

### **3A—Critical Pedagogy**

*What's With All the Owls? Critical Pedagogy and Student Staff Development, Jeremy McGinniss (Baptist Bible College and Seminary).*

Employing students in the library is a unique opportunity to engage the student staff in an integrated, critical process. The tenets of critical pedagogy provide the motivation, framework, and principles to realize the full potential of student staff development, for the benefit of the student as well as for the library. Developing a critical pedagogical approach gives breadth and depth to student staff development, transforming library employment from merely working on campus towards the understanding that all true living is learning. Library student employment as a critical practice is an opportunity to develop and grow that understanding.