



Library Technology and Telecommunications Senate Committee Meeting

Meeting Date: November 27, 2017

Attendance: Ron Bergmann, Stephen Castellano, Sherry Deckman, Raymond Diaz, Michelle Ehrenpreis, Stefanie Havelka, Stacy Katz, Anna Luerssen, Kenneth Schlesinger, Olena Zhadko

Student Senator Representatives: No Student Senators Present at Meeting of 11/27/2017

Excused: Vincent Sandella, Assistant VP/ITR, Edi Ruiz

Library Report:

Library recently acquired [Sage Research Methods](#) as new resource in database offerings. Centered around research design and methods, it guides users from beginning to end in research process using books, videos, reference materials, datasets, and project planners.

Library announces 24-Hour Study Hall during Final Exams from December 6-20.

Library Amnesty will be available December 15-31, where Overdue Books may be returned without fines.

Final Reading of semester will be Brad Schoenfeld's *Science and Development of Muscle Hypertrophy*, Wednesday, December 13, 1:00 - 2:00 PM in Library Treehouse.

Division of Information Technology:

CUNY IT Conference – Several Lehman presentations were made by Lehman at the CUNY-wide IT Conference held at John Jay College on November 30th and December 1st. Presentations included the Student Success Dashboard, and Lehman 360 among others. I am proud to announce that Lehman 360 received the CUNY Excellence in Technology Award for Collaboration. Lehman 360 is currently available to students and will be launched today for Faculty.

The Student Tech Fee call for proposals was sent two weeks ago. Proposals are being developed now with divisional submissions to the Tech Fee Committee due in February.

Blackboard Report

Blackboard Upgrade will take place on December 28th @ 12:01am-December 29th @ 5pm. During the Upgrade, Bb will be UNAVAILABLE to the community. Please plan accordingly. The Registrar reports that Final Grades for the Fall semester are due on December 27th.

Online Education

Faculty are invited to participate in the Online Course Readiness Review Program for Online and Hybrid Courses. Please keep an eye on your e-mail for additional details coming soon.

Respectfully submitted,

Stefanie Havelka and Stephen Castellano
Co-Chairs