

Lloyd Library & Museum News



Since the Lloyd Library's inception, the Library has supported the work of scholars. This year we identified two goals that speak to that important ongoing mission: *Serve as a national and global hub for scholars, researchers and artists* and *Expand the Lloyd's active engagement in research, teaching and learning*. This issue focuses on some current activities supporting scholars and the community.

Posters for the Plant Blind: Fellowship Lecture



When: Friday, August 31, 6-8 p.m.

Where: Lloyd Library & Museum

This year's Curtis Gates Lloyd Fellows, Jonathan Frey & Anna Kell, will speak on their design project at the Lloyd and discuss Plant Blindness, the inability to see or recognize plants. Frey and Kell centered their project around the research and production of a series of posters that promote plant literacy through the visual qualities of plants. Free and open to the public. Lecture begins at 6:30 p.m. Reservations.

A Literary Look at Health

Lloyd Fellow Heather Chacón is an Assistant Professor of English at Greensboro College in North Carolina. Chacón's research will inform two chapters of her upcoming book, *Health Movements: Medicine, Empire, and Commerce in 19th Century American Literature and Culture*. In conjunction with Lloyd Library founder John Uri Lloyd's novels, she is exploring Lloyd's literary and scientific archives as well as historical medical literature.



Exploring Cannabis in Integrative Medicine



Lloyd Fellow Frieda Wiley, medical writer and consultant pharmacist, studied the medicinal properties of native plants while on rotation with the Indian Health Services in Tucson, Arizona. Based in East Texas, she is a consulting editor for the American Botanical Council and writes for a variety of publications. Wiley's project, *Exploring Historic Perspectives of Cannabis and Its Contribution to Integrative Medicine*, will culminate in publication and a

lecture in September at the Lloyd.

International Scholars Visit the Lloyd

Researchers from the American Society of Pharmacognosy conference in Lexington, KY took an excursion trip to the Lloyd Library last week. Thirty-two scholars, who work on the cutting edge of medical research, viewed our exhibition *Pharmacognosy Illustrated*, participated in a teleconference with Dr. Mansukh Wani, the award-winning chemist and discoverer of the anti-cancer agent Taxol, and enjoyed lunch at the Lloyd Library.



The Lloyd Library will be closed from 11-1 on August 2 for a Biomedical Engineering meeting

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