Coordinator Wendt Library, UW-Madison awerhane@engr.wisc.edu	* Attended ALA Annual in New Orleans; joined AlChE, ASM, BMES & MRS * Served on campus Liaison Forum committee - facilitated "Serving on Department/Campus Committees" and "Disgruntled Patrons" * Served on Marketing Exploratory comm; will serve on permanent Campus Libraries Marketing Committee * Taught drop-in workshops: "Find Material Properties" and "Biomaterials and Biologicals" * Co-taught info lit sessions for undergrads * Held orientation sessions for new grad students * Created 2 dept. bibliographies using RefWorks * Created library blog & other online sites * More!	liaison services, marketing & assessment, reference, teaching and learning, biological engineering, biomedical engineering, chemical engineering, materials science
Whang Linda Engineering Instructional Services Librarian University of Washington	I was recently promoted to Associate Librarian with permanent status (i.e. tenure) woo-hoo! :-) Co-authored a paper on the effect of library instruction on undergraduate electrical engineering design projects with a UW EE professor. Began offering remote reference service in the Computer Science & Electrical Engineering building.	collection development, e-books, outreach
lcwhang@u.washington.edu		
Wheeler Diana Library Instruction Coordinator; Liaison to CEE, AoS, and TC	Strategic planning for Wendt Library's Instruction Program. Marketing information-enriched curriculum planning to faculty & instructors. Partnership with industry.	Sequenced integration of IL across CoE curriculum. Accreditation issues. Library-faculty partnerships. Problem-based learning. Outreach. Sequenced, problem-based info. competencies development.
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White Michael Librarian for Research Services Queen's University	Presented paper on patents and patent searching at Ontario Library Association Superconference, Feb. 3, 2007. Chaired Queen's Library subject guide 2.0 working group. Writing article on patents and patent searching for Enc. of Library and Information Science.	Teaching entrepreneurship to engineering students; Workshops for graduate students and faculty about IP rights; Technical report archives; Patents and Patent Searching; Ebooks; Web 2.0 technologies.
michael.white@queensu.ca		
Williams Barbara Associate Librarian	Co-produced A Hands-on Interactive Japanese Drumming Event with Students from the Women in Science and Engineering (WISE) Student Organization that lead to a pre-conference workshop for the 2006 Living the Future Conference. Coordinated campus site licenses for engineering related software.	1.Developing Critical Thinking Skills 2.Creating an Information Literacy Documentary/streaming video
University of Arizona		
williamsb@u.library.arizona.edu		
Wohrley Andrew Engineering Librarian	Presented a talk on online Tutorials at the Patent and Trademark Depository Libraries Training Seminar. Presented a poster session on using Creative Commons Licensed materials.	Internet, Patents, Free/Open Source media.
Auburn University Libraries wohrlaj@auburn.edu		
Woods Gay Head, Research Park Library University of North Texas	Working on programs for K-12 students, primarily girls, who visit the library as part of school tours and summer engineering/computer science camps. These events are designed to get students interested in engineering and other STEM fields early so they will take more math, science, and technology in secondary school. We have used our librarian skills to locate the best resources about women in engineering (video clips from UTube as well as PBS's Design Squad, films, other web sites) and created a myspace page, untgizmogirz, with info that will be available to them afterwards.	Just FYI: I will be relocating to the Pacific Northwest during summer 08 and Randy Wallace will take over as head of the library this fall. We will have a vacancy for an engineering librarian.
gwoods@library.unt.edu		
Wright Nikki Assistant Engineering and Technology Librarian/Assistant Professor University of Illinois Urbana	*Started current position in August 2006. *Contributing to ALA Guide to Reference Sources (Math section) *Developing a library website for mobile devices *Developing a federated search system for health and biological science databases *Developing the ELD wiki	Instruction, social networking (blogs, wikis, tagging), federated searching, mobile/pervasive computing, database development
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Young Engineering Librarian	Sheila	The Noble Science and Engineering Library at Arizona State University has merged the Reference Desk and Circulation Desk into a single "Information Desk" staffed by classified staff. There is a librarian scheduled "on call" for the hours of 9-5. Referrals are also made to the subject specialist. I have been involved in merger process and in the training of the Information Desk staff.	Incorporating Information Literacy into the Engineering Curriculum Trends in Scholarly Communication
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