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Pellom McDaniels wins research award for African American Civil War-era exhibit

Congratulations to Pellom McDaniels III, curator of African American collections at the [Stuart A. Rose Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library](#). He won the Center for Research Libraries 2017 Primary Source Award for Research for his 2014 "What Must be Remembered: An Exhibition Inspired by Natasha Trethewey's 'Native Guard,'" based on the two-term U.S. poet laureate's poem about an African American Civil War soldier.

[Learn more about the award and the exhibit](#)



Pellom McDaniels III.
Photo courtesy Emory Libraries.

New alumni continue to enjoy Emory library privileges



Emory's newest alumni have much to look forward to -- including continued access to Emory Libraries' resources. Photo by Tom Brodnax.

Graduating from college can be bittersweet. But new alumni don't have to say goodbye to the library at Emory -- they can still enjoy access to many of the same Emory Libraries resources they had as students. Once they receive their new Emory Alumni Association ID card, a new world opens up to them.

[Learn more about alumni library privileges](#)

Emory Libraries, ECDS, Atlanta Studies and Chicago Steppin collaborate

Our Feb. 23 event, "Let's Go to Work! Chicago Steppin in Atlanta," brought new audiences to the Emory Libraries, but it also highlighted collaborations already at work.

Recently, Chicago Stepper and event co-organizer Anjulet Tucker, chief of operations in the Emory University President's office, wrote a blog entry for [Atlanta Studies](#) (a digital publication housed at [Emory Center for Digital Scholarship](#)) discussing the event's goals and the short film on Chicago Steppin produced by our own ECDS.

[Read Tucker's Atlanta Studies blog entry](#)

[Watch the video "Let's Go to Work! Chicago Steppin in Atlanta"](#)



Chicago Steppers take a turn on the Schatten Gallery floor at the Feb. 23 event. Photo courtesy Rose Library.

Oxford Library Game Night a favorite among students



Oxford College Library student employees attempted to escape from the zombie apocalypse themed escape room. Photo courtesy Oxford College Library.

Each semester, the [Oxford College Library](#) hosts a Game Night for students, with gaming systems, board games, and even an Escape Room. Attendance has climbed over the years as students look forward to a night of de-stressing with friends before finals.

[Read more about Oxford Library's recent Game Night](#)

Emory Libraries in the news



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Quincy Alexander dances at the Alexander Schinnerer estate in Harlem, New York, 1934. (UPI or Getty Images)

[Daily Serving](#), an international art publication, ran an item about "Still Raising Hell: The Art, Activism, and Archives of Camille Billops and James V. Hatch" (which remains on view in our Schatten Gallery until May 28).

[WABE](#) interviewed Cynthia Perry, moderator at the Woodruff Library's "Memorial Drive: Site-specific Dance in Atlanta," about the subject ahead of the April 6 event.

The [Irish Times](#) featured a story about poet Seamus Deane, including mention of his papers [housed in the Rose Library](#).

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