

# TUC Library Newsletter – December 2013

## News of Note

- We are pleased to announce that our new User Services/Instruction Librarian, Jacquelyn Ray, will be starting on December 17. Prior to coming to TUC, Ms Ray was Access Services Librarian at Southern New Hampshire University, and she has also been a librarian at Klamath Community College and Lane Community College. As User Services Librarian, Ms Ray's responsibilities will include circulation, reserves, interlibrary loan, and hiring and supervising student assistants. She will support students, faculty, and staff in the College of Pharmacy (with Becky Miller) and the Graduate School of Education (with Tamara Trujillo). Ms. Ray's office will be adjacent to the circulation desk – please feel free to stop by and say hello!
- On Sunday, December 15 from 10am until 7:00pm the Library's Computer Lab and 4 of the study rooms (210, 211, 212, 214) will be in use for the MPH Comprehensive Exam and thus will not be available for general use. Printing, copying, and scanning will be available in the Library's Copy Room, which also has a PC. There are two other PCs along the windows on the south side of the Library.

## Library Hours for December 2013

Please see the attached for December hours, or [click here](#) for the complete fall hours.

## Resource Spotlight: CINAHL

[CINAHL](#), one of our EBSCO databases, is designed specifically for research in nursing and allied health. However, additional medical topics such as alternative/complementary medicine and consumer health are also well-represented, and CINAHL includes literature on world-wide OMM research and indexes the *International Journal of Osteopathic Medicine*, *Journal of the American Osteopathic Association*, and others. At TUC, we have CINAHL Plus, which includes full-text for more than 770 journals, with coverage going back to 1937. In addition to journal articles, the database also provides access to selected books, dissertations, conference proceedings, audiovisuals, and more. The CINAHL database also contains Evidence-Based Care Sheets and Quick Lessons, which provide concise overviews of diseases and conditions and outline the most effective treatment options.

CINAHL's Advanced Search interface gives you many powerful search options, including the ability to search by clinical queries and to limit results to evidence-based practice. CINAHL assigns subjects to articles in the database using its own set of subject headings, which incorporate MeSH vocabulary (the subjects used in PubMed) when appropriate but reflect terminology used by nursing and allied health professionals. Searching using these subject headings can be a good way to explore a topic. If you would like helping searching CINAHL or taking advantage of some of its advanced features, please [contact a librarian!](#)

Find a link to CINAHL on the [A-Z Databases list](#). Please give CINAHL a try and let us know what you think. Is it useful? Is there something else out there that is better? We always appreciate your feedback on Library resources!– [Becky Miller](#)

## Featured New Book

In 1988 having just finished college and about to go into medical school, Dave Isay happened to walk into a shop on the New York Lower East Side owned by a couple, both recovering heroin addicts with HIV, who shared their dream with him about creating, before they died, a museum for stories having to do with addiction. Isay became so engaged in their story and their dream that he contacted the local radio station and asked them to do a news story about this couple. The news director told Isay she did not have anyone to do the story and told him that he should do it. He did, and it was heard by a producer of NPR - the rest is history. Over the last two decades Dave Isay has won numerous awards in broadcasting. He is also the founder of [StoryCorps](#), a large oral history project begun in 2003, which to date has conducted more than 50,000 interviews throughout the United States. The interviews are conversations between ordinary citizens "that celebrate the power of the human bond and capture the moment at which ... enduring connections are formed." All StoryCorps interviews are preserved at the American Folklife Center at the Library of Congress. You may have heard StoryCorps interviews on NPR's Morning Edition. To celebrate the 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of StoryCorps, a selection by Dave Isay of some of the interviews have been published in his new book, [Ties that bind: Stories of love and gratitude from the first ten years of StoryCorps](#). The Library also has the earlier StoryCorps book, [Listening is an act of love: A celebration of American life from the StoryCorps Project](#). The stories in these books are brief. These are books that can easily be picked up and put down, but you probably will keep reading.

## New Acquisitions

[Click here](#) to see what books, videos, and other Library materials were added to the Library collection in November. If you have suggestions for items the Library should consider purchasing, please send them to [Tamara Trujillo](#).

## Lost & Found Items in Library

The items were recently left in the Library: hooded jacket; blanket; USB drive; 3 travel mugs; water bottle; reading glasses; charger; notebook; carrying case; glove; medallion. Lost items should be claimed in the next 5 days, after which the items will be taken to Facilities. See attached list for more details about these items.

## Other Library News

Between Library Newsletter issues, Library news can be found on the [New in the Library page](#), or follow the Library on [Facebook](#).