



faculty newsletter

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news

Libraries Piloting Targeted Document Delivery Service

The University Libraries is piloting Reprints Desk, a document delivery service, March-August 2021. Here's what you need to know:

- The pilot will target Elsevier and Wiley journals, 2019-2021, for which the Libraries no longer maintain a current subscription.
- During the pilot period, faculty members will be able to request articles from Reprints Desk or traditional interlibrary loan.
- Reprints Desk requests will be mediated by interlibrary loan personnel and delivered in less than 24 hours; charge to the Libraries will be approximately \$30 per article.
- Regular interlibrary loan will still be available for these items; average delivery time for interlibrary loan is 36 hours or less with no charge per article.

The pilot data will be assessed to determine if the Libraries can operate Reprints Desk on an unmediated basis for even more rapid delivery.

Scholarly Communication Taskforce Presents to Faculty Senate

FINDING THE BALANCE

CREATING AN
OPEN,
SUSTAINABLE
FUTURE FOR OU

The University Libraries Committee's Scholarly Communication Taskforce (SCTF) members presented on their report, [Finding the Balance: Creating an Open, Sustainable Future for OU](#), at the March 8 Faculty Senate meeting. The report identifies actions and best practices from peer institutions that OU community members can take to have the most positive impact upon the creation of an open, sustainable scholarly communication system at OU. Taskforce members are available to answer questions and engage in discussion on the report throughout the remainder of 2021, and request that faculty members invite them to academic department and college-

level meetings to learn more. To request a taskforce member meet with your department or college, email scholarlycommunication@ou.edu.

Profiles in Open features Dr. Chung-Hao Lee



[Open access](#) is the free and immediate online access to scholarly information, and it benefits authors, readers, funders, the public, and others. OU Libraries now regularly feature OU scholars who are working “in the open.” Check out this month’s [profile of Chung-Hao Lee](#) to read about his approach to open access.

featured resource

[JSTOR Open Community Collections Initiative](#)



JSTOR

Did you know that JSTOR has made content from over 350 special collections representing 100+ contributing institutions openly available on the JSTOR platform you know and love? Collections range from critical race and ethnic studies to theater materials to public health. This content, as well as images from [Artstor](#), is discoverable alongside other JSTOR content.

events

[Visit our events page](#) to view all upcoming University Libraries events.

[Indian Country and Route 66](#)

March 30, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m., via Zoom

[Registration required.](#) Join a discussion with *Indians on the Move* author Douglas K. Miller about Indians on the move during the Relocation Era, with special attention to Route 66 and legendary Kiowa musician Jesse Ed Davis.

Virtual Classes

University Libraries offers classes on presentations, data management, and more. Please see each event's page for full details.

- [Beginner LaTeX](#) - March 24, 3:00 - 5:30 p.m.
- [Presentation Concepts and Practice](#) - March 25, 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.
- [Data Organization in Spreadsheets: Tidy Data](#) - March 30, 9:00 - 11:00 a.m.
- [Citation Management in Zotero](#) - April 1, 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
- [Cleaning Data with OpenRefine](#) - April 6, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
- [Version Control Using Git and GitHub](#) - April 13, 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

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