

Information Links

News and Information from the Evans Library
Florida Institute of Technology

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EVANS LIBRARY HONORS FLORIDA TECH PRESIDENTS - PAST AND PRESENT



Two Library displays highlight the leadership of all four Florida Institute of Technology presidents. A foyer display features biographical information and information resources spotlighting the accomplishments of the late Dr. Jerome P. Keuper, the late Dr. John E. Miller, and Dr. Lynn E. Weaver. In the lobby is a display welcoming Dr. Anthony J. Catanese and Mrs. Sara Catanese. It features President Catanese's publications and professional interests and contains many of his books, as well as articles and other information about these new celebrity panthers.

OTHER EXHIBITS AND DISPLAYS

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. Ongoing on the third floor is a display of government information on "Living in Space."

FALL 2002 GRADUATE RESEARCH WORKSHOP



Registration is in full swing for the Fall 2002 graduate research workshops. 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 Library

Information NetworkK (LINK) (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 features, 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 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.



"INFORMATION LINKS" OPTIONS

A full-color, online pdf version of each month's "Information Links" can be found on the LINK. Paper copies of the current edition can be found in the Library's first-floor handout rack. Also available under the LINK's "General Info" is an electronic archive of past newsletters.

FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK - DR. CELINE ALVEY



The Library faculty and staff join me in wishing each of you a warm welcome-back.

The Library Information Advocates joined me on August 8 to welcome new faculty, with packets of information about Library services and the ever-popular \$200.00 in Library money, 'legal tender' for selection of books or other resources for the collection.

Please visit the Library! We spruced up a bit during the summer, with some new upholstery, and find ourselves in the queue for attachment of a Library-funded Evans Library sign to the building. The Director's Desk has moved from the northeast corner of the first floor to the center of the first floor, adjacent to the public computers. Please stop by.

Most important, we devoted time during the summer to organizing the mountain of information obtained in the Spring '02 Faculty Focus Groups. These groups, jointly sponsored by the Faculty Library Committee and the Library, gave faculty an opportunity to discuss with us their needs and those of their students for Library information resources and services. The Faculty Focus Group Report will be reviewed by the Faculty Library Committee at its first meeting this fall. Following that, the report will be shared with the faculty who participated in the groups, then with all interested faculty, and finally with the Administration.

Any of the faculty who were unable to participate in the Spring but who are interested in attending a future focus group session should let me know at calvey@fit.edu.

Celine Alvey

FALL 2002 LIBRARY HOURS

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



Regular fall semester hours are:

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

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.

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