

MSUB LIBRARY NEWS

SPRING 2024



NEED SOMETHING WE DON'T HAVE?

Request items (books, book chapters, articles, DVDs) that we do not own from libraries all over the world and have them shipped to you through <u>Interlibrary Loan (ILL)</u>. Free for students, faculty, & staff!

LIBRARY HOURS

Monday - Thursday

7:30 am - 10:00 pm

Friday

7:30 am - 5:00 pm

Saturday

Closed

Sunday

2:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Holiday Closures

Monday, February 19

Sunday, March 3

Sunday, March 31

MORE HOURS

STAFF UPDATES

DANIEL FUNDERHIDE

Daniel joined the Library staff in November 2023 as the Access Services Technician. He has worked for the University in various capacities since 2011, and has earned a Bachelor's in History from MSU Billings. Daniel plans to continue his education with graduate studies in 2024.



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Eileen can be contacted at ewright@msubillings.edu or 406.657.1656

EILEEN WRIGHT

Eileen was appointed as the Library Director in January 2024. Eileen's journey with the library began with an internship in 2000 and she has since held roles including City College Librarian and liaison to various departments within the College of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences. Over the years, she has demonstrated a commitment to supporting students and faculty in their research endeavors as reference librarian and archivist. She has served as Interim Library Director since January 2023.

YOUR LIBRARY LIASION MAY HAVE CHANGED

With staff changes, your library liaison might be different this semester. See below for the most up to date list of library liaisons.

Victoria Contreraz 406.657.1691

College of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences:

Communication, English/Philosophy/Modern Languages, History, Political Science,

Center for Teaching & Learning
College of Health Professions & Science
Athletics

Emily Reeb 406.657.1663

College of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences:

Math, Music

Student Services:

Academic Support Center, ASMSUB, Center for Engagement, New Student Services, Student Health Services, TRIO/SSS

Nathan Sonnenschein 406.657.1665

College of Business

College of Liberal Arts & Social Sciences:

Art, Environmental Studies, Native American Studies, Psychology, Sociology

Eileen Wright 406.657.1655

City College

College of Education



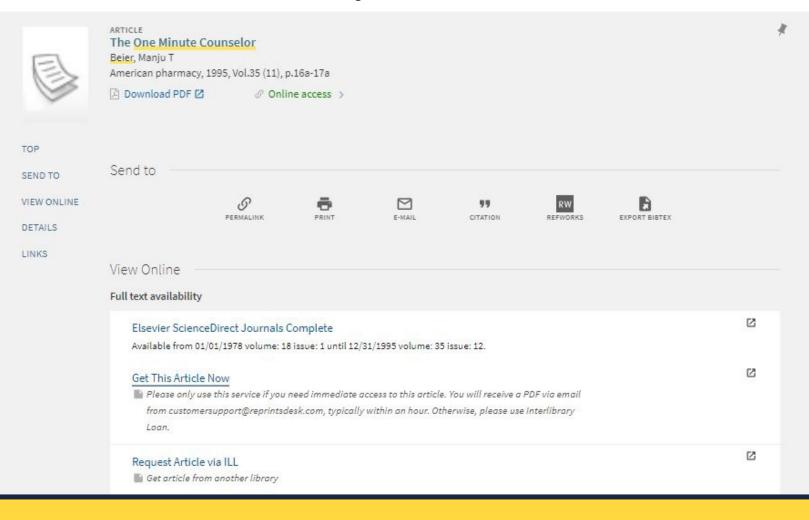
A-Z DATABASES UPDATE

Our A-Z Databases page has a new look! This updated page will allow you to access and filter the library's databases in the same manner as before and keep any saved bookmarks, it just looks different. Keep an eye out for continuing updates to our subject-based database recommendations! For any questions or suggestions, please contact your liaison or eResources librarian, Victoria!

ARTICLE GALAXY SCHOLAR

The library is very excited to announce a new resource for Faculty & Staff, Article Galaxy Scholar! Article Galaxy Scholar (AGS) is a tool newly integrated into the library website that will allow an additional way to access journal articles. As a start, MSUB Staff and Faculty Members will have access to Academic Journals published by Elsevier through this service. When you're using the library's online catalog while logged into Power Search and see the view option "Get This Article Now," you can follow the link to request a PDF. We still strongly encourage everyone to use Interlibrary Loan when possible, but glad to provide this new backup option!

For any questions or issues, please contact your eResources Librarian at <u>victoria.contreraz@msubillings.edu</u>.



CITY COLLEGE

Faculty and staff have virtual access to over 200 research databases, thousands of electronic books, streaming video, and library research guides through the <u>Library's homepage</u>.

Faculty can request library instruction, whether in-person or through WebEx. Specialty library research guides can be created for your course like the City College Nursing Programs or the Business: Human Resources. Contact any librarian with questions or requests.

WE'RE COMING TO YOU!

The librarians will be coming to City College. Join us in the Tech Building, Room B001. A librarian will be present Tuesdays from 3pm – 5pm and Wednesdays from 8am – 10am. Ask them about research, resources, or just get to know them!





TIRED OF MAILING YOUR BOOKS BACK TO CAMPUS?

No worries! A new book return is coming to City College. This book drop will be located in the Tech Building student study area. Librarians will check the book drop Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

SPRING LIBRARY LECTURE SERIES

We are happy to announce the 10th anniversary of the Library Lecture Series! This years Spring Lecture Series theme is **Stellar Insights**. The library will be hosting the Library Lecture Series in March and April from 6:30 to 8:00 p.m. Tuesday evenings in Library 148. For further information check the <u>Library's website</u>.

Dates:

- March 12th Dr. Stuart Snyder
- March 19th Professor Elaine Westbrook
- March 26th Emily Calandrelli
- April 2nd Alan Lohof

STAY TUNED TO HEAR WHAT
TOPICS OUR STELLAR SPEAKERS
WILL PRESENT ON.

LIBRARY INSTRUCTION

Want a librarian to visit your class? Book a library instruction session! These tailored workshops teach students about navigating library resources and critically evaluating information.

Library instruction sessions are offered in in-person, virtual, and hybrid formats. They can range from a broad overview of library resources to instruction targeted to a specific assignment. A librarian will work with you to make sure your students receive the information they need to be successful. Please submit your library instruction request at least one week in advance.

Request an Instruction Session!



SPRING EVENTS



Popcorn Days!

Come get some free popcorn in the Finish your puzzle the fastest and Library

- Thursday, February 8th
- Wednesday, March 20th
- Tuesday, April 16th

Power of One Week

Join the Library in a collaborative art project

January 22nd - 26th

Game Night!

Play board games in the library

• Monday, January 29th, 7pm -9pm

Friendship Bracelets

Spend Galentine's Day making bracelts for your favorite gals!

• Tuesday, February 13th

Puzzle Competition

claim your prize!

• Wednesday, February 28th

Crafternoon in the Library

Decorate your own planet!

• Wednesday, March 13th, 11am -2pm

National Library Week

Celebrate libraries with a new event every day!

• April 8th - 12th

Stress-Less Week

De-stress from the semester with fun events with the Library every day!





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