



QuickNotes

January 17, 2006

OSU President Holbrook to speak at Book Donation ceremony Wed., January 18 at 11 a.m., Thompson Library room 210. A delegation from the People's Republic of China's Consulate in New York, headed by the Consul General, Mr. Biwei Liu, will make a formal presentation of books to the University Libraries. President Karen Holbrook will attend the small ceremony and reception. Guo-qing Li, Chinese Studies librarian, is preparing a display of the books. Coffee and tea will be served. Libraries staff are invited to attend. For additional information, please contact Guo-qing Li.

New Home for Libraries' Online Courses. Beginning in Winter 2006, the online credit courses taught by Nancy O'Hanlon and Karen Diaz will be offered under the sponsorship of the Colleges of Arts & Sciences (ARTS&SCI). They were previously offered through Undergraduate Student Academic Services (USAS). More information about the courses, including a new course approved in December, Online Research Strategies for Career Exploration (ARTS&SCI 122D), is available at: <http://liblearn.osu.edu/courses/>

OSU Libraries Undergraduate Research Prize. This is a reminder of this new award for students. The deadline for submissions is April 1, 2006. The award recognizes a team of student, instructor and librarian, who work together to produce an outstanding research project in any upper division undergraduate course (300 or above). More information about the program, including a flyer that you can distribute, student journal and submission forms, and the faculty assessment form, are available at: <http://liblearn.osu.edu/award/>

The Copyright in Education Series is being offered by Michelle Deis, Head of the Health Sciences Copyright Management Office. Four classes covering educational use of copyrighted materials will be offered from February to May on the first Wednesday of each month, from 11:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Classes are held in Room 400 of the Prior Health Sciences Library. You may register for any of these classes through the library website at <http://library.med.ohio-state.edu/>, click on Instruction and Curriculum Support, then click on Knowledge Now.

RSS Program on Tue., January 31 at 7 p.m. Ginny Browne, Knowledge Management Librarian at OCLC will present a program on RSS at the Kilgour Auditorium at OCLC. The program covers: What is RSS? Do you know the difference between a blog and RSS? What are the benefits for the individual, for the library? Does RSS really make the information environment better for the information consumer? For location information and map go to: <http://www.oclc.org/oclc/menu/to-airpt.htm> 6:30 - 7:00 p.m. - Refreshments. 7 - 8 p.m. - Program. Everyone is welcome to attend this FREE event-

Please make reservations with Patricia Furney at <mailto:pfurney@cml.lib.oh.us> or 614-361-3621.

This week's ReadAloud features OSU Library colleagues Mark Boarman of EHS Library and Michael Grimes of Serials/Electronic Resources Dept. Come take a break with us in the Sills Lounge area from 3-4 p.m., Thu., January 19. Free refreshments.

The Winter Quarter Training Sessions for New Student Employees. New student employees are required to attend a single two-hour library orientation workshop. The Winter Quarter workshops for new student employees will be held on the following dates:

Wednesday, January 18: 2:30-4:30p.m.

Friday, January 27: 2:30-4:30p.m.

All workshops will be held in **Room 122 of Main Library**. Refreshments and activity prizes will be given to the students who attend. No reservations are needed.

There are four more candidates scheduled to interview on campus for the Catalog/Catalog Coordinator/Metadata Librarian positions. The resumes, comment sheets, and candidate interview schedules are available on the Libraries Staff Web page under Employment / Professional Positions Available. You will need the staff ID and password to access the page. *If you are involved in any of the interviews, please print the resumes, comment sheets and interview schedules from the Web.* Please note that there is an open meeting with library employees scheduled (see below) for each of the candidates and you are encouraged to attend and participate. If you are unable to attend, you could review and comment on the resumes. **Open presentation topic:** "The role of the catalog in the Internet Age"

Remaining candidate names, interview dates, open meeting times and locations as follows:

Keith Manecke, Jan 17, 10 - 10:45 a.m., Room 122

Barbara Dunham, Jan 18, 10 - 10:45 a.m., Room 122

Maureen Walsh, Jan 31, 10 - 10:45 a.m., Room 122

Janet Keppler, Feb. 2, 10 - 10:45 a.m., Room 122

The next issue of QuickNotes will be sent to "Liball" on Tue., January 24. If you have something you'd like included, send it to Pam McClung at <mailto:mcclung.26@osu.edu> by Mon., January 23. Please make the subject heading "QuickNotes."