October Letter from
Andersen & Lenox Libraries
University of Wisconsin - Whitewater

New Outreach Coordinator

Melissa Lopez joins the Library team as the Outreach Program Coordinator. She earned her B.A. in Communications from UW-Milwaukee. She comes to us from the School District of Janesville, where she worked as the Marketing & Communications Specialist for three years.

Melissa enjoys weekend trips to Waupaca, WI and has two silkie chickens who live in her backyard. "I am excited to work with such a great team. I look forward to the connections I will make with staff and students alike!"

Shift Into OverDrive

The UW System has started a two year pilot of OverDrive, a platform for popular ebooks/audiobooks. Wisconsin public libraries share an OverDrive subscription so many of our users may already be familiar with this resource.

OverDrive may be used on a desktop computer or via the Libby app on a mobile device. For those who already have a public library set up in Libby, you may add University of Wisconsin System as another Library.

User can recommend up to two titles every 30 days within OverDrive if they don’t find what they want. The collection has started small so we welcome your recommendations.

See the Library’s OverDrive guide for help getting started.

Warhawk Almanac

Interested in campus history? Over the spring semester, Public History Intern Riley Bartsch contributed posts for the Warhawk Almanac. This series of posts on the Andersen Library Blog will continue to provide fascinating campus glimpses throughout the semester that were gleaned from the University Archives.

Learn more about campus history, buildings, and people of note over the decades. This week’s post focuses on campus accessibility.

Every semester we have students researching topics relating to UW-W history, either for their classes or personal interest. So please direct them to the Archives & Area Research Center to learn more about our storied past.

Warhawks Recommend Books

Would you like to give a shout out to a favorite Andersen Library or Lenox Library book? You can now share your book recommendations with your fellow Warhawks.

We will feature the book -- and your reasons for recommending it to our campus -- on the Library’s blog.

Just fill out the form on the Faculty & Staff Resources guide and we’ll take it from there.

Questions? Contact Carol Elsen, Collection Manager, x5751 elsenc@uww.edu