Report – Spring 2012

Library

University of Montana – Helena College of Technology

Library Services		Library Collection		
Items Circulated 1124		Items Ordered	554	
Items Borrowed/Lent (ILL) 61		Items Cataloged & Processed 612		
Electronic Sessions 10,431		Items Deleted	241	
Instructional Attendance	237			
Room Reservations	64	Net Items Added	371	
Information Services	632			
Reference Questions		Electronic Collection		
Copier & Computer Help,		Total e-book Holdings	333,263	
Library Instruction, Research		Total Unique e-book Titles	302,902	
		Total Journal Holdings	69,165	
		Total Unique Journal Titles	45,018	
Total Transactions	12,727	Total Databases	171	
		Website		
		Total library homepage visits	15,413	
		Total visits to LibGuides	6,430	
		Total visits to library pages	24,124	
		UMH website rank	6th	
Transactions per FTE	* 11.73	Items Added per FTE ^{\dagger}	34	

Activities and Projects

- Library Administration
 - Hosted one meeting of the Library Advisory Committee, 4/26/2012 to review FY2012 annual report, FY2013 Budget, Faculty and Student Surveys, and to discuss some long range planning for the library program.
 - Conducted a faculty user satisfaction survey and a student user satisfaction survey, April 2012.

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• Website (Virtual Library)

- \circ Created a redesigned library homepage that is useful enough to rank 3rd in UM-Helena webpage use, right behind the homepage and My UMH.
- Added 24 LibGuides to the library website, giving discipline and program specific research guidance to students.

• Collection

 Maintained 15 reserved collections: Accounting Portfolio, Art History, Visual Language 2D Foundations, Human Anatomy and Physiology II, Business Plan, Intro to General Chemistry, Intro to Organic & Biochemistry, College Chemistry II, Into to Public Speaking, Intro to Creative Writing, American History I, Enjoyment of Music, Introduction to Nursing, Fundamentals of Organizational Psychology, and Introduction to Sociology.

• Instruction

- Provided 15 instructional hours in classroom, with an assignment integrated into all instructional session. A total of 237students were instructed.
- Tutored 10 students in individualized "Book a Librarian" sessions.

• Community, Professional, & Educational Activities of Library Staff

- Library Assistant took two online course through UM, "Library Media Practicum" (3 credits) and "Literature for Children and Adolescents" (4 credits), Spring, 2012.
- Librarian attended Montana Library Association, Annual Conference, Big Sky, MT, April 11-14, 2012.
- Director of Library Services met with candidates for the Dean of the Maureen and Mike Mansfield Library, April 18 & 25, 2012.
- Director of Library Services and Librarian attended Montana Academic Libraries Symposium, Bozeman, MT May 7-8, 2012.

• Facilities & Programming

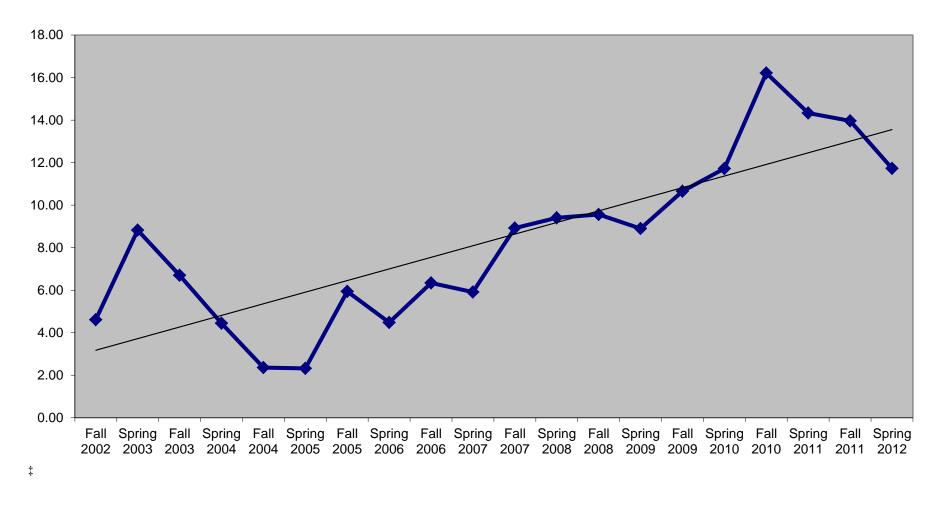
- Hosted Kay Ryan, United States Poet Laureate 2008-1010, for seminar with 25 students and luncheon with 10 poets and teachers of the greater Helena community, April 24, 2012.
- Produced several book displays on timely topics, including Women's History, Poetry, and Science.
- Established display of trade and popular magazines at Airport Campus.

• Institutional

- Director of Library Services served on two institution-wide committees: Budget and ASCR.
- Director of Library Services served on ad-hoc Accreditation Committee, Spring 2012.
- Librarian served on two institution-wide committees: Enrollment Management and IT Committee.
- Library Assistant served on two institutional committees: Budget Committee, Quality of Worklife: also served as Vice President/Treasurer of Staff Senate.

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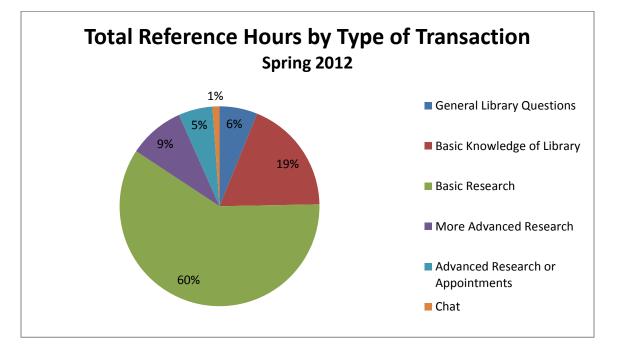
Library Service Transactions* per FTE



[‡] Reference questions, research help, copier and computer assistance, AV reservations, circulation of materials, instruction, interlibrary loan, database sessions

Library Reference Transactions

Spring	2012 Usage	Number of Transactions	Time in hours	Average Time per Transaction (Minutes)
1	General Library Questions	200.00	4.47	
2	Basic Knowledge of Library	199.00	13.47	
3	Basic Research	215.00	43.28	
4	More Advanced Research	10.00	6.58	
5	Advanced Research or Appointments	5.00	4.00	
Chat	Chat	3.00	0.83	
Total		632	71.80	6.86



Net Items Added to Library Collection per FTE

