

# Information Links

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## EVANS LIBRARY HONORS FLORIDA TECH PRESIDENTS



A brand-new north foyer display pays tribute to the leadership of Florida Institute of Technology's three former presidents. Biographical information and information resources highlight the accomplishments of the late Dr. Jerome P. Keuper, the late Dr. John E. Miller, and Dr. Lynn E. Weaver.

Continuing in the Library's lobby is a display welcoming Dr. Anthony J. Catanese and Mrs. Sara Catanese. This three-month display features President Catanese's publications and professional interests. The case contains many of his books, as well as articles and other information about these new campus celebrities.

## EXHIBITS AND DISPLAYS

Continuing in the Library's federal depository is a timely bulletin board display on "Living in Space." It features historic and current information on related space research.

As always, partial proceeds from the sale of the Creative Source photographic cards and works of art from the ever-changing Brevard Watercolor Society exhibit benefit the Library's endowment funds.

## SPECIAL LIBRARY HOURS

The Library will observe break hours until fall classes begin on Monday, August 26. Reference service will be available 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Monday through Friday.

The Library's break hours are:

Monday - Friday	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday	CLOSED

Fall semester hours will be:

Monday through Thursday	8:00 a.m. - midnight
Friday	8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday	10:00 a.m. - midnight

Fall semester reference service will be available during the following hours:

Monday through Thursday	10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday	10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday	2:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Looking ahead, the Library will be closed in observance of the campus Labor Day holiday on Monday, September 2.

## FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK - DR. CELINE ALVEY



The Library Directors of ICUF institutions, negotiating as a group with database vendors, have realized steep discounts, in some cases paying close to 78% less than individual institutions for database licenses. Through collaborative purchasing through ICUF, the Evans Library has been able to renew database licenses to ProQuest, including ABI Complete with Hoover's and Research Library Complete at a cost of \$2.31 per FTE; and Literature Resource Center at a cost of \$2.04 per FTE. In addition, the Library will drop microfiche subscriptions to the New York Times and Wall Street journal in order to subscribe to ProQuest Newsstand. Newsstand provides electronic access to the New York Times (current and last 3 years), and the Wall Street Journal, with comprehensive coverage of 140 newspapers, and selective coverage for a total of 500 national and international papers. Newsstand access will cost \$.94 per FTE.

## FALL 2002 GRADUATE RESEARCH WORKSHOP - DATES ANNOUNCED



Dates have been set for the Fall 2002 graduate research workshop. These workshops will take place in the Library's Edwin A. Link Multimedia Room from 9:00 a.m. until 12:15 p.m. on Friday, November 1, and Saturday, November 2. Additional information and a registration form may be found on the LINK ([www.lib.fit.edu](http://www.lib.fit.edu)) or at the Service Desk. Geared toward the research needs of graduate students, especially those preparing theses and dissertations, these two identical sessions each will begin at 9:00 a.m. and will involve three distinct one-hour modules - 1) search strategies, 2) LINK resources and services, and 3) subject-specific break-out sessions. For more information or registration, graduate students who are interested may contact Joanne Savage, Instructional Programs Technician, at [jsavage@fit.edu](mailto:jsavage@fit.edu) or at x7656. Reservations are required by Tuesday, October 29, and should include name, Florida Tech ID, email address, phone number(s), modules desired to attend, date of requested workshop, and student's program of study.

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