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We publish *INSIDE The CU Libraries* weekly, when classes are in session. Here we share information about our services and resources with the campus community. Current and back issues are available online through the NEWS link on the [Libraries' homepage](#).

New Journals And Databases



We've added new electronic databases and enhanced existing ones that provide you with access to thousands of new journals.

These journals are available in electronic form from anywhere, and at any time, you might need them.

This is the second part of a four-part series that will provide you with an overview of these new information resources.

- [Art Source](#). An enhanced version of *Art Abstracts*, the indexing and abstracting tool of art related journals, dissertations, and art reproductions. It contains the electronic full-text of more than 600 journals, 220 full-text books and a collection of over 63,000 images.
- [Education Source](#). An enhanced version of *Education Research Complete*, with 600 additional full-text journals, (a total of more than 1,800) and 550 books...all selected to meet the needs of education students, professionals, and policy makers.
- [Humanities Source](#). This new database is designed to meet the needs of students, researchers, and educators interested in all aspects of the humanities, with worldwide content pertaining to literary, scholarly, and creative thought. It includes the full-text for more than 1,400 journals, with citations to over 3.5 million articles, including book reviews.
- [LitFinder](#). Provides access to literary works and authors throughout history and includes more than 150,000 full-text poems and 800,000+ poetry citations, as well as short stories, speeches, and plays. This database also includes secondary materials such as biographies, images, and more.
- [World Politics Review](#). This is a daily online publication and resource for foreign policy professionals and readers with a serious interest in international politics and foreign affairs. Its original articles are written by a network of contributors from around the world, and include subject-matter experts from journalism, research organizations, academia, government, and elsewhere. This database currently has thousands of articles in its archives, and produces more than 75,000 words of original content per month.

PILOT

Search the Libraries' online catalog

Databases A-Z

Search the Libraries' extensive collection of electronic journals and e-books

Contact Us

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These databases are available through the [Libraries Homepage](#). In the green "Research" block, click on the [Databases](#) link, then scroll down the alphabetical list or use the alphabet links to jump to the appropriate section of the list.

If you have questions or need assistance, stop by the Libraries or call Carlson Library at 393-2490, Suhr Library at 676-6591 or Clarion Online distance education students may call toll-free at 866-272-5612, (press 5 for Library). Our Chat and other online services are available through our website using the [Ask a Librarian!/LibAnswers!](#) link.

Student Tip: White Boards



Could your study group benefit from using a white board?

Carlson Library has white boards available in all the group study rooms and numerous mobile white boards are available on Level A. The large mobile white boards are on wheels, and can be moved almost anywhere on Level A. Small white boards double as easels and they too can be moved anywhere on the floor.

You can check out whiteboard markers from the Circulation Desk. (Please do not use other markers. They can ruin the boards).

Library Tip: Easels



Do you need an easel for a special presentation or display?

Carlson Library has light-duty, fold-up easels available for short-term loans.

Check them out at the Circulation Desk.

Library Tip: Photocopying



Have you photocopied anything lately?

We have found that few people use photocopiers in our Libraries these days. Most students and faculty use our electronic resources. When they want a hard copy, they simply send it to one of our printers.

Because of the low use and high cost, we retired the old-fashioned copy machines that were in the Libraries. You can still get your own copy, though! The printer on Level A of

Carlson – as well as Suhr Library's printer - can scan and print – or scan and send to email.

Cost comparison:

"Old" Photocopiers ... 10¢ per page

New Printer Copies ... 5¢ per page

New Scan To Email Option ... FREE!

The S.W.A.T. Team on Level A is ready to help you print, copy, and scan!

The S.W.A.T. Minion's Tip: Printing Facts



Some random facts about printing at the University Libraries:

- Pay for printing on Carlson's Level A, 1, or 2 – and at Suhr Library - with your student ID card (it was pre-loaded with \$5 at the beginning of the semester).
- Save some money on printing by using “duplex” (back-to-back) printing! This works especially well on larger jobs.
- Used your \$5? Add as little as \$1 on Carlson Level A.
- You can use coins or bills to pay for printing at Suhr Library and on Carlson Level A and (*this is new*) on Level 1.
- The printers at Suhr Library and on Carlson's Level A are special! Sure, they can print. They can also copy, and scan to your email account...and scanning is *free*!

As always, the S.W.A.T. Team Minions are here to answer your questions. You can find us on Level A of Carlson Library

Cranial Candy: Word Of The Week



tawdry

PRONUNCIATION:

TAW dree (rhymes with "Audrey")

MEANING:

Something tawdry is both cheap and showy.

In other words, tawdry things are tacky, tasteless, and shoddy.

PART OF SPEECH:

Adjective (Adjectives are describing words, like “large” or “late.”

They can be used in two ways:

1. Right before a noun, as in “a tawdry dress.”
2. After a linking verb, as in “The dress was tawdry.”)

HOW TO USE IT:

Use discretion--no one wants to be called tawdry!

Although we do not "repair" computers, the **S.W.A.T. Team**
(the **S**tudents **W**ho **A**ssist [with] **T**echnology)
on Level A of Carlson Library
is always happy to help.
Having an issue? Let us take a *swat* at it!

Something To Think About:



*Coming together is a beginning;
keeping together is progress;
working together is success.*

- Henry Ford