



updates from the

# LIBRARY & ARCHIVES

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for Tim's Spring 2025 Blackboard Brown Bag

# FRAMING OUR WORK



## **collections**

identifying clear  
collections strategies to  
drive decision-making  
about resource and  
service format, delivery,  
and access



## **services**

evolving to meet  
changing user needs and  
research habits



## **spaces**

clearly planning for the  
use of our space  
footprint in Alpine, in the  
Archives, and in Eagle  
Pass

# PEOPLE UPDATES



**OUR COOL STUDENT ASSISTANTS:  
GIGI, DESTINY, RENATA, TRE'SEAN,  
ALONDRA, KELSEY, SALISA, EMILY**

- Maggie Bootman is no longer working at the Library & Archives
  - direct any Maggie questions to me
- In-process: hiring for a Library Assistant in the Archives of the Big Bend - lots of great candidates
- Recently expanded two Library Assistant positions to include the development of spaces in this building (funded by Title III)
  - Congrats and thank you to Taylor Moore and Al Gomez

# PROJECT UPDATES



## in progress

- TSLAC grant project to digitize Harry Warren collection in Archives
- Title V grant projects in BWML and Eagle Pass:
  - bringing Library Planner Denelle Wrightson to carry out focused objectives
  - funded Eagle Pass book drop
  - funded migration equipment for Archives
  - funded microfilming project
- Title III funding development of lab spaces/Faculty Development Center-type-thing (ask Kendall)

## r&d phase

- transitioning Information Literacy (Ed & Outreach) Program to a more stabilized workshop approach

## “how can I help?”

- feedback through our Take 5 survey, Campus Environment Survey, Collections Chats...

# CALENDAR UPDATES



## Spring 2025

- ongoing Valentine's Day fun (Feb 14)
  - International Love Data Week (Feb 10-14)
  - THECB Digital Summit day 2 watch party & Idea Exchange (Feb 12)
- Read an eBook Week drop in Q&A sessions (March 3-7)
- 9th Annual Earth Day Clothing Swap (April 14-20)
- DeStress Fest (April 29-May 1)

## Summer 2025

- May is Preservation Month

## Fall 2025

- stay tuned / keep an eye on our newsletters



# THANK YOU

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