User Services Lightning Round

- Lisa McNeal, Appalachian State U.
- John Borne, Louisiana State U.
- Craig Lamb, Empire State College
- Momi Ford, Indiana University
- Kimberly Brookes, Simmons College
- Sheri Stahler, Temple University
- Ronan Glynn, MSKCC





POSTER SESSION

Thursday, Oct. 30

4:55-6:10

Technology at Simmons College Boston MA

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SIMMONS COLLEGE

- Undergraduate women: 2,060
- Graduate men and women: 2,873
- Students living on campus: 1,137
- Faculty and staff: 676 full-time,
 431 part-time (1,107 total)
- Central IT department:
 "Technology at Simmons College"

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OVERVIEW

Technology has taken the lead in educating students about down-loading music/movies and sharing files illegally

- academic consequences
- personal risks
- ethics
- legal alternatives

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METHODOLOGIES

- Communication: combine fun and learning
- Collaboration
 - Residence Life: "Simmons Cup" inter-hall competition
 - Vendor sponsorship

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ACTIVE LEARNING

- The draw: Karaoke competition
 & inter-hall Cup points
 - "Trivia" questions about filesharing & DMCA issues
 - Interactive audience response system ("clickers")
- Discussion facilitated by the "host"

"Rockstar is a delicate combination of popculture, 'trivia,' and friendly but intense competition."

