



April 2015

Changes in LITS leadership



March brought changes in leadership for Emory Libraries and Information Technology Services ([LITS](#)).

Rich Mendola, enterprise chief information officer and senior vice provost for library services and digital scholarship, has been named interim executive vice president for business and administration effective March 16. He replaces Michael J. Mandl, who was appointed president and CEO for Emory Healthcare.

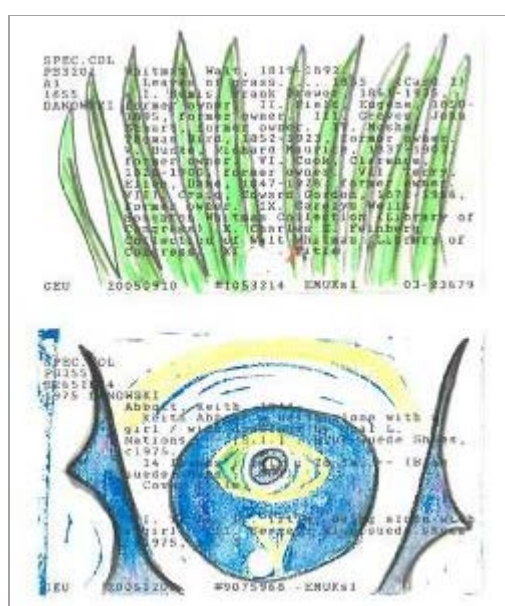
Marc Overcash, deputy chief information officer, is taking over Mendola's LITS post on an interim basis while Emory University conducts a national search to fill the position being temporarily helmed by Mendola.

[Read more on the leadership changes](#)

Image: Marc Overcash (left) and Rich Mendola. Credit: Emory LITS.

New life for old library catalog cards with interactive exhibit and April 23 Art Party

The [Robert W. Woodruff Library](#) at [Emory University](#) will host an interactive, expanding exhibit - featuring pieces created by the people who come to view the exhibit.



Curated by Julie Newton, "It's in the Cards: An Interactive Art Exhibit" opens April 10 and will feature old library catalog cards that have been turned into art and poetry. Students, staff, faculty and members of the community are invited to create those art pieces to add to the exhibit at "It's in the Cards Art Party," an event that will include art supplies, snacks and music on April 23 from 4:30 to 7 p.m. in the Jones Room. Please join us for this fun event, open to the public at no charge.

[Learn more about this exhibit and the April 23 event](#)

Image provided by Julie Newton.

April 2 event canceled



Due to scheduling conflicts, the "Diversity in Golf" conversation with Joe Louis Barrow of The First Tee has been canceled.

We hope to have additional events planned for the fall that are related to our exhibition "Bobby Jones: The Game of Life." If you haven't already, please visit this wonderful exhibition in the Schatten Gallery on Level 3 of the Woodruff Library - you won't be disappointed.

[Read more about the Bobby Jones exhibition at Emory's Woodruff Library](#)

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Items from MARBL's Pearl Cleage collection exhibited at Alliance Theatre

In conjunction with playwright and poet Pearl Cleage's show "Blues for an Alabama Sky" at the Alliance Theatre in Atlanta, the Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library ([MARBL](#)) will exhibit some items from her collection at the theater.



"Pearl Cleage: A Time for Reflection" will feature materials chosen from her papers, which include photos, correspondence and drafts of her plays and novels.

Curated by MARBL faculty curator of African American collections Pellom McDaniels III and MARBL project archivist Amber Moore, the exhibit will be on view during the run of the show, April 15 through May 10, in the Woodruff Arts Center Galleria's north alcove.

[Learn more about the Cleage exhibit at the Alliance Theatre](#)

[MARBL finding aid: Pearl Cleage papers](#)

Image of Pearl Cleage by Albert Trotman.

DynaMed app now available via Woodruff Health Sciences library resources page

The Woodruff Health Sciences Center ([WHSC](#)) Library's mobile app resources page for Emory Healthcare medical staff and students now includes the popular clinical resource DynaMed for iPhone, iPad and Android devices, downloadable via Emory Healthcare's subscription. The library's mobile resources page also includes links to useful tools such as uCentral and VisualDx apps, licensed resources such as AccessMedicine and Psychiatry Handheld, and resources such as PubMed for Handhelds and MedScapeMobile available at no charge.



[DynaMed app debut](#)

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Emory Libraries in the news



We're making headlines in Atlanta and around the world:

A [New Yorker](#) article about a forgotten true-crime book Harper Lee was supposedly working on contained a reference to a letter, kept at Emory University's MARBL, about the project from Lee to another writer.

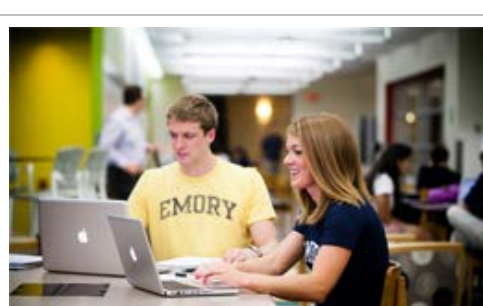
A discussion with MARBL director Rosemary Magee on how Flannery O'Connor was inspired by Irish and Southern storytellers, which aired on [WABE 90.1 FM](#).

An [NPR](#) article that speculates whether an undiscovered Sylvia Plath novel exists, and mentions notes found in the Ted Hughes collection in MARBL.

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