June 2016

UAB LIBRARIES JUNE HOURS

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DID YOU KNOW?

**June is an Important Month for UAB History**

**June 16, 1969**: Governor Albert P. Brewer announced the establishment of The University of Alabama System, comprised of autonomous campuses in Tuscaloosa (UA), Birmingham (UAB), and Huntsville (UAH). The University of Alabama in Birmingham (UAB) became one of the three universities in the new three-campus system.

**June 16, 1969**: Dr. Joseph F. Volker was named first president of UAB. (He had already been named first dean of the School of Dentistry in June 1948.)

*To hear an oral history with Dr. Volker, check out the UAB Digital Collections:*

June 7, 1970: In ceremonies held at the Birmingham Municipal Auditorium, UAB awarded its first degrees as an autonomous university to 478 graduates. Dr. Joseph F. Volker, UAB president, received the University's first honorary degree. Ronald T. Acton received a Ph.D. in Microbiology, becoming the first person to receive a degree from the University. Ellen Clyde Cook received a degree in Microbiology, the first master's degree awarded by the University, and George Adams, Jr., received a degree in Anthropology-Sociology, the first bachelor's degree awarded by the University.

June 1981: Eight Avenue South was renamed University Boulevard.

For more information about the history of UAB, please contact UAB Archives at www.uab.edu/archives or call (205) 934-1896 or (205) 934-9671.
GoToTraining for these upcoming lunchtime workshops in June and July! In-person attendees should bring their laptops – and lunches! – to the Fletcher Room on the 2nd floor of the Lister Hill Library (Reference area). Online attendees may register to join the training virtually at the links beside each class title. (Note: Registration is not required for in-person attendees.)

• **Introduction to APA** on June 15, 2016, 12:00 PM – 1:00 PM CDT
This class will cover the basics of APA style, including how to format references for books, book chapters, journal articles, and webpages, how to create in-text citations, and other odds and ends. Come with your specific questions.

• **Introduction to EndNote** on June 22, 2016, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM CDT
Would you like to get started using EndNote? This class will cover exporting citations from databases, organizing your library, finding full text, and working in Word. To download the software before the class, visit UAB IT’s Software & Subscriptions page: [http://www.uab.edu/it/home/software-a-subscription-resources](http://www.uab.edu/it/home/software-a-subscription-resources). (Note: We will not go through the installation process.) We look forward to seeing you in person (LHL Fletcher Room) or online!

• **PubMed - Basic & Advanced Searching Techniques** on Thursday, July 21, 2016, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM CDT
This class will focus on searching tips and techniques for PubMed, the premier biomedical literature database interface from the National Library of Medicine (NLM). Learn how to get started as well as how to use advanced techniques to target your search results and use MyNCBI to manage searches and search results!

Call 205-934-2231 for more information. We hope to see you there!

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Changes at UAB Libraries**

**LHL 1st Floor Renovation**

The renovation of the first floor is on track to be finished late this summer. We’re excited to bring you new paint and carpet and many new study rooms this fall!
Items are beginning to be shifted on the Sterne 2nd floor. Expect microfilm and fiche cabinets to be moved this month and to see some journals being boxed and moved while others are shifted. Look to signage for updates or check at the desk if you need help finding something.