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## President's Corner

*by Jennifer Bowen*

It's hard to believe that summer is winding down. I hope you all had a wonderful summer and were able to enjoy the beautiful outdoors that Michigan has to offer. As fall approaches, it brings the culmination of many MHSLA members time and effort: the MHSLA Annual Education Conference. This year's conference is a combined conference with the Midwest Medical Library Association, with members representing Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, North Dakota, Ohio, and Wisconsin. The conference will be Friday, October 13 through Monday, October 16, 2017 at the Ann Arbor Marriott at Eagle Crest in Ypsilanti, Michigan.

This issue of the newsletter will give you a preview of the conference: the continuing educational opportunities, the special events, and the poster and paper sessions. The conference committees work hard every year to provide a quality conference at a reasonable cost, and this year is no exception. We hope you will be able to join with your peers in what will be an exceptional conference!

I'd also like to thank you for the opportunity to serve as your president this year! A special thank you to the executive board for their patience, wisdom, and humor. We've had a good year and I feel that personally I've learned a lot from my year of service. I very much appreciate the collaborative nature of MHSLA and hope to remain an active member for years to come.

Thank you and I look forward to seeing you at Eagle Crest!

Jennifer I. Bowen

2016-2017 MHSLA President



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***Early Bird Registration Ends September 23!***

For conference details & to register today, visit:  
<http://midwestmla.oeg/conference2017/>

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**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 14: CE DAY**

MORNING CEs: 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

- **Getting Started with Information Outreach in Your Community** (4 CEs) *Darlene Kaskie*
- **Advanced PubMed** (4 CEs) *Rebecca Brown*
- **Perspectives in Research Data Management** (4 CEs) *Kevin Read & Alisa Surkis*

AFTERNOON CEs:

- **1:00 - 4:00 PM Engaging Assessment to Show Value & Make Decisions: Making the Case for Your Library** (3 CEs) *Lisa Hinchliffe*
- **1:00 - 5:00 PM Data Management for Librarians** (4 CEs) *Caitlin Baker*
- **2:00 - 4:00 PM Environmental Health Policy - Sources & Strategies for Effective Searching** (2 CEs) *Carol Shannon & Abraham Wheeler*
- **6:00 - 7:30 PM Welcome Party**

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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 15**

- **9:00 - 10:30 AM KEYNOTE: Flint Water Crisis - The What & Why of It** *Curt Guyette*
- **11:00 AM - 12:00 PM NLM & MLA Updates**
- **2:00 - 4:30 PM Contributed Paper Sessions**
- **6:00 - 8:30 PM Special Social Event: FOOD, Fun, & KARAOKE, Hotel Salons IV-VI**

## MONDAY, OCTOBER 16

- **9:00 - 10:30 AM Panel - Educating 21st Century Doctors**
  - o *Dr. Michelle Daniel, Assistant Dean for Curriculum, The University of Michigan*
  - o *Dr. Robert Folberg, Founding Dean Oakland University William Beaumont School of Medicine*
  - o *Laura Richlin, Founding Director, Office of Learning & Teaching, Wayne State University School of Medicine*
- **11:00 AM - 12:00 PM Poster Session**

### **Save the Date for the 2018 MHSLA Annual Conference**

Getting ready for the 2017 MLA & MHSLA joint meeting? *Don't Leave it to Chance...* and be sure to save the date for next year's 2018 MHSLA conference (October 11-12th). Conveniently located in Michigan's pristine fall country, nationally recognized color tours and geographic features like the Grand Traverse Bay & Sleeping Bear Dunes won't be your only excuse to visit TC next October! Be sure to stop by and ask the WMHSLA planning members for more details at the 2017 MLA & MHSLA joint meeting. We hope to see you there!

## MHSLA Members Get Campy

Sweltering weather didn't prevent me and other MHSLA members from participating in the third annual Great Lakes Science Boot Camp for Librarians, held at Michigan State University July 19 to 21. Several MSU MHSLA members helped organize the event, which was attended by librarians and library students interested in science, health sciences, and technology.

While most attendees were from the Midwest, some came as far away as Alaska, California, and Mississippi. A variety of libraries were represented – science, health sciences, hospital, engineering, even public – plus representatives from several publishers.

Camp attendees learned from presentations from MSU faculty and staff who spoke on a wide range of topics. Dr. Susan Masten, a MSU environmental engineering professor, presented the keynote talk, *The Flint Water Crisis: The Road to Hell is Paved with Good Intentions*. It brought back memories of the 2015 MHSLA conference, held in Flint just as that calamity began dominating the headlines.

Other talks included measuring human movement in health and disease, development of head impact sensing technology, lake ecology, and intellectual property. Some conference participants also presented during a lightning talk session. Besides the excellent presentations, there were many opportunities for networking and socializing, including an ice cream social at the MSU library with delicious MSU Dairy Store ice cream.

The camp featured a day-long outing to the W.K. Kellogg Biological Station in Hickory Corners where we learned about the role the bird sanctuary there played in reintroducing trumpeter swans in Michigan, the environmental effects and recovery from the 2010 Kalamazoo River oil spill, and agriculture research. At the MSU dairy farm, we were captivated by the contented cows cooing up to robots for milking. We librarians are an easily amused group!

The Great Lakes Science Boot Camp for Librarians is modeled on those held in other parts of the country and is designed to be economical. The sessions, meals, social events, parking, and lodging (in campus dorms) are included in the registration fee (this year, under \$200), and those who desire can obtain 13 MLA CE credits for attending. The first Great Lakes camp was held at Wayne State University in 2015 and Notre Dame University hosted last year's event. The 2018 camp will be at Purdue University next summer; look for information on that next spring.

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## **NAHRS Selected List of Physical Therapy Journals**

The 2017 NAHRS Selected List of Physical Therapy Journals was published in May and will be useful in collection development and faculty publishing decisions. The list compares database indexing, searchable cited references, and full text options for each title (including open access) all in one place.

The Selected List of Physical Therapy Journals was based on the methodology and format of the 2012/2016 NAHRS Selected List of Nursing Journals, with some modifications to reflect database coverage relevant to physical therapy. Research in physical therapy is often published in highly cited interdisciplinary journals, based on studies mapping the physical therapy literature. Of the 225 titles included in the list, 83% are interdisciplinary journals. The high number of interdisciplinary journals makes the list useful for other health sciences disciplines as well.

The 2017 NAHRS Selected List of Physical Therapy Journals and the Selected List of Nursing Journals can be found on the NAHRS wiki: <https://sites.google.com/site/nahrsnursingresources/selected-journals-list>.

Please send any question, updates, or corrections to Betsy Williams ([williab2@gvsu.edu](mailto:williab2@gvsu.edu)).

## **Member Publications**

The latest publications from members of MHSLA. Take a look and learn more about what our colleagues around the state are doing.

Joseph Costello from Western Michigan University School of Medicine:

Costello, J., Kothari, C., Vos, D., Brandt, R., Moe, A. Examining Sentiment and Depression in Survivors of Intimate Partner Violence. *CLPsych: Computational Linguistics and Clinical Psychology - From Linguist Signal to Clinical Reality*. 55th Annual Meeting Association for Computational Linguistics. Vancouver, BC. 2017.

Lorbeer E.R. (2017, February 10). Marketing for Librarians: How to Market What Cannot Be Seen. *Wiley Exchanges*. [Blog post]. Retrieved from <https://hub.wiley.com/community/exchanges/discover/blog/2017/02/09/marketing-forlibrarians-how-to-market-what-cannot-be-seen?referrer=exchanges>

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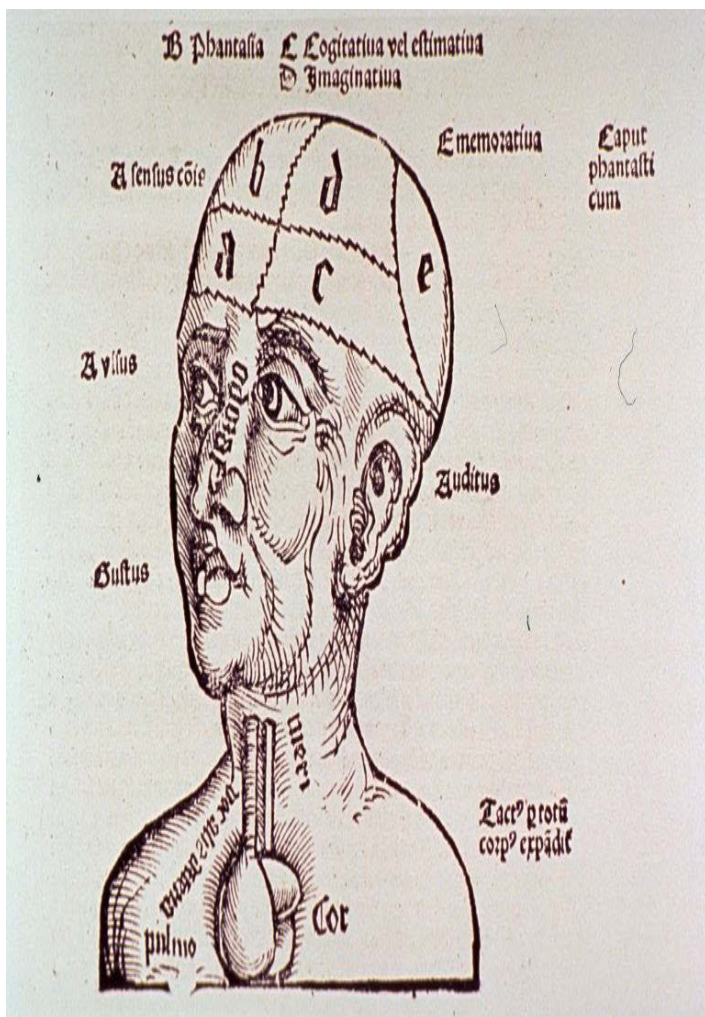
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