

News Notes



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OSU Libraries news for faculty & staff

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News



Update of Buckeye Alert System: The safety and security of our campus community is of the utmost importance, which is why Ohio State is updating the Buckeye Alert database that is designed to provide rapid notification to alert students, faculty and staff of an emergency situation that requires them to take immediate action. When such a situation arises, Public Safety sends text and voice mail messages to the cell phone numbers listed in the Buckeye Alert database. This database was created in 2006 and now contains outdated information.

Your cell phone number must be in Buckeye Link – and properly labeled – to remain part of the Buckeye Alert system after September 30, 2011. This will ensure that you receive any emergency messages in a timely manner. Buckeye Alert will only be used for emergency messages, and your cell phone number will not be publically available or distributed to outside organizations.



NOTE: It is important that you register your cell phone number in Buckeye Link even if you previously registered for the Buckeye Alert system.

To update your Buckeye Alert information:

- Log-in to Buckeye Link at <http://buckeyelink.osu.edu/>
- Select “My Student Center”
- Scroll to “Contact Information”
- Click on “Home Phone”
- Enter your cell phone area code and telephone number under Cellular
- Save

**OSU, Columbus State
program begins new**

collaboration: A new Ohio State collaboration with Columbus State Community College will facilitate the transition of Columbus state



students into the Ohio State experience and then foster the success of those students. Set to launch in autumn, 2011, the Preferred Pathway program will provide qualified Columbus State students with a guided route to an Ohio State baccalaureate degree. The program represents a landmark collaboration between Columbus State Community College and The Ohio State University, providing a guaranteed, guided route to an Ohio State baccalaureate degree for program participants. Participating students pursue curricular "pathways" designed jointly by faculty from both campuses. Benefits for participants include:

- joint academic advising coordinated by advisors on both campuses
- an enhanced orientation to Ohio State
- early participation in Ohio State's First Year Experience and other transition programs

The OSU Libraries will be participating in this new initiative, starting with the upcoming fall quarter. Columbus State students enrolled in the Preferred Pathways Program will have the following library privileges at OSU:

- **Access to databases and e-journals:** Preferred Pathways students already have access to OhioLINK electronic resources through their home institution. With a guest pass in Thompson Library, SEL, or departmental libraries, they will have access to all databases (OhioLINK, OSU-only, or others) on the library premises. They will not have remote access (access at home or elsewhere) to any databases licensed or purchased ONLY for OSU students and faculty.
- **Checkout of books:** Preferred Pathways students can check out books from OSU Libraries for 21 days, with 4 renewals possible. They already have this book-borrowing privileges as students at an OhioLINK library.
- **Borrowing of books from other libraries:** Preferred Pathways students will continue to have the same ability to borrow books from other OhioLINK libraries that they already have, but they can designate Thompson Library as a pickup point for books borrowed from other OhioLINK libraries.
- **Access to facilities:** Preferred Pathways students will have access to all OSU library facilities, but for late evening access (after 11:30 p.m.) access to SEL (Science/Engineering Library), their Columbus State Student card will need to be encoded with student identification data that can be read by the Lenel card system. Also, their Columbus State card will need to have a special sticker showing their Preferred Pathways status to security guards who check student IDs in SEL after 11:30pm.

First Year Experience will provide a special orientation to Preferred Pathways students before beginning of fall quarter, and the Library will provide handouts and other materials to these students at this event.

“Seeing Differently: How Visual Materials from OSU Special Collections can Enrich Teaching and Learning,” Wednesday, August 31, 2-3:30 p.m.,

Thompson Library, Room 150 A/B: Plan to attend a session on visual literacy and the use of visual resources from Special Collections in the OSU Libraries, led by Amanda Gluibizzi, Eric Johnson, and Nena Couch. This will be an informal discussion (and demonstration) of how librarians can show students and faculty the effectiveness of images in developing knowledge of history, science, culture, and the arts, in highly interdisciplinary ways.

Travel Training Session, Thursday, August 25, 10 a.m., Thompson Library, Room 150A: Anyone who travels on university funding will find this session useful and informative. Led by Kathryn Beach, the workshop will provide updates on travel policy, as well as step by step instructions on how to fill out travel request & reimbursement forms to ensure a smooth process for those traveling.

“The Library’s Role as a 21st-Century Publisher,” with Rebecca Kennison, Thursday, August 25, 11 a.m. – noon, Thompson Library, Campus Reading Room, 11th floor: Rebecca Kennison, Director of the Center for Digital Research and Scholarship at Columbia University, will discuss the current state of library publishing and highlighting recent innovations at the Columbia University Libraries in producing scholarly journals, monographic works, and conference proceedings. The presentation is a unique opportunity to hear from someone who has been particularly strategic in thinking about the issues and challenges libraries face in working with faculty and developing a new role for world class research institution. Substantial time for questions will be part of the program as well. Ms. Kennison’s visit is hosted by the Scholarly Resource Integration Department.

Ms. Kennison is the Director for the Center for Digital Research and Scholarship (CDRS), part of Columbia University Libraries/Information Services (CUL/IS). As Director, she is responsible for developing the programs and services of the Center and for coordinating these efforts with other CUL/IS divisions, including the other departments within a division called Digital Programs and Technology Services, which includes the Columbia Center for New Media Teaching and Learning, the Copyright Advisory Office, the Libraries Digital Program Division, and the Preservation and Digital Conversion Division.

Information Literacy Toolkit Preview, Tuesday, August 30, 10 a.m., Thompson 150 A/B:

This session, given by Karen Diaz, is part of the series intended especially for subject librarians as they work with faculty and others, but everyone is encouraged to attend.



University News



Pelotonia 2011 recap: \$9 million strong and growing: Nearly 5,000 riders and countless volunteers teamed up to make Pelotonia 2011 an overwhelming success on Saturday, August 20 and Sunday, August 21. This year's edition has raised nearly \$9 million (fundraising continues through Oct. 21), which brings the total to more than \$21 million since the ride's start in 2009 — and every cent goes to cancer research at Ohio State.



Deadline Approaching for Parking Tag Renewals: Don't forget that it's time to purchase parking hang tags for the coming academic year. A new tag will be required as of September 1. For complete information and instructions, check the [Transportation and Parking](#) web site.

Plan now for student move-in traffic September 15 and 18: Student move-in to residence halls will affect campus traffic patterns on Thursday, Sept. 15, and Sunday, Sept. 18. On September 15, about 1,400 Ohio State Welcome Leaders (OWLs) will move in between 8 a.m. and 3 p.m., resulting in heavy traffic on streets near residence halls. On September 18, more than 5,000 students are expected, and central campus will be closed to all non-move-in traffic from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. Faculty and staff are advised not to move their cars on the 15 and to avoid campus on the 18 if possible. Detailed information is available at <http://www.tp.osu.edu/alerts/studentmovein.shtml>

People



Trisha Davis, left, head of Serial Electronic Resources and Rights Management, at her August 18 retirement celebration. Pictured with Trisha is colleague Dracine Hodges.

Retirement Party

FOR LATINA MOSS

Wednesday, August 31, 2011

2-4 p.m.

*Mortarboard Centennial Room 202
Thompson Library*

1858 NEIL AVE., COLUMBUS, OH 43210



Exhibits



“Translation...openeth the window, to let in the light’: The Prehistory and Abiding Impact of the King James Bible Exhibition,” Rare Books & Manuscripts Library

art and, of course, the KJB itself—from the 17th century to more recent editions.

*Through August 28
Thompson Library Gallery*



RBMS King James Bible exhibition: This year the King James Bible (KJB) celebrates its 400th anniversary. Printed in 1611 after a seven-year translation effort undertaken by six teams of scholars and divines working at Oxford, Cambridge and Westminster, the KJB in the succeeding centuries has become one of the major monuments of English language and literature. The Rare Books and Manuscripts Library will be mounting a major exhibition exploring the KJB, its medieval and early-English precursors, and its lasting influence on literary and cultural production from the date of its publication to the present day. This exhibition should feature something to suit everyone's tastes, including medieval manuscripts, original copies of the many different English Bible translations produced during the 16th century, literature and art inspired by the style, language and content of the Bible (such as works by John Milton, William Blake, Herman Melville, Cormac McCarthy, Barry Moser, Jim Dine, Nathaniel Hawthorne, and more), comic