



Suncoast Information Specialists Info

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SIS 2019 Board

SIS 2019 Board voted in, information below. Welcome new volunteers!

Special Thanks

Special Thanks to our host Arthenia L Joyner Library and discussion participants!

Did You Know?

Suncoast Information Specialists is a professional association of librarians and information specialists in the greater Tampa Bay area, dedicated to providing an open forum for the discussion of mutual concerns and the exchange of ideas in the realm of information management and dissemination. For membership forms and directions on how to join, please go to: <http://www.suninfospec.org/membership>

Upcoming Meeting

When: December 5th, Wednesday

Time: 7:30pm-?

Where: Besito Mexican
205 Westshore Plaza
Tampa, FL 33609

Directions: <http://www.besitoardmore.com/tampa>

Program: Holiday social, dutch treat.

RSVP: <http://www.suninfospec.org/meeting>

Questions?: Please contact Kearin Reid at kearinsharaf@mail.usf.edu

November Meeting Overview

The November meeting was a group discussion on diversity/equity and censorship/intellectual freedom issues in our libraries. It was a great opportunity for members to brainstorm and reflect on issues we all face in our different fields.

Meeting minutes can be found here:

<http://www.suninfospec.org/meeting/minutes>

Meeting photos can be found here:

<http://www.suninfospec.org/photos>

Events

Paper Jam – an alternative book fair - Saturday, December 1, 2018

Paper Jam is a new annual event at Ringling College of Art + Design bringing independent artists' publishing to Sarasota and the Creative Coast. It features comics, zines, graphic novels, artists' books, photobooks, creative writing, illustrated books, and experimental printed matter produced by the campus community, local community, and invited guest exhibitors.

Where: [Alfred R. Goldstein Library](#), Ringling College of Art + Design

When: Noon – 4:00 p.m.

What: <http://bit.ly/RCADpaperjam>

SIS 2019 Officers

Please welcome your 2019 SIS Board Members!

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Membership

Announcements - Share promotions, upcoming library events, announcements, successes and achievements with your fellow SIS members, and / or..

Ideas - Do you have an idea for a presentation? Do you have recommendations for meeting venues? Do you know someone who would be perfect to speak at a meeting? Would you like to volunteer your services? If so, please contact the Editor or one of the Officers, or send an email message to: suninfospec@gmail.com

Employment Opportunities - Please post *employment opportunities* to the SIS-L elist by sending an email to sis-l@mailman.it.usf.edu. The list reaches 270+ subscribers in the Tampa Bay area. See <http://www.suninfospec.org/list> for additional information about subscribing or posting to the list.

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URL: <http://suninfospec.org>

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<http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=19952808186&ref=ts>

LinkedIn: <http://www.linkedin.com/groups/Suncoast-Information-Specialists-SIS-3989406>

Questions about SIS? Feel free to contact any one of the SIS Officers listed to the left of this page!