Sterling Memorial Library Exhibits Program
Roles and Responsibilities

Students applying for the Senior Exhibit Project at Yale University Library will need to identify a faculty advisor as part of the application process. The faculty advisor will work with the student for the entirety of the exhibit production period.

Faculty Advisor:

- Works with Exhibition Production Coordinator, librarian liaison and student curator to establish exhibition production schedule that agrees with student’s academic calendar
- Works with student curator to define the parameters and expectations for how the exhibit work will contribute to their final senior project
- Works with student curator to develop theme and focus of exhibit and case outline. Contribute subject expertise to content development
- Reviews student curator’s draft exhibit text and edits text with particular focus on subject overview and accuracy
- Optional participation in item selection process, if desired/needed by student curator, and serves as a resource to the curator as they develop the exhibition content
- When needed advises student and library staff on best practices in the field of study for completion of copyright and fair use worksheet provided by the Yale Office of General Council