

Re-think it: Libraries for a New Age

Lightning Round Speakers

Nicole Stevens Edge

Nicole Stevens Edge is the Digital Course Materials Coordinator at Michigan State University Libraries Course Materials Program, a service that offers complete copyright clearance and comprehensive course materials production in print and electronic formats. Before coming to Michigan, she was part of the Digital Content Creation unit at the University of Illinois Library. She is originally from St. Louis and began her career working in museums.

More information about this lightning round can be found here:

http://scholarworks.gvsu.edu/rethinkit/2015/lightning_round/1

Catherine Hamer

Catherine Hamer is the Associate Director for User Services with the University of Texas Libraries at The University of Texas at Austin, a position she has held since July 2011. Catherine joined the UT Libraries in 2004 as the Document Delivery Librarian and then held an interim administrative position from 2008 – 2011. Prior to moving to Austin, Catherine was the Access Services Librarian at the University of Hawaii at Manoa, and held paraprofessional positions at California State University, Monterey Bay and The George Washington University before obtaining her MLIS in 2002. It is a transformative and exciting time to be working in Academic Libraries and Catherine has been delighted to be able to impact student learning and research through a variety of service improvements and facilities projects and is working on additional projects that will impact teaching and research services for graduates and faculty.

More information about this lightning round can be found here:

http://scholarworks.gvsu.edu/rethinkit/2015/lightning_round/4



Ebony Magnus

Ebony Magnus is the User Experience & Assessment Librarian and Liaison to the Canadian Studies Center at Michigan State University Libraries. She holds an MLIS from University of British Columbia, as well as a MA in English Literature from Carleton University (Ottawa, ON) and a BA in English Literature from University of Victoria. Her professional interests include data visualization and visual storytelling, authentic assessment, and evidence-based practice. She is dedicated to promoting diversity and inclusion in the field of librarianship.

More information about this lightning round can be found here:

http://scholarworks.gvsu.edu/rethinkit/2015/lightning_round/5



Brittney Thomas

Brittney Thomas has a Bachelor's Degree in Art & Design from Iowa State University and received her Master's Degree in Library & Information Science from the University of Iowa in 2011. Brittney's focus is on outreach, customer service, learning spaces, technology, and her passion is in designing and connecting learning experiences both inside and outside of the classroom.

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http://scholarworks.gvsu.edu/rethinkit/2015/lightning_round/2



Cynthia Zervos

Cynthia Zervos is a Media Specialist at Gill Elementary School in Farmington Hills, Michigan. She teaches media skills and technology skills to students in Kindergarten through fourth grade. She has been a Media Specialist within the Farmington Public Schools since 2010. Previously, she worked as a Paraprofessional in the Children's Department within the Farmington Community Library.

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