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### Roger Williams University School of Law Library ResearchFest 2023

#### Invitation to Law School Community

Good afternoon!

Your law librarians cordially invite you to ResearchFest 2023!

Join us on WEDNESDAY, August 30th in the Law Library from 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

for a digital resources showcase. Expert trainers from some of our favorite vendors will be on hand

to teach you about their products.

What can you expect to learn?

- How to access and use our digital study aid collections;
- How to find eBooks;
- How to find court dockets and filings;
- How to find legislative materials and congressional documents; and
- How to access our latest and greatest in digital resources.

Stop by to learn but also plan on enjoying pizza, prizes, and giveaways!

For more information, see our ResearchFest guide.

Sincerely, RWU Law Librarians





Wednesday, August 30<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am – 3:00 pm Law Library

ResearchFest is a digital resource showcase.

Attend to speak with vendors about their products and their use in practice.

Your librarians will also be on hand to demonstrate

useful tools for research and study.

# There will be something for everyone!

#### Join Us!



#### Who Should Attend?

#### **First Year Students**

- Learn about study aids in print and helpful guides to help you find the best study aids for your classes (LawGuides & Study Aids)
- Discover the third major legal research platform, HeinOnline...
- Find out how to gain free access to the digital edition of the New York Times.
- Learn about using CALI as a study resource.
- Discover great resources that you can use in school and at home to learn more about the law. (All!)

#### **Research Assistants**

- Learn about the #1 resource for PDFs of law reviews, federal statutes and regulations, and much more. (HeinOnline)
- Learn more about eBooks that can save you photocopying time and money. (RWU Law Digital Library, Ebook Cental, and eBooks on demand via the WebCatalog)
- Find out where to get free court dockets and filings in federal and state courts. (Docket Alarm).
- Discover how to access the New York Times digital edition for the latest news and legal developments.

#### **Law Review Members**

- Learn more about eBooks that can save you photocopying time and money. (RWU Law Library Digital Library, Ebook Central, and eBooks on demand via the WebCatalog)
- Learn about a legal research alternative to Lexis and Westlaw that integrates with HeinOnline. (Fastcase)
- Discover the best resource to find legislative history or locate Congressional documents. (ProQuest)

#### **Student Groups**

- Find out how to subscribe to the New York Times digital edition to help you identify interesting topics for discussion and ideas for guest speakers.
- Discover our topical LawGuides, chock full of resources for many different practice areas.
- Learn about a major legal research platform that's bound to have something of interest for your group. (HeinOnline)
- Find electronic treatises to help you learn more about your area of interest. (RWU Law Digital Library)

#### **All Students!**

Visit with expert trainers that provide amazing resources beyond Lexis and Westlaw, get fun giveaways, eat pizza, enjoy some snacks, and enter to win prizes while you learn about research resources!

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Learn how to search for federal, state, and administrative court dockets and materials.





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#### Law Librarian Demonstrations

#### Presented by the RWU Law Librarians

(up to 15 minutes each)

10:00am Kanopy

10:30am HeinOnline

11:00am CALI

11:30am New York Times

12:00pm Kanopy

12:30pm Docket Alarm

1:00pm HeinOnline

1:30pm CALI

2:00pm New York Times

2:30pm Docket Alarm







