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and the work we do are what makes STS a strong, vibrant section!

Our Annual conference schedule is also something to look forward to, and I can assure you it rivals anything that Las Vegas may offer (though it never hurts to take in the local color a little bit). Not sure where to start? Stop by the All Committees Meeting on Saturday morning, from 8:30-10:00 in the Las Vegas Hotel (Pavilion 09), and sit in on one of the many open meetings or pick up one of our pocket brochures highlighting the programs. This year we will also

Please join STS and the Health Science Interest Group at Annual on **Monday, June 30, from 8:30-10:00 am**, for a panel discussion: **Sticking with STEM: how the academic library can help to retain successful students.**

Student retention and success are major initiatives on many university campuses. In the modern age of accountability, libraries are being asked to assess their impact in non-traditional areas where long-held library methods of assessment fall short. One such area is student retention, particularly the lack of student diversity in STEM and the exceedingly low retention rates among all student groups in the sciences. This session will articulate the role librarians can play in the institutional goals relating t



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10:30am to 11:30am
LVH-Pavilion 06

**Entering the Fray: Strategies for
Beginning Research Data Management
Services**

**Information Literacy Competency
Standards for Nursing**

Loree Hyde
Oregon Health & Science University
Library & School of Nursing

Julie Planchon Wolf
University of Washington Bothell and
Cascadia Community College

**An Effective Library Approach for
Increasing Diversity in the STEM
Community**

Ingrid Ruffin, Thura Mack and Nicole
Barajas
University of Tennessee

**Choosing the proper database(s) for
dental researchers: Web of Science vs.
Scopus vs. Medline (PubMed)**

Helen He
Head of Dentistry Library
University of Toronto

**Peer to Peer Tutoring and Library
Student Employees Improve Retention
in Math**

Annie Zeidman-Karpinski
Science and Technology Services
Librarian
University of Oregon

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Science and Technology Library Research Forum

Sun June, 29

1:00–2:30 pm

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Guest Moderator: Denise Bennett, University of Florida

Featured Paper:

“Unbundling a Big Deal: Comparing Three Data Sources to Come to Decisions”

Diane (DeDe) Dawson, Science Liaison Librarian, University of Saskatchewan

Short papers:

“STEM Learning in the Library Learning Commons: Examining Whiteboards for Evidence of Learning through Student-Generated Visualizations”

Uta Hussong-Christian, Instruction & Science Librarian, Oregon State University

Rick Stoddart, Assessment Librarian, Oregon State University

“Demographics of Science Teachers and Perceptions of a Video Digital Library”

Dan Albertson, School of Library and Information Studies, University of Alabama

ALA & ACRL News

ACRL’s task force is scheduled to release a revised draft of the Framework in mid June. They will hold a hearing at the American Library Association’s

Annual Conference in Las Vegas (Saturday, June 28, 10:30–11:30am) as well as online hearings in June. Task force members will continue the iterative process, modifying the Frame-



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