Events

'Searching and beyond' - a skills training workshop for systematic reviews developed by information specialists for information specialists.
14th January 2016, 9.30 - 4.30pm
Exploration Lab, Exeter EX4 4SZ
Cost: £165
Booking and further details:
http://store.exeter.ac.uk/browse extra_info.asp?compid=1&modid=2&deptid=42&catid=44&prodid=1168

Measuring and enhancing research impact (webinar)
Wednesday, 20 January 2016; 10:30am - 11:30am
1 MLA CE credit
Cost: $25 (NAHSL members); $40 (non-members)**
To register via Wild Apricot, go to:
http://northatlantichealthscienceslibraries.wildapricot.org/event-2098698

HEALTHINF 2016: 9th International Conference on Health Informatics
21 - 23 February 2016
Rome, Italy
http://www.healthinf.biostec.org

Health technology assessment: choosing which treatments get funded
Free online course: starts 15 February 2016
Presented by the School of Health and Related Research (ScHARR) at the University of Sheffield
https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/hta

Publications of Interest

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4499286


Foster MJ. An overview of the role of librarians in systematic reviews: from expert search to project manager. JEAHIL 2015;11(3):3-7.

http://www.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov/pmc/articles/PMC4279929/

https://www.cadth.ca/pruning-emtree-embase


Websites of Interest

**Perma.cc**

https://perma.cc/

From the website: Perma.cc is a service that helps scholars, courts and others create web citation links that will never break. When a user creates a Perma.cc link, Perma.cc archives the referenced content and generates a link to an archived record of the page. Regardless of what may happen to the original source, the archived record will always be available through the Perma.cc link.

**Grey Matters: a practical tool for searching health-related grey literature**

https://www.cadth.ca/grey-matters

Now revised and updated, explore CADTH’s free online resource for grey literature searching. Updated: December 1, 2015.

**Semantic Scholar**

https://www.semanticscholar.org/

From the website: Use our state of the art facets to home in on the specific papers you’re looking for. Our system identifies influential citations and references, making it easy to discover important papers. Our system extracts key paper elements like references, citations, key phrases and figures to help you scan a paper much faster. Our customized experience makes searching for and reading papers faster and easier, even on your phone. Built by the Allen Institute for Artificial Intelligence (Al2).

**IRG Research Activities**

Check out our website for PowerPoint presentations on the progress of all current IRG projects: http://www.htai.org/interest-groups/information-resources/irg-materials-events/2015-annual-meeting.html.

Updates on SuRe Info, the HTAi Vortal, the Classification Scheme project and the HTA by Geography project were presented at the HTAi 2015 IRG Annual Meeting.

The IRG eNewsletter is put together by the following IRG members: David Kaunelis (Canada); Catherine Voutier (Australia); Dagmara Chojecki (Canada); and Jaana Isojärvi (Finland). Have any events, news, or interesting papers or websites you want to share? Just email DavidK@cadth.ca.