

**SCHOOL OF INFORMATION  
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**SPRING  
CONFERENCE  
2018**

**APRIL 7TH, 2018  
9:30AM-4:30PM**

**MU STUDENT CENTER,  
LEADERSHIP AUDITORIUM**

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*American Society for Information Science and Technology (ASIS&T)*

ASIS&T is a student organization meant to forge new paths in Information Science research at MU.

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LTGSA supports the academic, intellectual and professional growth of students enrolled in the learning technologies programs at the University of Missouri.

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SAAMUSC is a student chapter that supports the academic and professional development of graduate students interested in archives, special collections, records, and data management.

**Special thanks to ASIS&T for acquiring the keynote speakers and to LISGSA for arranging scheduling, catering, student presentations, and reservations.**

# SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

**9:30AM:** Check-in

**10:00 AM:** Welcome and Announcements

**10:15AM:** Keynote Speaker - Iulian Vamanu

**10:45AM:** Nicholas Holladay, "Privacy Literacy"

**11:15AM:** Poster Presentations

**11:45AM:** Lunch provided by Pizza Tree

**12:30PM:** Keynote Speaker - Chris Freeland

**1:15PM:** Amanda Sauerwein, "ShamHacks: The Missouri S&T Hackathon"

**1:45PM:** Alora Bauer & Kerry Townsend, "From the Ground Up: Building a New  
Preschool Library Program"

**2:15PM:** Elizabeth Winter, "Achievements Unveiled: A Brief Biography of  
Grace C. Bibb-Sudborough"

**2:45PM:** Break

**3:00PM:** Rebecca Benson, "Old News: Audiovisual Preservation Training at  
KOPN"

**3:45PM:** Alex Urban, "Extra! Extra!: Proof of Concept for a News Literacy Video  
Game and Reflections on Game Design for Beginners"

**4:15PM:** Closing Remarks

# Meet the Speakers

**Iulian Vamanu** is an assistant professor at the University of Iowa. His research interests include information needs and uses in academia; arts and crafts, and religion; cultural knowledge and heritage in the digital environment; and ethical challenges related to the use of information technologies. He has recently published on reading habits among recent converts to Christianity and Islam and mediations of Native cultural heritage. Iulian Vamanu is currently working on a study of conceptualizations of heritage in the past twenty years of information sciences research.



**Chris Freeland** is the Director of the Open Libraries project at the Internet Archive, where he has been partnering with members of the library world to create the online equivalent of a modern public library for users with limited access. He is interested in the ways science and technology intersect in matters of cultural heritage and has published on new media and emerging technologies in libraries and museums. Chris Freeland has an M.S. in Biological Sciences and is currently pursuing an MLIS at the University of Missouri-Columbia.

<https://www.slis.uiowa.edu/research-profiles/vamanu-iulian>

<http://blog.archive.org/2018/04/03/meet-the-team-building-open-libraries/>

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