Department of Learning Resources
Scholarly Activities – July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016

Poster Presentations

Paper Presentations
- Jill Fair and Robin Fisher are co-authors on an accepted paper for the American Academy of Pediatrics conference to be held in Oct 2016, for a project they worked on with Dr. Schetzina (acceptance occurred during the reporting period; citation will appear on next year’s report).

Book Chapters

Misc. Publications
Letters

Other
Instruction

- “Health Statistics” class for the Quillen College of Medicine Community Medicine Clinical Rotation (Wallace, Woodward, Weyant).
- “Apps for Mobile Devices” class for the Quillen College of Medicine Family Medicine Rotation (Wallace, Woodward).
- “Principles and Resources for Evidence-Based Medicine” session for class “Practice of Medicine,” Fall 2015 (Walden).
- “Evidence Based Practice” lecture in Case-Oriented Learning (Wallace)
- Lecture on finding evidence for Rob Pack’s evidence-based public health course (Wallace, Woodward)
- OB/GYN grand rounds, Feb 2016, “Evidence Based Practice: Evaluating Quality of Evidence” (Wallace)
- Lecture on “Categorizing the Quality of Evidence” for evidence-based practice of pharmacy course (Wallace)
- Medical History portion of Profession of Medicine course, covering history of Mountain Home, discussion of medical history artifacts, and tour of Museum at Mountain Home (Whaley).
- “Health on the Range: Rural Health Issues and Resources,” presentation to Tennessee Library Association, Kingsport, TN, April 2016 (Wallace, Woodward)
- Numerous orientation, guest lecture, noon conference, grand rounds, course directors’, and other instructional sessions.

Institutional Service

- Martha Whaley continued to serve as interim Associate Dean for Continuing Medical Education until the appointment of Eileen Bailey.
- Martha Whaley continued her service as Director of the Museum at Mountain Home. Rachel Walden served as an ex officio board member for the Museum at Mountain Home.
- Rick Wallace and Martha Whaley served on the CME Advisory Committee.
- Rick Wallace served on the CoM Faculty Advisory Council.
- Rachel Walden served on the CoM diversity council.
- Rachel Walden served as a voting member of the ETSU medical Institutional Review Board.
- Rachel Walden served as a voting ex officio member of the Medical Student Education Committee (MSEC).
- Rachel Walden and Rick Wallace served as members of the Interprofessional Education and Research Committee.
- Rachel Walden served as a member of the Community Outreach subcommittee of the Interprofessional Education and Research Committee.
- Rick Wallace served as a member of the Faculty Development subcommittee of the Interprofessional Education and Research Committee.
- Rick Wallace served as faculty advisor to the Medical Humanities Special Interest Group.
- Emily Weyant served as secretary for the Tennessee Health Sciences Library Association (THeSLA).
- Martha Whaley served as the medical library representative to the SACS review triggered by the new Global Sport Leadership degree.
• Martha Whaley conducted numerous Museum at Mountain Home tours to ETSU student groups, community groups, and campus visitors.

**Research**

• Rachel Walden has research in progress on fitness tracking devices and potential harms (a survey of primary care providers’ attitudes and promotion of fitness tracking devices) – accepted for presentation at Southern Chapter of the Medical Library Association 2016 conference.
• Nakia Woodward has research in progress, a survey of research modalities employed by ETSU health sciences authors and researcher perceptions of university support of research. – accepted for presentation at Southern Chapter of the Medical Library Association 2016 conference.
• Rick Wallace has research in progress on library user needs and perceptions (focus group research) – accepted for presentation at Southern Chapter of the Medical Library Association 2016 conference.
• Rick Wallace has research in progress on library training of pharmacy faculty – accepted for presentation at Southern Chapter of the Medical Library Association 2016 conference.
• Emily Weyant is the lead on a systematic review about the relationship between libraries and student success.
• The librarians also provide as-needed support to other researchers throughout the College of Medicine and division of health sciences.

**Grants**

• Successfully obtained National Network of Libraries of Medicine (NN/LM) Health Literacy Award ($5,000) to fund health information packets to underserved patients Remote Area Medical free clinics.
• Obtained support from Technology Access Fee (TAF) funds for enhanced scanning capabilities.
• Obtained support from Sustainability Fee (“green fee”) for bike rack and hydration station.

**Awards**

• Rick Wallace received the Elise Draper Barrette Award from the Boone Tree Library Association.
• Nakia Woodward was honored by Library Journal as a 2015 Mover & Shaker and profiled in this national journal.
• Nakia Woodward was honored with the 2016 Alumni Innovator’s Award from the University of Tennessee Knoxville’s School of Information Science.
• Rick Wallace and Nakia Woodward received the first prize paper award at the Southern Chapter of the Medical Library Association annual meeting in San Juan, Puerto Rico, Oct 2015, for “An Assessment of Information Interventions with Isolated Rural Clinicians.”
• Rick Wallace and Nakia Woodward received honorable mention at the Medical Library Association annual meeting in Toronto, Canada, May 2016, for “Piecing Together the Mosaic of Rural Clinician Information Practices over a Twenty Year Period.”

**External Committees & Service**

• Rick Wallace served as a peer reviewer for the Health Information & Libraries journal.
• Nakia Woodward is President of the Tri Cities Health Science Library Association.
• Rick Wallace serves on the Southern Chapter of the Medical Library Association nominating committee.
• Martha Whaley serves on the Rocky Mount Advisory Board and the board’s Collections Committee; she also served on the RM Executive Director search committee.
• Martha Whaley hosted public-oriented Pearl Harbor Remembrance Day in the Museum and received $500 donation in appreciation for the Museum from the Disabled American Veterans.  
• Rachel Walden participated in the Directors’ retreat for the Consortium of Southern Biomedical Libraries.
• Rachel Walden participated in meetings of TBR libraries’ Deans & Directors as needed.
• Rick Wallace served on the legislative committee for the Rural Health Association of Tennessee.