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NEWS FROM UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES AT SOUTHERN MISS

University Libraries Welcomes Research Services Fellows

Funded by a grant from the Jimmy A. Payne Foundation, Univerity Libraries welcomed two research services fellows on February 7. Matthew Fillingame graduated with his Master of Library and Information Science in December 2021 and will be working at Cook Library under the supervision of Michele Frasier-Robinson. James Skinner graduated with his Master of Library and Information Science in July 2021 and will be working at the Gulf Coast Library under the supervision of Jamie Stanfield.

The fellowships provide opportunities for recent graduates of the Southern Miss Master of Library and Information Science program to supplement their academic knowledge with real-world experience, making them more attractive candidates in a competitive job market. The fellows will work as a member of the Research Services Unit under the supervision of a faculty librarian, gaining a greater understanding of the expectations of a tenure-track position in an academic library.

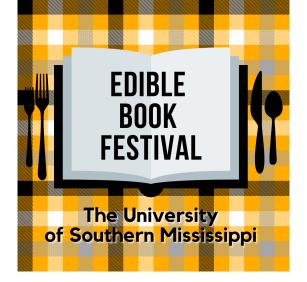


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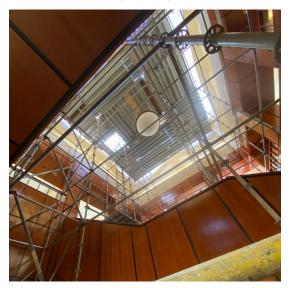
Join us for the 7th Annual Southern Miss Edible Book Festival!

Friday, April 1, 2022
11 a.m. – 2 p.m.: Open House
1 p.m.: Winners Announced
Cook Library 209A
Refreshments will be served.



Gulf Coast Library Repairs Ongoing





Construction at the Gulf Coast Library continues as repairs to the damage sustained from Hurricanes Zeta and Ida are made. The library is open and able to fully serve students, faculty, staff, and community.

Crews are currently repairing damaged stucco on the exterior of the building. Access to the entrance will not be impacted, but please be cautious when walking near all construction and remain outside marked areas.

The central staircase is inaccessible due to the installation of the new skylight. Patrons can access the second and third floors via the elevators.



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