



The Library: We Help You Learn

New to the Library:

- **Research Databases added to the Library**
- **Web delivery of ILL articles**
- **eBooks added to the Library collection**
- **Library welcomes new staff members**
- **New Library Proxy Server**

Dear Students, Faculty, and Staff Members, I am excited to bring you news about your Library here at Wilmington College. The Wilmington College Library is often thought to consist exclusively of physical objects such as books, journals, and rolls of microfilm. And, with over 100,000 items stored on its shelves, that would, in part, be correct. Librarians and staff work diligently in support of learning to acquire, process, catalog, preserve, and maintain an ever-growing collection of materials. However, the Library provides access not only to physical objects such as books and print journals. There is an ever growing number of electronic journal articles, newspapers, eBooks and cutting edge online reports available 24/7 through the resources licensed by the Library. In this newsletter you can read about our newest research databases includ-

ing CINAHL with Full Text, SocINDEX, and "SMP" (Security Management Practices) used for Criminal Justice, Homeland Security or Emergency Management research. Yes, the Library provides access to an amazing array of over 80 research databases, but the Library provides amazing service as well. It can be said that this service adds value to library resources by helping users (You!) access them. Read in this newsletter about a service that delivers interlibrary loan articles to your desktop. Read also about our new proxy server which opens access to all library databases from off-campus locations. And read about our newest Library staff members who join the dedicated Library team working to extend the scope of the Library. This is an exciting time for the Library and an exciting time for the Wilmington College community of learners. We look forward to helping you learn.

- Jim McClaskey, Director

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Library Proxy Server

The Library is pleased to inform the Wilmington College community that you can now do library research from the convenience of your home or office. Previously, off-campus access to Library resources was limited to use of your Library barcode. Now, by using your Blackboard or WebCam-

pus portal login and password, you are authenticated to access the Library's full array of research databases including: Proquest Criminal Justice Index, Hoover's Online, Digital Dissertations, SMP (Security Management Practices), LexisNexis, Westlaw, Encyclopaedia Britannica, links to the

NetLibrary collection of eBooks, as well as all EBSCO-host and FirstSearch databases. Now you can do your research when you're ready, not just when the Library is open!





eBooks Support Research Across the Curriculum

The Library recently acquired access to over 130 electronic books available from NetLibrary. NetLibrary is one of the many electronic book producers and distributors. NetLibrary books can be browsed and read on the web.

HOW TO FIND THEM:

The easiest way to find all of our cataloged NetLibrary eBooks is by typing "NetLibrary" into the library catalog search field and clicking on **Search Everything**. This technique yields a list of available NetLibrary eBooks. Clicking any title in the resulting records will display our print and eBook holdings for that title. Many eBooks are held by the Library in a tradi-

tional print format, but others are only available online. Clicking the link under the "Electronic Access" heading in the title record will take you directly to the NetLibrary site for the selected book. Here you can "View this eBook."

HOW TO READ THEM:

The NetLibrary "View" function allows instant page-by-page browsing from the title page through to the final index entry, with equations, tables, notes, bibliographies, and other scholarly matter faithfully reproduced on screen. To view eBooks from off-campus you will need a NetLibrary account. If you have not already done so, open an account by clicking

on "Create a Free Account" at the top of the welcome page, <http://www.netlibrary.com/>. Once in the eBook site itself, you can perform full-text word searches across our selections, or even against the entire NetLibrary collection of 20,000 university and trade press titles, which brings an unprecedented bit of between-the-covers search power to your desktop.

FREE "PUBLIC" COLLECTION: NetLibrary also offers uncataloged online access to many titles for free: this is what they call their "Public Collection." Ask a Wilmington College Librarian for more details.



Mark your calendars for the first ever Delaware Book Festival to be held November 4th on the Legislative Mall in Dover, DE.

Authors, publishers and bibliophiles of all kinds will converge on Dover to celebrate reading, writing, and books for all ages. Info on the web at

<http://www.debookfestival.lib.de.us/>

Web Delivery of ILL Articles



The Library is pleased to announce a new service providing electronic delivery of copies requested through interlibrary loan (ILL). Milo Gibbons, Library Technician and Bill Smith, Librarian for Public Services now use Ariel in the interlibrary loan process to send and receive what was formerly mailed between libraries. Ariel Web Delivery is a new service that provides patrons with web access to articles requested through ILL. Here's how it works:

1) Choose "Web Delivery" as the pick-up location on your journal article request form (remember to include your email address). Not all articles will be available in electronic format, but we will deliver as many as possible this way. We receive the majority of our articles from other libraries electronically.

2) If the article is available in a .pdf file, and you have indicated to us that you would like it

delivered to your email address, you will receive an email when the article is available for viewing. Do not delete it, as it will contain important information!

3) From your email, you will be given a pin number and directed to a website where you can access your article. Once you type in your email address and pin, you will be directed to a link for your article.

4) Your document will be available for 30 days, or for you to view up to 10 times, whichever comes first. During that time, you may view it or print it out. Once 30 days have passed, it will be automatically deleted from our server.

5) To view your article, you will need to have Adobe Reader on your computer. If you don't already have it, you may download it for free @ <http://www.adobe.com/products/acrobat/readstep2.html>

New Library Displays

Two new displays in the Library, put together by Library Assistant Dillon Naylor, help inform and educate the community. In September, the Library celebrated the freedom to read by displaying examples of library-owned titles that have been banned at various times in American history. Our current display, done in part-

nership with the Wilmington College iTAC Division, focuses on cyber security. In the words of one industry professional "Cyber attacks happen, and awareness is the first step along the road to prevention." Feel free to stop in to the Library to view our ongoing displays. We're here to "help you learn."



SMP for courses in Criminal Justice, Homeland Security or Emergency Management

The Library is now offering a access to Security Management Practices. **SMP** is an online resource that brings a diverse assortment of expert reports each month exploring topics such as: securing the enterprise network, planning for disruptions, managing risk, protecting intellectual property,

protecting and training employees, establishing security best practices, deploying network security appliances, using biometric technologies for network and physical security, managing organizational risk and more. Contact a Wilmington College Librarian for more information.



New Nursing, Social Science & Newspaper Library Databases

Nursing and Social Science research are now supported through new Library databases. **CINAHL with Full Text** includes all of the content in **CINAHL** plus cover-to-cover full-text for 383 nursing journals. **SocINDEX** focuses on the Social Sciences and contains full-text for 344

journals dating back to 1895, 700 books, and full text for 6,800 conference papers. **Proquest National Newspapers** includes full-text back to the mid 1980's of New York Times, Wall Street Journal, Washington Post, Los Angeles Times and Christian Science Monitor.

Contact a Wilmington College Librarian for more information.



Library Staff

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- James Bradley, Librarian
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- Milo Gibbons, Library Tech
- Larissa Gordon, Librarian, Dover
- Adrienne Johnson, Grad Center
- Larry Manuel, Librarian PT
- Anna McCloskey, PT
- James McCloskey, Director
- Dillon Naylor, Library Assistant
- Kailah Neal, PT
- Janet O'Brien, Workstudy
- Andrea Reed, PT
- Pamela Shukitt, Librarian
- William Smith, Librarian

Library Book Club



Join us on January 10th at 12:00 as we meet to discuss the new book by Charles Frazier,

"Thirteen Moons."

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**Peoples Library Hours
 New Castle**

Monday-Thursday
 9:00am- 10:00pm

Friday
 9:00am- 8:00pm

Saturday
 9:00am- 5:00pm

Sunday
 1:00pm- 8:00pm

**Dover Library Center
 Hours**

Monday-Friday
 10:00am- 6:00pm

**Wilson Graduate
 Center Resource
 Room Hours**

Monday-Thursday
 4:30pm- 7:30pm

**Stephen J. Betze
 Library Hours
 Georgetown**

Monday-Thursday
 8:00am- 10:00pm

Friday
 8:00am- 4:30pm

Saturday
 9:00am- 1:00pm

Finding Articles: [Google](#) vs. [Library Databases](#)

Issue	Google	Library Databases	Advantage
Getting There	Just type in "google.com"	Go through library website	Google
Setting up the Search	Just type it in	Must first choose a database	Google
Search Results	Lots of fluff and non-article results	Usually on target and trustworthy	Library Databases
Cost	You may have to pay	No Charge	Library Databases
Overall Efficient use of your Time	Getting there easy, but finding good articles: NOT	Getting there not so easy, but finding good articles: YES	Library Databases
Final Score: Library Databases 3, Google 2 WINNER: Library Databases			

Information provided by CMN Community College

**Join us in Welcoming our
 New Library Staff Members**

Please join us in welcoming new Library staff members. Our new full-time Library Assistant, Dillon Naylor, recently graduated with a Bachelor of Arts from the University of Delaware. She has worked for the St. John's College Library in their preservation department. Adrienne Johnson, part-time Librarian in the Wilson Graduate Center, recently graduated with an M.S. from Drexel University's College of Information Science. Anna McCloskey joins the Library part-time and will support the Ariel scanning operation. Work-study student, Janet O'Brien, will help us keep up with the mail and other projects. Welcome to you all!

Library Mentors Support Student Learning

Educational research has shown that "frequent student-faculty contact in and out of classes is the most important factor in student motivation and involvement." (Source: Chickering, and Gamson, "Seven Principles for Good Practice in Undergraduate Education." *AAHE Bulletin*, 1987, 39(7), 3-7.) In support of this research, Library staff members Pam Shukitt, James Bradley, and Jackie Correia have each volunteered considerable time and energy to help mentor several Wilmington College students throughout the school year. Part of this effort involves participating in the weekly "Lunchbox Talks." Students have reported favorably about these times together. And speaking of the Lunchbox Talks, on November 8th, Librarian James Bradley will lead a conversation about "Advanced Googling" as part of this series. Thank you Pam, James and Jackie for caring about student learning!



From L to R: Janet O'Brien, Anna McCloskey, Dillon Naylor, and Adrienne Johnson