

**Doe and Moffitt Library Exhibits Committee**  
**MINUTES**

**Meeting Monday, Sept. 28, 2020**

**Welcome New Members**

Alison Wannamaker, Nathaniel Moore, Sherry Lochhaas, and Leah Humphreys (as newly appointed co-chair)

**About the Exhibits Committee**

**EXHIBIT COMMITTEE**

**ACTION ITEMS**

- Brainstorm Session: Exhibits Committee

We are rethinking the scope and function of this group. What are we supporting while the physical location is closed? What are we, why do we exist? What is in our bucket?

Discussion:

- What is our role?
  - Support and education of exhibit creators and library users
  - Outreach to campus community
  - Promoting library collections
  - Creating exhibits?
  - Helping users connect with information and resources
  - Engaging with racial justice and the University's and Library's role in perpetuating anti-Blackness
- What is an exhibit?
  - What has been represented in the past?
  - What are the gaps in the exhibitions? What voices, subject matter, or content creators have not been represented?
  - How do we engage with topics of power and politics on the level of the exhibit? In relation to charge to incorporate anti-racist education and practices into the library.
  - Librarian talks/ salon series
- Spotlight exhibits.
- Discuss editorial suggestions for the Exhibits Committee Mission Statement

**Next Meeting Agenda Items**

- Brainstorm ideas for exhibits outreach and activities

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