

## 2008 SMUG Pre-Conference, Thursday, July 24, 2008

*Libraries are \*supposed\* to be relaxing – J. David Bavousett*

Libraries are considered by our customers to be quiet, relaxing places, yet every job in our industry is stressful at times, from the shelver with too many trucks of books to deal with, to the director who has to get the budget done right away! Regardless of your position in the library world, or that job's unique demands, everyone can use tools to help cope with the stress and make your work more pleasant and productive. In this session, David Bavousett will lead attendees through a holistic approach to job-stress management. We'll talk about techniques you can use, every day, to organize your work, make yourself more resistant to damaging office politics, lower your stress level, and maximize your potential to be the "star" in your library. You'll have several hands-on exercises that will lead you through a plan for immediate action you can use on your return from the conference, as well as setting some longer-term growth goals. You will be equipped with several great tools from out-of-the-box thinkers that you can choose from to help bring sanity back to your life, when things get out of hand. We'll actually get up and move around some in this class, so dress comfortably! Loose, comfortable clothing is recommended; persons with mobility difficulties will be accommodated for full participation.

*WorldCAT Local – Christa Burns*

\*\*Description not yet available\*\*

*OCLC's Collection Analysis – Christa Burns*

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## 2008 SMUG Conference, Friday, July 25, 2008

*Director's Workstation – Robin Bernstein*

Introduction to Director's Workstation with focus on "simple" reports and graphs.

*MARC Who?—Cataloging for the Non-Librarian – J. David Bavousett*

Some IT people come into libraries not knowing anything about the cataloging standards and methods used in libraries. This session will explain for IT people and others new to the library world about some of the standards and practices of cataloging, and how the technology supports that activity.

*Ask Sirsi – Steffi Prigoff (given twice)*

A SIRSI representative will be available to answer your questions such as (How can I ...? What should I ...? Who do I call at Sirsi to ...? When should I ...? Where can I find ...? Why doesn't Sirsi ...?) – Tell us your experiences (and challenges) with Unicorn - and if you ask us to – we'll give you a quick demo of the latest and greatest functions available for Unicorn. Or just stop by to chat and introduce yourself – we like being able to match voices with faces.

*OCLC Update – Christa Burns*

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*Learn JAVA Client – Steffi Prigoff*

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*Why Bother? Labels in JAVA Workflows – Nannette Bedrosky and Tim Glick*

An introduction to the Label Designer Wizard in the JAVA Workflows Client; why you should use the Label Designer Wizard; how to create templates; how to use the Print Custom labels report.

*Implementing and Customizing 360 Search – Becky Wymer*

From purchase through roll-out, this presentation will discuss Bellevue University's experience with the 360 Search (federated searching) implementation process. Topics to be covered: customer training/support, out-of-the-box vs. customization, subject organization, database coordination using EZProxy, statistics, coordinating the use of the Library catalog (iLink) in 360 Search, and troubleshooting.

*Archiving with contentDM and Sirsi – Casey Kralik*

This session will provide an introduction OCLC's contentDM digital management system for scanning and cataloging items from Bellevue University's archive collection and will also provide information on linking the catalog (iLink) to those items.

*ReSearcher: the Open Source Solution to Managing Electronic Serials – Rachel Erb and Jason Degn*

The onerous cost of traditional vendor electronic resource management products have often excluded smaller academic libraries from providing basic services such as OpenURL link resolving, federated searching, etc. At very best, libraries often forsake one service for another, and therefore, are unable to provide the same level of comprehensive research capabilities as larger, well-funded academic libraries. This session will focus on demonstrating several components of ReSearcher as well as describing its implementation. ReSearcher's efficacy will also be compared that of commercial offerings.

*Symphony 3.2 – Mark Andrews*

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