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## **Library AP Update, June-July 2021**

### **Meet Your Library AP Colleagues**

Each issue we feature 1 or 2 Library APs. [Please consider participating.](#)

#### **Janelle Sander**

Patron Services Manager, Central Access Services

- ***What do you do in the Library?***

I work with Bookstacks, Discharging, the Phone Center, and the Billing Office to coordinate patron service activities in these areas.

- ***What's a good day for you?***

I love a cold, rainy day if I can be inside with a cup of hot coffee watching the rain. On other days, I enjoy taking walks through my neighborhood.



Here I am at the World's Largest Windchime in Casey, IL.

### **Investigation Time Policy - Feedback Wanted**

The [Research and Investigation Time Policy Task Force](#) has drafted its [recommendations](#) and is seeking input. You can provide feedback via their [anonymous webform](#). The deadline to respond is **end of day Friday, July 9**.

### **Jake Metz is your new District 9 AP Senator**

Congratulations to Jake Metz on his election to the Academic Senate as the AP Senator for District 9. Jake will serve a two-year term starting in August.

### **Council of Academic Professionals**

[June 7, Meeting Recording](#)

[June Meeting Minutes \(DRAFT\)](#)

The July meeting will feature a presentation by Kristin Tennant and Scott Anderson from University Marketing and Branding.

If you have questions for the Council, feel free to contact one of our District 9 representatives, Jake Metz ([jmetz2@illinois.edu](mailto:jmetz2@illinois.edu)) or Will Schlaack ([schlaac2@illinois.edu](mailto:schlaac2@illinois.edu)).

## **L-CAP Committee Report**

L-CAP submitted our recommendations to Dean Wilkin on representation and support for Library Civil Service Professionals on May 4, and Dean Wilkin and Assistant Dean for Business & Human Resources Susan Breakenridge attended our May 17 meeting to discuss them. The recommendations were subsequently refined to make references to Library Civil Service Professionals more consistent, and to focus on issues where the Library is authorized to act.

[Revised recommendations were submitted on June 8](#), and although we have not received a formal response from the Dean (pending clarification of campus HR definition of Civil Service Professional), we have assurance of the Dean's support. In our discussions with the Dean, there is acknowledgement that Library Divisions are under the purview of the Executive Committee and that laptop assignments and building access affect employees in all groups and will be considered more generally. Recommendations [on hold pending campus level decisions/action](#) remain on our radar, but because the Library is not in a position to act on them, Dean Wilkin requested that they not be included in the memorandum.

L-CAP plans to move forward as soon as possible (again pending clarification of campus HR Civil Service Professional definition) with our expanded role of representing both Library AP and Library CS-P employees. We will be assuming responsibility for conducting our own elections, and plan to run the first joint AP/CS-P election to fill the three open seats for the 2021-2023 term. **Keep an eye out for more information about the L-CAP election in the coming weeks.**

Meeting minutes, newsletters, and other resources are available on the [L-CAP webpage](#).

## **AP Resources Page**

A quick place to [find information](#) about AP-specific resources, benefits, and opportunities.

## **L-CAP Membership**

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**Talk to us:** Please send questions/concerns via the [online form](#) (no login required, anonymous submissions are fine), via email to [lcap@library.illinois.edu](mailto:lcap@library.illinois.edu), or by reaching out to any L-CAP member.

*Have an announcement or topic suggestion for the next L-CAP Update?*

*Send it to [lcap@library.illinois.edu](mailto:lcap@library.illinois.edu).*

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