Teleworking Student Assistants - What on Earth Can They Do from Home? – Chat log

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Lara Flint -> All Participants: Reminder: If anyone can't hear, you'll need to connect your audio - go to Audio >Audio Connection at the top left menu and choose phone (toll call) or computer. You'll see an icon next to your name once you're connected.

Caroline Gilson -> All Participants: @Elisabeth - do you just have Sarah working at home, or do you manage more at-home students?

Phyllis Johnson -> All Participants: Are you recycling the microfiche?

Chad Deets -> All Participants: Do you think that your institution will move towards doing more remote based student work regularly moving forward, or only while COVID restrictions are in place?

Celina McDonald -> All Participants: That's how I feel about my student worker too.

karina ricker -> All Participants: Sarah, you are a history major and seem to enjoy this govdoc library work. what other academic programs would you guess might have students that are interested? How can we make the work attractive to a prospective student worker?

Laura Baker -> All Participants: It would be great if we could all have student workers who were interested in library science! Any tips for hiring students who can handle the attention to detail and repetitiveness of some of their tasks, and maybe even like it?

Tabitha Carr -> All Participants: I have done some training with students on new platforms using Zoom share screen. It was such a blessing.

Debbie Gomes -> All Participants: according to their presention, The Internet Archive is accepting any fiche/film that libraries are getting rid of.

Caroline Gilson -> All Participants: @Sarah, how many hours do you work a week? What's the workload expectation? Do you meet weekly with Elisabeth online? How do you two communication if you have questions?

Jakera Webb -> All Participants: Have you done any projects with WebTech Notes?

Whitney Kehl -> All Participants: I am a gov docs student assistant, currently in library school for my Masters. I was in an Art History program during undergrad- I think AHI and Anthropology students may be interested!

Will Stringfellow -> All Participants: @Sarah, have you found a favorite government document you've come across? If so, what is it?

Celina McDonald -> All Participants: Jakera is my student and she's been doing work on them with me.

Lara Flint -> All Participants: Elisabeth, you have found your people if you've ~38quot;always been fascinated with WebTech Notes!~38quot; ;-)

Whitney Kehl -> All Participants: Hi Karina, I think of those two majors because in my experience people in those majors don't know ~38quot;what to do~38quot; with their BA in those subjects after graduation, library school pairs well with them and I also think government related work can also be a nice progression, which students may not have much exposure to. Even if not planning on library school, working with gov docs is eye-opening to agency work and

its role in society!

Jakera Webb -> All Participants: Govdocs is so interesting for History majors! I am one too!

Susanne Caro -> All Participants: It would be great if there was a place where we could all share the projects our students are working on - who knoews how long this pandemic will last

Jen Kirk -> All Participants: Sarah, thanks for sharing your perspective with us today!

Celina McDonald -> All Participants: That would be great!

Jen Kirk -> All Participants: @Susanne, happy to collaborate with you on that.

Ashoo Kumar -> All Participants: that is great idea

Caroline Gilson -> All Participants: great presentation, thank you

Jakera Webb -> All Participants: Thank you!

Laura Baker -> All Participants: So very helpful! Thank you all!

Laurie Aycock -> All Participants: thanks!

Debbie Gomes -> All Participants: Thank you melissa ~38amp; Sarah

Jen Kirk -> All Participants: Thanks to you both!

Susanne Caro -> All Participants: Thank you!

Will Stringfellow -> All Participants: Thank you both!

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