

Lee Graff Medical and Scientific Library

Library News, June 2012

Welcome to the Graff Library's June newsletter! Please click the links below to read the full articles.

News

Canceled: Wednesday office hours in cafeteria

Effective immediately, we are canceling our Library Office Hours in the cafeteria on Wednesdays, because most people entering the cafeteria weren't interested in stopping by the library table (probably because they were hungry). We will continue our office hours in Brawerman on Mondays from 2-3.

New on the library blog: AAMC News and Leadership Announcements

We have started posting current news and other announcements from the Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC) on health care, biomedical research, grant funding, and other related topics, with links to full articles. You can find these postings by clicking <u>AAMC News</u> in the blog's Category Cloud.

New PubMed features: filters sidebar, separating authors with similar names

Two new PubMed features were rolled out in May: a sidebar with options for filtering your search results and a new algorithm that attempts to separate papers by different authors with similar names.

Enhancements to Up to Date

UpToDate has recently made a couple of enhancements which should improve their ease of use and their timeliness. They are updating topics more quickly, and they have added a "Summary and Recommendations button at the top of the topic outline.

Did You Know?

Question of the month: Where can I look up a journal's impact factor?

Answer: Impact factors are available in <u>Journal Citation Reports</u>, which is listed under <u>databases</u> on our web site.

Collection Updates

<u>Cancer Letter</u>, <u>Clinical Cancer Letter</u>, <u>Stem Cell Research News</u> issues available on intranet, announced on blog

We are now posting issues of the Cancer Letter and Clinical Cancer Letter, along with Stem Cell Research News, on the blog. To find each publication, click on the title in the blog's Category Cloud.

9 new e-books now available

We have access to 9 new e-books in both basic and clinical sciences from Elsevier, National Academies Press, and more, including the 2012 edition of *Williams Textbook of Endocrinology*, Stocum's *Regenerative Biology and Medicine*, and Gallin and Ognibene's *Principles and Practice of Clinical Research*.

From the Archives

Miss City of Hope 1955

Click the link above for a photo of Ingabord King, who was crowned Miss City of Hope in 1955.

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 May:

• Laura Brown and Janet Crum attended the annual Medical Library Association conference in Seattle, WA.