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# Library News

NEWS FROM UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES AT SOUTHERN MISS

## WELCOME NEW TEAM MEMBERS

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**HOLLY MILLER**

Electronic Resources Librarian  
Cook Library



**RONALD HICKS**

Weekend Research Services Specialist  
Cook Library

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## STANFIELD NAMED INTERIM HEAD OF THE GULF COAST LIBRARY

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On July 1, Jamie Stanfield assumed the role of interim head of the Gulf Coast Library, located on the Gulf Park Campus in Long Beach, MS.

Stanfield has worked at the Gulf Coast Library since 2018 where she is also the business and health librarian and online learning coordinator.

Stanfield was named the interim head of the library following the retirement of Edward McCormack on June 30. McCormack was the associate dean of the Gulf Coast Library and was with the University for 29 years.

## BLACK SELECTED FOR SECOND YEAR IN ACUE FACULTY DEVELOPMENT INSTITUTE

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Hali Black, first year experience librarian, has been selected as a faculty fellow in the ACUE Faculty Development Institute's *Effective Online Teaching Practices* course. This is a three-semester program starting fall 2022.

Upon successful completion of all the modules, Black will earn the nationally recognized ACUE *Advanced Certificate in Effective College Instruction*, endorsed by the American Council on Education.

Black completed the ACUE Faculty Development Institute's *Effective Teaching Practices* (ETP) course in 2021 - 2022.

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## DE GRUMMOND RECEIVES \$30,000 GIFT

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In April, longtime friend and supporter of the de Grummond Children's Literature Collection, Eric Schonblom, hand delivered a check for \$30,000 to Ellen Ruffin, de Grummond's curator. Schonblom also brought his complete collection of books and manuscripts by Constance Savery.

Schonblom's financial and material gifts will allow de Grummond to continue the work of preserving and protecting the Savery materials. With this collection, scholars and researchers will be able to see the works that influenced Savery's writings, the books she reviewed and cherished. His gift also included work by Savery's siblings, so a scholar will have everything necessary to conduct a thorough understanding of Constance Savery.

Schonblom became acquainted with Savery's work as a child when he read *Emeralds for the King*. Later in life, he located a copy of this book and found that it was still as important to him as an adult as it was to him as a child. After reading all of her books, he decided to dive deeper into her work and discovered correspondence, stories, articles, and manuscripts. Schonblom transcribed hundreds of letters spanning her entire life, over a century, which are available digitally in the de Grummond Collection. In 2017, he completed a biography of Constance Savery entitled *Another Lady*.



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CHARLES HICKSON

## Special Collections

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