

Annual Report

LAUC-SD Mentoring Committee, 2012-2013

Committee members

Alanna Aiko Moore, Co-Chair (2nd year)

Amy Butros (1st year)

Maria Din, ex officio

Annelise Sklar (1st year)

Kelly Smith (1st year)

Dominique Turnbow, Co-Chair (1st year)

Activities

Librarian Shadow Day, April 23, 2012

- Second annual Librarian Shadow Day (date selected based on the LAUC-SD Social)
- 13 mentor/mentee matches
- Overwhelmingly positive response from mentors and mentees. Mentees were most excited about learning about what academic librarians do and networking. (Full evaluation results are available on the P drive in the LAUC-SD Mentoring folder).

“Day in the Life” Panel

- Co-sponsored with the San Diego Chapter of the Special Library Association.
- Panel included one academic librarian, zoo librarian and consumer health librarian. Panelists varied in professional ages.
- 26 attendees. While several library school students initially signed-up, only one actually attended the event; mostly librarians from other kinds of libraries were in attendance.
- One person from the UCSD Career Center attended; the committee will follow-up with her.

LAUC-SD Internship Proposal Accepted

This year the internship proposal drafted by Alanna Aiko Moore and Dominique Turnbow was approved by library administration. This committee will be responsible for the oversight of the internship; details on the P drive in the LAUC-SD Mentoring folder. The committee will spend much of next year implementing the proposal.

Library Staff Enrolled in MLIS Programs List

This is a new list created by Kelly Smith to help the committee communicate with UCSD Library staff that are enrolled in MLIS program about programs and other announcements that may interest them. The committee should update this list once a year.

A note: This year we did not host the summer panels. This decision was made in large part due to the fact that UCSD did not host CEP Fellows (a target audience) as well as workload issues due to the library reorganization. We will consider them again in the future.

Budget

Annual budget allocated to this committee is 1,000.00. We spent less this year because we did not host the summer panels.

Librarian Shadow day	\$178.77 (from Panera)
“Day in the Life Panel”	\$283.50 (from campus catering)

Horizon Issues

The committee did not update the Mentor/Mentee contact list this year. We will making this a priority for 2013/2014. In addition, we would like to come up with a schedule and/or process for touching base with mentors and mentees on a regular basis. In addition, we would like to further define/clarify the differences between casual mentor/mentee relationships and those that are more formal or part of the internship program. The role of the committee in each of these kinds of relationships should be clarified as well.

Respectfully submitted,
Alanna Aiko Moore & Dominique Turnbow
LAUC-SD Mentoring Committee, Co-Chairs 2012/2013