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### Research Tips and Technology, Skype Interviews, and more in our A'Muse sessions

The Law Library will be holding the following A'Muse sessions this fall:

All sessions will be held in Room 114 at 4pm.  
Snacks and drinks are provided!

**October 21st: Helpful Tips for Interviewing via Skype** - *Carl Hamm, Multimedia Services Coordinator*. Employers are increasingly using Skype and other video-conferencing tools for interviews. Using streaming video can be an excellent way to impress your future employer--if you know how to use it correctly! As with any new technology, there are new considerations. What is appearing in the background of your videos? Where can you find a quiet place--with a strong wifi signal--to conduct the interview? How do you deal with technical difficulties or dropped calls? Leveraging experience with countless video interview sessions, Mr. Hamm, our Multimedia Services Coordinator, will review technical and practical tips for ensuring successful Skype sessions.

**October 28th: Legal Newsletters: Current Awareness & Subject Specific Tracking** - *Roger Skalbeck, Associate Dean for Library & Information Services and Professor of Law*. Current awareness isn't just for conversation at



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cocktail parties; part of a practicing lawyer's responsibility is to be aware of changes in the law as they happen. Join our new Law Library Director, Roger Skalbeck, for a summary of tools attorneys use to track legal news and gather intelligence on law firms and emerging cases and controversies.

**November 4th: Researching Using the Westlaw Topic/Key Number Feature** – *Joyce Janto, Deputy Director*. Why re-invent the wheel?

Westlaw has developed its Key number system for years. The feature is now prominently displayed on the main WestlawNext page, but how do you use it to do legal research? At this workshop, Professor Janto will teach you how to use topics and key numbers to find cases, statutes, and related materials within your jurisdiction and how to expand your existing research.

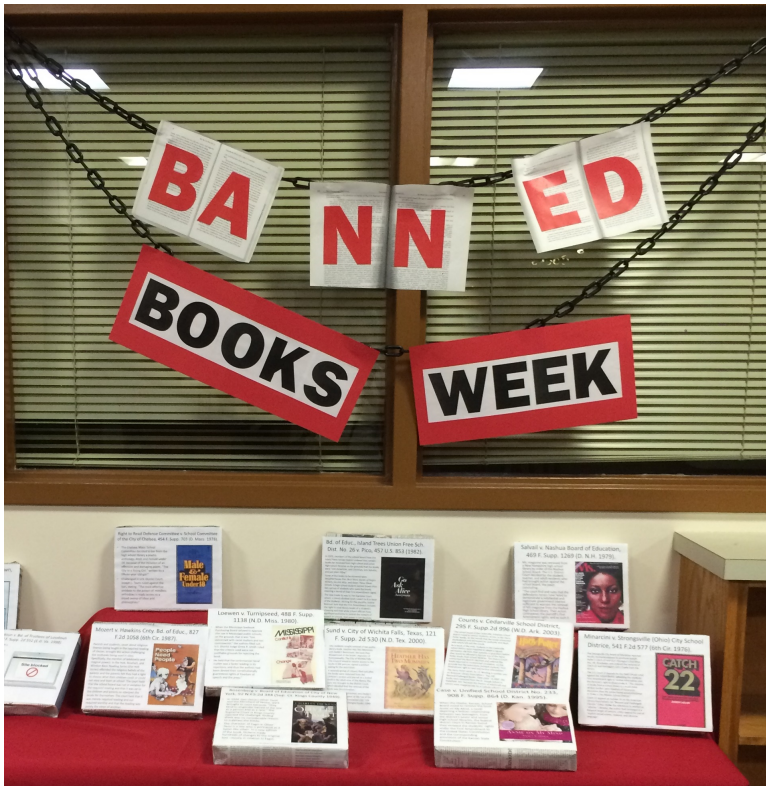
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**Fall Break may be over, but there are plenty of Fall activities to enjoy at the law school! Don't miss Fall Gathering this Friday, October 16th in the Jepson Alumni Center.**



Need a little peace and quiet? Reserve a study room in the library! Use the link above or click on

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Check in with your UR ID card at the circulation desk and they will give you a key. Rooms L2, 3, 5, and 6 can hold up to five students and room L4 can hold up to 14! Each room has a table and chairs and plugs available to hook up to the in-room flatscreen monitor.