Oh, the Things You’ll Curate
Using LibGuides and LibWizard to Promote Collections and Track Success

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**Goals**

- Understanding of how to use:
  - LibGuides to showcase a collection
  - LibWizard to keep track of suggestions and checkout agreements
  - Statistics to see return on investment for social media posts and events
• Attended The Library Collective conference in 2017

• Right fit for our campus

• End of the year
Things

• Raspberry Pi Kit
• GoPro Hero
• Waffle Maker
• Codenames
• Blender
• DSLR Camera
• Drawing Tablet
• Sushi Go Party

• iPhone Chargers
• Laptop Chargers
• Sewing Machine
• Umbrellas
• Ice Cream Machine
• Portable Charger
• Character Cake Pans
• And More
Curating

• Visually appealing

• Easy to manage
• Created June 2017
  • Official launch November 2017

• Things placed into 3 main categories
  • Games, Home and Kitchen, and Technology

• Template available via the LibGuides Community
LibWizard

• Take suggestions

• Track compliance forms
• Library of Things rotator is embedded in our digital signage
Check out a Sphero from the Library of Things

Checkout these items at the Main Desk!
Stats

• LibGuides and LibWizard reports

• Correlation between promotions and increase in stats
Board Game Day!!!
Wednesday, March 28
4:00 - 6:00 pm
Library Lower Level

Most circulated
LoT Tech Item

Library of Things
1st Birthday Celebration!
Tuesday, November 27
4:00 - 7:00 pm
Free Food, Games, & Fun!

Brookens Library UIS @UISLib - 17 Oct 2018
It's NationalPastaDay!!! Did you know UISLib has lots of cookbooks available for checkout? We also have a Pasta Maker in our LibraryOfThings (LoT) Collection! So grab a cookbook, checkout the Pasta Maker & start carb loading! For more info visit our Library Of Things & Kitchen LoT blog: usuis.edu/LoTthemeandlist...
Thanks!

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