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LAUC Research and Professional Development Committee
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Dear LAUC Research and Professional Development Committee,

Please consider my proposal for the LAUC Presentation Grant as described below;

A. Summary and current status of the research project/activity

Screen sharing tools allow for sharing computer screens between participants; along with VoIP (Voice over Internet Protocol) and depending on the tool used; video via webcam. In the summer of 2012 an online version of UC Irvine's popular Research Consultation Service (RCS) was piloted utilizing Google+ Hangouts and Join.me. Ten members of library staff were trained on how to navigate and use the tools, provided background documentation and given a chance to practice prior to being assigned online RCS sessions. At the end of the summer pilot, online RCS was fully implemented and the sign-up form for students was re-designed to make their RCS options clearer to understand. The remaining members of the Reference, Collection Development, and Education & Outreach departments were trained on Google+ Hangouts and Join.me.

I will be giving a presentation with Cynthia Johnson on "The Ins and Outs of Screen Sharing: Google+ Hangouts and Join.me" at ALA Annual 2013 in Chicago, Illinois, June 28 – July 1, 2013. The presentation will summarize the history of the work performed during the first and second phases of the pilot project. The presentation has been accepted by LITA (Library Information Technology Association).

B. Description of and timetable for the activities to be funded by the Mini-Grant for Presentation Grant. If release time is required, please provide a sample signed memo or email from your department head or supervisor.

Activities to be funded by the mini-grant include housing, transportation and meal costs accrued during my trip to Chicago to attend the American Library Association Annual Conference 2013, where I will present with Cynthia Johnson on "The Ins and Outs of Screen Sharing: Google+ Hangouts and Join.me."

C. Budget Summary:

Estimated meal cost (4 days): \$256.00
Conference Registration fee: \$230.00
Estimated Hotel (\$150 + taxes x 3 nights): \$450.00
Estimated Airfare: \$450.00

Total Cost: \$1,386.00

**funding secured through librarian professional development fund \$621.00, librarian will cover amount over \$1121.00

Funding amount requested: \$500.00

D. Indicate whether the applicant is a member of the bargaining unit represented by the UC-AFT or a non-represented Librarian.

I am a current UC-AFT represented member of the bargaining unit.

E. Abstract of the paper or poster accepted for presentation.

Ever wished you can see what your patrons or other staff sees or that you can help someone from a distance? There are many free/freemium tools available that allow just that! Presenters will discuss different types of screen sharing tools and the privacy / security issues that need to be considered for implementation. Including interactive demonstrations of Join.me and Google+, presenters will share how they implemented using screen sharing with UC Irvine Libraries patrons and staff.

F. Name and Sponsoring Organization of the conference:

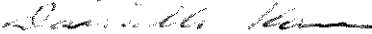
American Library Association

G. Description(s) of any funds that have been requested from other sources:

My Librarians Professional Development fund will provide \$621.00 to cover my flight and registration fees.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,



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Activity Name: ALA

Location: Chicago, IL

Description/Comments: Present at LITA

DATES

of Activity: 06/28/2013 - 07/01/2013

of Travel: 06/28/2013 - 07/01/2013

RELEASE TIME REQUESTED - 2 days

Supervisor Type	Name	Approval Status	Remarks
Immediate Supervisor:	JOHNSON, CYNTHIA A.	approved on Jan 16 2013 02:50PM	
Department Head:	JOHNSON, CYNTHIA A.	approved on Jan 16 2013 02:50PM	