



Library News, November 2011

Welcome to the Graff Library's first monthly email newsletter! We hope to use this brief newsletter to highlight new resources, library events, staff accomplishments, and other library-related news we think will interest our users. Please let us know what you'd like to see in these newsletters; we welcome your suggestions.

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News

[Welcome Laura Brown!](#)

In September the Graff Library welcomed Laura Brown, City of Hope's first Clinical Librarian! As Clinical Librarian, Laura will focus on delivering information services to clinicians to support evidence-based practice and clinical decision-making.

[Archives now a part of Library Services](#)

The City of Hope Archives has joined the Department of Library Services.

[Scholarly Communication Office Hours now on Bistro patio](#)

Andrea Lynch, Scholarly Communication Librarian, now holds office hours outside the library. Here's where and when you can find her:

- Tuesdays 11-12 in the Bistro patio area just outside Helford Clinical Research Hospital.
- Thursdays 2:30-3:30 in the Beckman Center first floor patio area

Stop by for help complying with the NIH Public Access Policy, publishing your research (including open access options), using copyrighted materials, and using EndNote.

Collection Updates

[Electronic books, backfiles for e-journals and Web of Science purchased with year-end funds](#)

Backfiles for Cell, Nature, and more; Web of Science back to 1980 ; e-books in chemistry and laboratory animal science.

[FY12 budget reduction and canceled subscriptions](#)

Details on subscriptions canceled as a result of FY12 budget reductions.

[New subscription - Stem Cell Research News](#)

The library now subscribes to Stem Cell Research News. We receive a pdf of each issue via email, and we'll post each issue on our blog when we get it. To access all issues quickly, click [Stem Cell Research News](#) in the category cloud on the blog.

Events

[Back to School 2011](#)

See pictures and access handouts from our annual Back to School celebration.

Library Staff Activities

Your library staff have, as always, been busy providing the City of Hope community with the information resources and services needed to support your work. In addition to our usual duties, though, the staff attend and present at conferences, write for publication, and attend workshops and other events to learn new skills and keep up with our rapidly-changing profession. Here's what we were up to in October:

- John Carrigan, Electronic Services Librarian, attended [Internet Librarian 2011](#) a "conference for information professionals who are using, developing, and embracing Internet, Intranet, and Web-based strategies."
- Janet Crum, Director, Library Services, published an article in the October issue of the Journal of the Medical Library Association, "An availability study of electronic articles in an academic health sciences library." The [full text of the article](#) is available in PubMed Central.