PSL LIBRARY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
October 19, 2015
Rare Books Conference Room

In Attendance (Committee/Voting Members):

Ali Roghani – SOM
Ted Reid – SOM
Wade Redman – SHP
Ming Kang – SOM
Virginia Miller – SON
Monish Makena – GBS
George H. on behalf of Susan Bergeson – SOM

Dr. Roghani (Chair) called the meeting to order at 3:10 PM and a quorum was reached. The minutes were approved for the previous 08-17-15 meeting and will be posted on the Library’s website.

Old Business: There are thirteen new nature reviews title that started in September.

New Business:
Patrick Davis, IT Technician gave a demonstration on the new 3D printer that is currently in the Learning Research Center. All TTU Health Sciences Center students may use the 3D printer and will be available to use in December. The printer has a maintenance contract and was purchased under $5,000.00 through an HAM/NNLM grant.

Virginia Miller talked about the Beryl Institute request from some faculty. The Beryl institute is an online resource for people to have direct connection to the largest community of health care leaders committed to improving patient experience. The institutional membership price depends on FTE’s. FTE’s that are fewer than 200 the cost is $1,000.00 per facility, FTE’s more than 1,000 the cost is $1,500.00 per facility. School of Nursing is asking for this to be considered as a purchase to be used within the TTU Health Sciences Center.

Stephanie Shippey mentioned there are two new resources. They are called Board Vitals and Bates Visual Guide to Physical Examination, helpful tools for medical students. The tools are now available on the library’s homepage.

Discussions: None

Next Meeting: December 14, 2015

The meeting adjourned at 4:10PM