Calendar of Events October 30, 2013

New FAU Libraries Mobile-Optimized Website Available through FAU Mobile

A new FAU Libraries mobile-optimized website, which provides access to such helpful resources as “SearchWiSE,” “select mobile databases,” “ask a librarian” and “view/renew books,” is available through FAU Mobile, a free mobile app that can be installed on iOS and Android devices. Other phones with a web browser can view FAU Mobile at http://m.fau.edu. The FAU Libraries mobile-optimized website was made possible through a Southeast Florida Library Information Network (SEFLIN) grant.

‘Academic Ink’ Call for Participation

The Arthur and Mata Jaffe Center for Book Arts and Karen Leader, Ph.D., of FAU’s Visual Arts and Art History, invite all faculty and staff to participate in Academic Ink, the next phase of Stories on the Skin: Tattoo Culture at FAU, a creative exploration of the lived experience of being tattooed. Tattooed colleagues are encouraged to invite the Jaffe Center and Leader to their academic world — lab, studio, office or classroom — to be photographed. The project will also collect stories from faculty and staff about tattoo experiences for a spring 2014 exhibition in commemoration of the Jaffe Center’s 15th anniversary. Appointments will be scheduled for afternoons in mid-November.

To participate, email Leader at kleader@fau.edu before November 4. For more information visit www.storiesontheskin.org or www.facebook.com/storiesontheskinatfau. The Jaffe Center and Leader launched the long-term project in 2010 to engage FAU's diverse student population in an exploration of the social, cultural and artistic phenomenon of tattooing, specifically drawing out the relationship goals between the images and the complex histories and narratives associated with them. Since the project’s inception, 1,147 tattooed and non-tattooed students have completed a survey about tattoos, the team has photographed and interviewed hundreds of students, produced art exhibitions and hosted live performances and films.

FAU to Host ‘Animated Library, the Artists’ Books of Susan Joy Share’ Exhibition through Jan. 19, 2014

Florida Atlantic University’s Arthur and Mata Jaffe Center for Book Arts will host “Animated Library, the Artists’ Books of Susan Joy Share,” an exhibition of the dramatic artwork, at the Wimberly Library through Sunday, Jan. 19, 2014. Share, a visual artist and bookbinder, creates kinetic forms, architectural spaces, costumes and experimental books that integrate visual art, movement and sound. Her work combines techniques and materials from bookbinding, sewing, painting, collage and sculpture. The exhibition, which is free and open to the public, will be in the first floor lobby atrium, the second floor adjacent to the administrative office and the third floor at the Jaffe Center. The exhibition can be viewed during regular library hours, which are Monday through Thursday from 8 a.m. to midnight; Friday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturday from noon to 6 p.m.; and Sunday from noon to midnight. The library will be closed on Nov. 11 for Veterans Day, Nov. 28 and 29 for Thanksgiving and Dec. 24 through Jan. 5, 2014, for winter break. Hours can also be found at http://libguides.fau.edu/lib_hours. For more information on the exhibition, call John Cutrone at 561-297-0455 or go to www.jaffecollection.org or www.facebook.com/jaffecenterforbookarts.