



This monthly e-newsletter provides an at-a-glance preview of our upcoming events, grant deadlines and an overview of new services and resources.

We encourage you to share this monthly e-newsletter with your colleagues. If you have any questions or feedback, please [contact us](#). Thank you for reading.

Announcements

The Zarrow Family Faculty and Graduate Student Center

The [Zarrow Family Faculty and Graduate Student Center](#) is now open on lower level 2 of Bizzell Memorial Library. This space supports interdisciplinary research, teaching, consultation, and collaborative work in a central campus location. View photos of Zarrow's opening receptions [here](#).



OU Libraries Awarded \$95K IMLS Grant

OU Libraries is among a team of three universities that has been awarded an Institute of Museum and Library Services (IMLS) National Leadership Grant in support of 3D visualization and virtual reality technologies. The \$95,024 grant will allow for a series of three national forums on different themes: Content Creation and Publishing at Virginia Tech's Executive Briefing Center in Arlington, VA, Visualization and Analysis here at OU, and Repository Practice and Standards at the Big Ten Center in Chicago, IL.

New Services and Resources

Unpaywall

In September's newsletter, we wrote about [Unpaywall](#)'s installation on computers throughout OU Libraries. Unpaywall helps users find free, legal, open access copies of academic works.

Making your work legally, openly available—whether in open access journals or by depositing your work in [SHAREOK](#)—will increase



access to your work. If you have questions about making your published work more widely available and more likely to be cited, please contact your [liaison Librarian](#) or [Jen Waller](#), Open Educational Resources & Scholarly Communication Coordinator.

Assignment Calculator

Did you know that OU Libraries offers an [assignment calculator](#)? Several assignment templates are available including, video/media projects, research papers, lab reports, posters, primary sources research projects, and speeches or presentations. Students plug in start and due dates, and the calculator generates dates by which various steps (select topic, design research strategy, organize sources, etc.) should be completed. Each step has supporting information to help students understand how to complete the step and get assistance.

Digital Scholarship Tools

The [Digital Scholarship Lab](#) offers consultations on [digital tools](#) to help you organize, clean, analyze and visualize data, find hosting services, utilize GIS/mapping, create digital collections or exhibits, engage in text analysis, and apply programming languages. Contact our [experts](#) for more information or to schedule a consultation.

Upcoming Events

Poetics of Invention Lecture Series

In conjunction with our new exhibit, *Poetics of Invention*, several public lectures will be hosted in Bizzell from 10:30-11:45 a.m. on the following days in November:

- **Nov. 9, LL118:** John Williams, "The Buddha in the Machine: Art, Technology, and the Meeting of East and West"
- **Nov. 16, 339:** Tom Wavering, "Innovation from Poetry to Maker Spaces and Beyond"



Nexis Uni Training

LexisNexis Academic provides full text content from 15,000+ news, legal and business resources. In January, LexisNexis Academic will be replaced by Nexis Uni. Nexis Uni offers new functionality, including the ability to create and share research folders and alerts. Nexis Uni consultant Lyn Smith will provide training for the new product on November 15 from 2:30-3:30 in Bizzell HCLC 123.

Bizzell Fall Semester Hours

August 20 – November 25

Sunday	Noon	to	2:00 a.m.
Monday-Thursday	7:30 a.m.	to	2:00 a.m.
Friday	7:30 a.m.	to	9:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m.	to	9:00 p.m.

Thanksgiving Break

Tuesday, Nov 21	7:30 a.m.	to	10:00 a.m.
Wednesday, Nov 22	7:30 a.m.	to	5:00 p.m.
Thursday, Nov 23	Closed		
Friday, Nov 24	7:30 a.m.	to	5:00 p.m.
Saturday, Nov 25	10:00 a.m.	to	5:00 p.m.
Sunday, Nov 26	Noon	to	2:00 a.m.

Prep for Finals Week

Sunday, Dec 3	Noon	to	Friday, Dec 8, 9:00 p.m.
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