



Welcome and Introduction to the MERLOT-OHSL-Summer RISE Internship Program

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Agenda

- Welcome and Introductions
- Overview of MERLOT-OHSL project
- What you'll be learning and doing
- Schedule and requirements
- Questions, discussions, etc.

Introductions:

- Your Name,
- Your personal goal(s) for the Internship,
- Your Career Interests



**Talent is equally distributed around the world but
opportunity is not.**

**Our job will be to provide the
educational opportunities for
people around the world to
develop their talents by
providing free and open educational resources
online**

About MERLOT and OHSL

www.merlot.org

<https://ohsl.us/>



Learning Digital Literacy Skills for the Digital Future of Healthcare & Biomedical Research

Technology is transforming healthcare:

- Digital library of content
- Digital educational
- Digital health portfolios
- Digital documentation

Technology is transforming biomedical research

- Digital libraries of content
- Digital collaboration
- Digital training
- Digital publications



Schedule and Requirements

You have options for plans that work best for you!

Schedule and Activities

- https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1-D9F_o4kVIkqK7Khj8s7n2GmLyfjuZDn/edit?gid=1328197840#gid=1328197840
- We will have periodic webinars
 - Instructional Webinars where you learn digital literacy skills essential for research and learning
 - Progress Sharing Webinars where you share your progress on your plans and we address questions and issues.
- You have a lot of self-directed activities
 - Creating an online profile in MERLOT
 - Choosing a research “persona” to guide your efforts
 - Building online collections of free learning resources for your “persona”
 - Reflecting on your learning

Requirements

- **Show Up: Attend the training and sharing sessions.**
 - If you can't make a session, you need to let Khushi know beforehand. Sessions will be recorded so you will be able to review the sessions (whether you miss it or want to review)
- **Be Prepared:**
 - You will need to share your progress on your plans and activities. Be organized and succinct.
- **Be Collaborative**
 - You need to share and support each other – you can connect with each other as the first resource for help
- **Deadlines Matter**

Learning How To Use MERLOT - Tomorrow

MERLOT Community

- Becoming a member
- Connecting to others
- Deciding on the “persona” that you want to serve.
- WHO do you want to help educate?

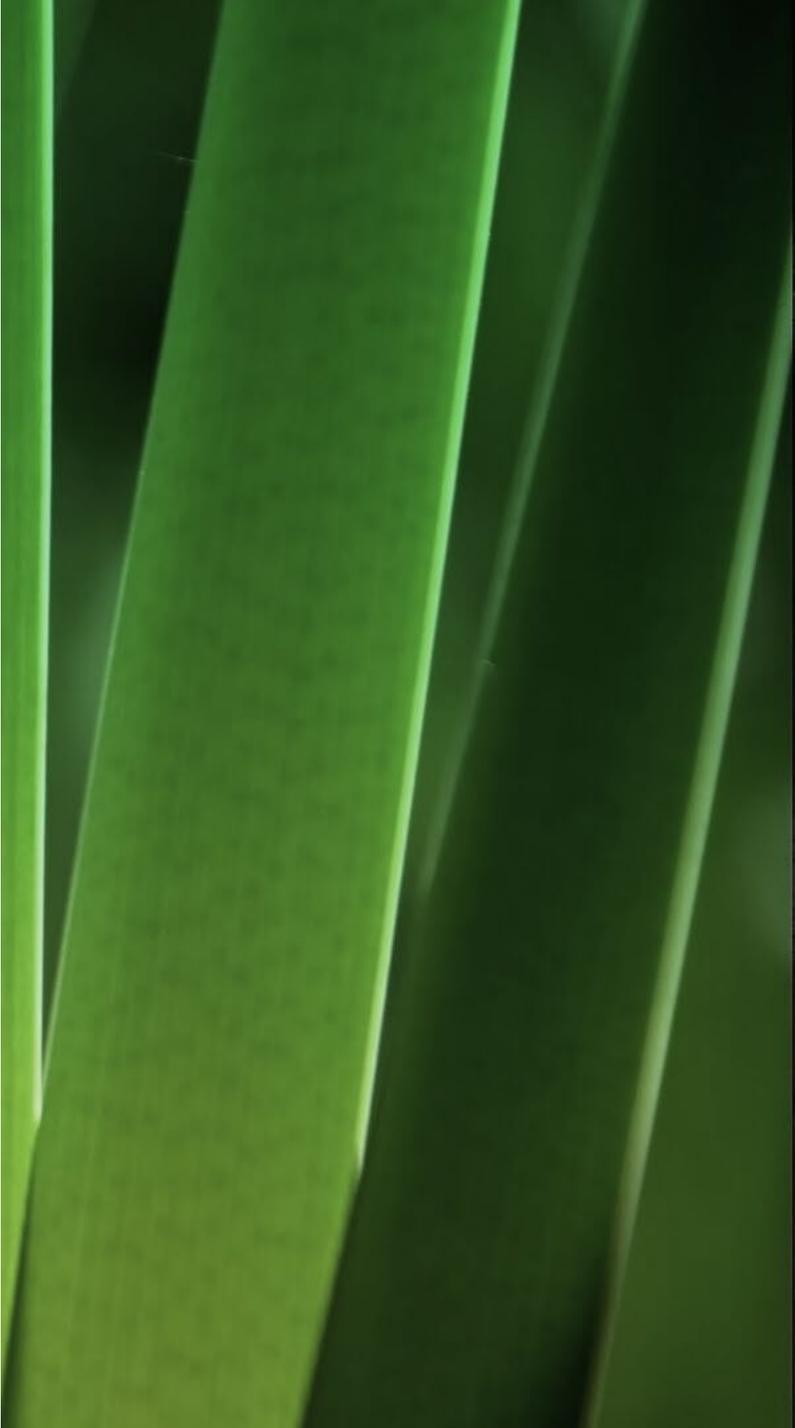
MERLOT Collection

- Exploring the collection –
 - Understanding the taxonomy of disciplines
 - Understanding the types of materials
- Becoming a librarian 😊
 - Finding relevant materials online
 - Cataloging materials to build your collections
 - Commenting and curating your collections



Ask questions!

All things are difficult until they becomes easy...



Thank you

Questions?
Comments?