

NEWS FROM THE LIBRARY

Central Carolina Community College Library

Fall 2016

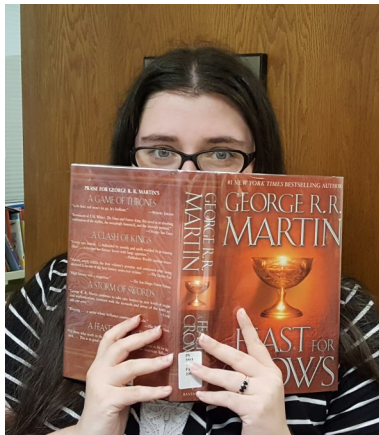
Staff Changes

You may have seen some new faces around the Library recently.

At the Harnett Campus Library, Barbara Bera has replaced Barbara Wood as our Library Assistant. She will be working Monday through Thursday from 9:30 am to 7:00 pm, and Friday from 7:30 am to 3:30 pm. Barbara has been our evening Library Assistant at the Lee Campus Library, and we're thrilled that she'll be joining us full time. Stop by the Harnett Library to say hello!

While you're there, congratulate our Harnett Instruction and Outreach Librarian, Jennifer Seagraves, who will now be with us twelve months a year, instead of nine.

Replacing Barbara as our evening Library Assistant at the Lee Campus Library is Jessica Thomas. Jessica completed her internship for the CCCC Library and Information Technology program with us over the summer and joined our staff officially this fall. Come by and say hello!



Jessica Thomas

Fall Events in the Library

- Banned Books Week
September 25-October 1
- Voting promotion and registration information
October 3-14
- Haunted Library
October 24-31
- Maker Fair (on student activity days at Harnett and Lee)
Harnett: Oct 18
Lee: Oct 19

Congratulations, Tara!

Some of you may have noticed that the name attached to the Library Director emails and office has changed. No, we don't have a new Director. Tara Guthrie got married on June 4th and is now Tara Lucas!

Stop by to say congratulations to the bride!



"Last semester my students formed a study group that utilized the study room before their tests by using the large screen TVs to review notes. I noticed their test scores improved significantly and I now recommend it to all of my students!"

- Emma Belcher,
Biology Instructor,
Lillington Campus

Resource Spotlight:

Films on Demand

We've said it before, and we'll say it again: if you're not using Films on Demand, you're missing out! From silent newsreels from the early days of film to ab workouts and yoga, Films on Demand really has it all! No matter what classes you teach or take, Films on Demand will have a video to support your teaching and learning.

[http://
bit.ly/2aYpaME](http://bit.ly/2aYpaME)

NC LIVE Homegrown eBooks

This resource offers scholarly and popular eBooks exclusively from North Carolina authors and publishers. They have more than 1000 titles and they're constantly growing. Take the time to check them out and find the best that North Carolina has to offer!

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bit.ly/2bnkyxW](http://bit.ly/2bnkyxW)



Request New Materials

Faculty, staff, and students are encouraged to request library materials. We will do our best to purchase requested materials that meet our collection development guidelines and as budget funds allow.

To suggest a title, visit our webpage and click on the "Suggest a Purchase" link in the "Request Forms" section of our "Help and Contact" page.

<http://www.cccc.edu/library/help/request-forms/>

Don't forget your student I.D.

Students who have not yet had their ID card printed can stop by the library at either Lee or Harnett County campuses to have one printed. (Chatham students should have their ID

made in the main building and get their library card in the front office.) Please remember to bring proof of enrollment such as a printed class schedule or a receipt from registration.

Returning students can come by to get an updated Fall 2016 sticker.



Share Your Voice!

Sign up to participate in a User Experience study in the Library!

This fall the Library will be conducting a User Experience study of our Research Guides. Students interested in participating will attend a focus group to discuss their needs and complete a short (and fun!) activity in October.

Participate for the chance to share your opinions, let us hear your concerns, and ensure that your needs are met with our re-design of these tools. You might be eligible for some prizes too!

Contact Samantha O'Connor at soconnor@cccc.edu or sign up here: <https://goo.gl/forms/w3RrebpVUfgnImWf1>

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<http://www.facebook.com/cccclibrary>

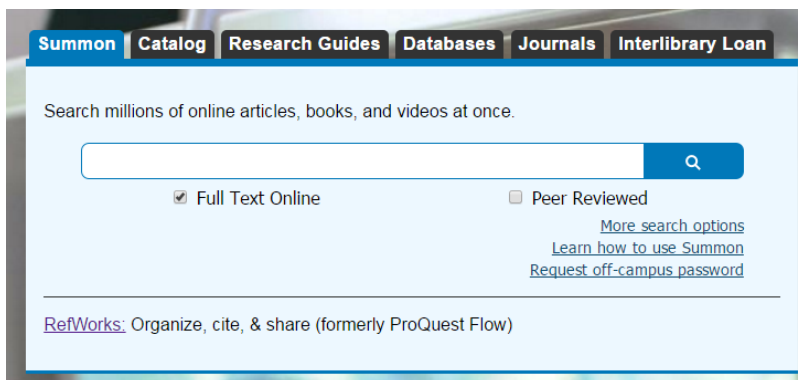


Website changes

Our website continues to evolve to meet changing student and faculty needs. Over the summer we developed a few small changes that we believe improve our website functionality significantly.

Research Guides

You can now search for Research Guides directly from the Library's home page by clicking on the "Research Guides" tab. Find a list of available Guides, or search for your subject area or course in the search box.



Periodicals

You can now locate print periodicals including daily newspapers, popular magazines, and print journals using our magazine and journals search under the "Journals" tab.

More to come

If you haven't visited our website in a while, come check out these updates at <http://www.cccc.edu/library>, and keep an eye out for more improvements over the coming months!

FACULTY CORNER

New! Embedded Librarians

Last spring the Library piloted a program to bring our information literacy instruction to distance education students in online classes. This semester we are widening our scope to bring more online library instruction into your Blackboard courses.

In our embedded instruction modules we provide targeted instruction on: conducting research in the library's tools and resources, developing effective search strategies, evaluating sources, and crafting citations. Librarians are also available to provide research assistance and answer student questions throughout the semester.

We have a few slots open this semester. If you're interested in learning more about this program, contact Caroline Hallam at challam@cccc.edu for questions about embedded instruction at the Lee and Chatham campuses or Jennifer Seagraves at jseagraves@cccc.edu for questions about embedded instruction at the Harnett campus.

Schedule Your Class for Library Instruction!

As your fall classes get underway, don't forget to include a visit to the Library. Library instruction benefits students in multiple ways, giving them an overview of Library resources available for research

projects and papers, getting them started with the critical skills necessary for effective online searches, and helping them to evaluate scholarly articles and think critically about the sources they use for information.

The Library offers full class-length sessions tailored to a specific assignment, as well as 15 minute refresher sessions.

If you want to schedule an instruction session for your class this fall, please fill out our instruction request form available in the faculty section of the Library's website at <http://www.cccc.edu/library/faculty/>.



New Research Guides for Faculty and Staff

Faculty and Staff Professional Development Guide

Did you know the Library offers a variety of resources to support faculty and staff professional development? From books on teaching and academic administration to scholarly articles featuring the latest research in your field, the Library offers it all. Get started locating and using these resources with our new “Faculty and Staff Professional Development Guide” available at http://cccc.libguides.com/professional_development

Guide to Using Library Resources in Blackboard

Have you struggled to embed Library resources in your Blackboard courses in the past? Have you added links that later show up broken? Do videos from Films on Demand refuse to play? We have a Guide for that! Check out our “Guide to Using Library Resources in Blackboard” to learn how to: link to subject-specific databases, link to scholarly articles, and embed videos or video segments from the Library’s online resources. Find this Guide at <http://cccc.libguides.com/linking>



Guide to Copyright Questions for Faculty

Do you have an article you’d like to share with your students? Or a large document you want printed and bound by the Copy Center? If you’re not sure about copyright laws that affect you as an educator, get quick answers to your questions in the Library’s new “Guide to Copyright Questions for Faculty.” Find this guide at <http://cccc.libguides.com/copyright>

Collection Review Reminder

Faculty completing their end of cycle review this year should contact Tara Lucas at tlucas@cccc.edu to schedule a collection review for their curriculum area.

A collection review is a good opportunity to ensure that the Library’s collection of books, media, and other resources reflects your students’ needs, and provides current, relevant information in your subject area.

2015-2016 was a busy year in the Library!

We had **120,553** visitors to our Lee and Harnett campus libraries.

Students, faculty, staff and public patrons checked out **12,464** physical materials, a **9% increase** over last year.

We provided **1,074** Interlibrary Loans to our users, while loaning **427** of our materials to others libraries in the state, region, and even across the country.

Our Librarians taught **107** information literacy sessions, a **49% increase** over last year, to a total of **1,964** students.

Students booked our study rooms **3,744** times, an **86% increase** over last year, for a total of **7,417 hours**.

Library Staff answered **14,227** reference questions.

Users conducted **286,476** Database Searches to retrieve **34,780** full text articles.

Students and public patrons printed **\$8,769.85** worth of documents and copies, a **31% increase** over the previous year.

Thanks for keeping us busy this year.

Stop by this Fall to help us keep growing!

*Access, Learn, Achieve,
Succeed!*



Library Hours

Lee Campus

Phone: (919) 718-7244

Fax: (919) 718-7378

Mon-Thu: 7:30 am - 8:00 pm

Fri: 7:30 am - 3:30 pm

Closed Saturday & Sunday

Harnett Campus

Phone: (910) 814-8843

Fax: (910) 814-8894

Mon-Thu: 7:30 am - 7:00 pm

Fri: 7:30 am - 3:30 pm

Closed Saturday & Sunday

Chatham Campus

Phone: (919) 545-8084

Mon-Thu 9 am - 8 pm

Friday 9 am - 6 pm

Saturday 9 am - 5 pm

Closed Sunday

Online

Access Library resources and information 24 hours a day via the Library's website.

www.cccc.edu/library