Libraries take lead in supporting Digital Humanities efforts at Rutgers

A growing movement at Rutgers and nationwide to change the nature of humanities scholarship and teaching has found an enthusiastic partner in the Rutgers University Libraries. Building on existing library services and resources, the Libraries have taken a number of steps to support Digital Humanities (DH) efforts on the Rutgers-New Brunswick and Rutgers-Newark campuses.

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Five librarians to teach Byrne Seminar classes

In the upcoming academic year (2014-2015) five librarians in the RU Libraries will teach Byrne Seminars courses. The courses will be: ‘Rockin’ Roots, Global Reach: Telling the Story of Jersey’s Popular Music’, led by Music and Performing Arts Librarian Jonathan Sauceda; 'The Secrets (and Big Business) of Search Engines,’ led by Latin American, African, Latino, Spanish and Portuguese Studies Liaison Librarian, Melissa Gasparotto; 'Truth or Fiction?’ led by Instructional Design/Education Librarian Leslin Charles; 'Empowering Women in Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics’ led by Chemistry and Physics Librarian Laura Palumbo and Engineering Librarian Connie Wu; and 'The ABCs of Patents: How to Protect Your Creative Invention and Avoid Stealing from Other' led by Connie Wu. More on this story:

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What messages do portrayals of women in science fiction and fantasy convey? Rutgers–Camden will open the book on these pursuits and many more as it hosts an interdisciplinary conference, "Buffy to Batgirl: Women and Gender in Science Fiction, Fantasy, and Comics," from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday and Saturday, May 2 and 3.

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