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he NCSU Libraries recognizes that there is a direct relationship between an active and interested departmental library representative and the effective growth of the Libraries' collection in that department's subject fields. In addition to being the departmental liaison with the library for journal subscription decisions and

monographic purchase recommendations, these liaisons provide valuable insights in the Libraries' collection development needs. Listed below, in alphabetical order, are university departments with the names of the faculty members designated as their library liaisons.

DEPARTMENTAL LIBRARY REPS. DEPARTMENT Bruce C. Branson Accounting Adult & Community College Education Arthur Wilson Agricultural & David Jenkins **Extension Education** Agricultural &

Engineering

Electrical &

Entomology

Food Science

English/Literature

English/Composition & Rhetoric

Foreign Lang. & Lit./

Forest Resources

Genetics

History

Foreign Lang. & Lit./German

Foreign Lang. & Lit./French

Foreign Lang. & Lit./Spanish

Other Languages

Computer Engineering

Resource Economics Michael Walden **Agricultural Communications** Thomas W. Knecht Animal Science Edward V. Caruolo Biochemistry Linda Hanley-Bowdoin Biological & Agricultural

Scott W. Chilton **Botany** John C. Dutton **Business Management** Chemical Engineering P. K. Lim Chemistry Suzanne Purrington Civil Engineering Allen C. Chao Communication Edward T. Funkhouser Computer Science **Edward Gehringer** Counselor Education Stanley B. Baker Crop Science Fred Corbin Curriculum & Instruction Susan S. Osborne Design (covers all depts.) Martha Scotford Economics Craig M. Newmark

> Dharma P. Agrawal Robert V. Young

Gary T. Roberson

Mike Carter Lewis L. Deitz John E. Rushing Helga Braunbeck Dudley M. Marchi Annabel Martin

John Mertz Richard R. Braham Trudy F. C. MacKay K. Steven Vincent

DEPARTMENT	DEPARTMENTAL LIBRARY REPS.
Horticultural Science	J. C. Raulston
Industrial Engineering	Richard H. Bernhard
Marine, Earth &	
Atmospheric Science	Jerry M. Davis
Materials Science	
& Engineering	Hans H. Stadelmaier
Mathematics	Harvey J. Charlton
Mathematics &	
Science Education	Jack Wheatley
Mechanical &	
Aerospace Engineerin	g Linda P. Franzoni
Microbiology	Walter J. Dobrogosz
Multidisciplinary Studies	Robert L. Hoffman
Music	Robert Petters
Nuclear Engineering	K. Linga Murty
Operations Research	Yahya Fathi
Parks, Recreation &	
Tourism Management	Roger Moore
Philosophy & Religion	John Carroll
Physical Education	Gary Wall
Physics	Jae Y. Park
Plant Pathology	Larry F. Grand
Political Science &	
Public Administration	Marvin S. Soroos
Poultry Science	Jason C. H. Shih
Psychology	Samuel B. Pond
Sociology & Anthropology	Steven Lilley
Soil Science	Dean L. Hesterberg
Statistics	Dennis D. Boos
Textiles (covering	
all departments)	Alan Donaldson
Toxicology	Gerald A. LeBlanc
Veterinary Medicine	
(covering all depts.)	Gregg Dean
Water Resources Research	

Jeri Gray

John A. Heitmann, Jr.

Russell Borski ◆

Library Meeting the Needs of Users with Disabilities

he NCSU Libraries provides a wide range of services, equipment, and software applications to meet the needs of NC State students, faculty, and staff who have vision, hearing, or mobility disabilities. The Assistive Technologies Center (Room 1402, D. H. Hill Library) includes text-magnifying equipment, voice-output systems, screen enlargement software, devices for tape recording and playing, and mobility assistive devices for mouse and keyboard usage. For instruction in the operation of these technologies, call the Research and Information Services Department at ext. 5-2936. A key to the center can be obtained from the circulation desk at the main entrance.

For library users with mobility disabilities, the D. H. Hill Library has "push-pad" operated doors at the main entrance and on the Brickyard level below this entrance. Additional unassisted access for NC State students, faculty, and staff is

available through an automatic door-opening system that uses a proximity card to access the building from the parking area behind the D. H. Hill Library off Primrose Street. Call ext. 5-3364 for information on the application and eligibility process for either a passive or active card. An application form can also be picked up at the library's main entrance desk.

Among the public telephones available in the Erdahl-Cloyd Wing of the main library are two that are handicapped accessible, one of which is equipped with a TDD device. In addition, all library departmental staff are available for assistance with needs related to photocopying, reserve materials, book renewals and stack retrievals, and reference service. For further information on these services, please call Charles Gilreath, library administration, at ext. 5-2843. ◆

What⁹s New

at the Library?

Factors such as the infusion of tuition increase monies and the rate of technological progress have accelerated the pace of change at the NCSU Libraries. This column will be a regular feature intended to help keep the university informed of new library services and programs. Please e-mail jinnie_davis@ncsu.edu if you would like to learn more about a specific activity.

THE PERIODICALS READING ROOM IS COMING!

ew carpeting and shelving have just been installed on the first floor of the D. H. Hill Library's Erdahl-Cloyd Wing, in preparation for phase one of the Class of 1991 Periodicals Reading Room. The Class of 1991 chose to support the creation of an attractive new area for reading current periodicals and newspapers with its senior class gift. By next spring, comfortable lounge furniture will be here, including handsome cherry tables and soft leather chairs, with elegant table lighting and wall sconces.

The Class of 1991's emphasis on improving the physical surroundings is echoed in frequent com-

ments by other students and faculty about the importance they attach to creating a beautiful library. It also confirms the Libraries' attempts to foster a pleasant environment in a building that serves everyone in the campus community.

With the physical shift of the former Periodicals Service Center, the unit will be merged administratively with that of the Reserve Room. Expanded staff will offer twenty-four-hour service to students needing assistance with periodicals or with reserves. •

Michael K. Stoskopf Receives 1996 NCSU Libraries Faculty Award

ichael K. Stoskopf (professor of Aquatic and Wildlife Medicine, Department of Companion Animal and Special Species Medicine, NC State College of Veterinary Medicine) is the recipient of the 1996 NCSU Libraries Faculty Award.

The award was presented by Vice Provost and Director of Libraries Susan K. Nutter at the Friends of the Library's Fall Luncheon on Oct. 30, 1996. It recognizes outstanding contributions by faculty members to the operations and development of the NCSU Libraries.

Stoskopf has provided long-time support of the Libraries and outstanding leadership on NC State's Library Committee. As committee chair from 1994 to 1996, Stoskopf spearheaded consideration of issues such as enhancement of the collections during periods of severe financial constraint,

expansion of the NCSU Libraries' role in electronic access to information, and the role of copyright in scholarly communication. Nutter described him as, "armed with a vision of the kinds of collections and services that faculty and students at a university of this caliber should expect, with a determination that the committee would be an aggressive agent in working to achieve them, and with strategies in mind to realize them."

Stoskopf received his D.V.M. from Colorado State University in 1975 and his Ph.D. in environmental and biochemical toxicology from Johns Hopkins University. Author of four books, five copyrighted computer programs, and more than 100 research articles, Stoskopf is a diplomate of the American College of Zoological Medicine. His current research efforts focus on environmental and aquatic animal medicine.

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The Civil Engineering Database (CEDB) is a new service of the American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE). It is a searchable database of the publications (journals, conferences, and monographs) of the ASCE published since 1975. The database can be searched by author, title, assigned keywords, or words in any field. It is a searchable equivalent of *ASCE Annual Combined Index* (D. H. Hill Reference Collection & Tower—CALL NUMBER: TA1 .A472).

http://www.pubs.asce.org

MacTutor History of Mathematics archive is provided by the University of St. Andrews, Scotland. The archive includes biographies of more than 1,100 famous mathematicians through history. The biographies are accessible numerous ways. One may search by name, review a chronology, pick out a birthplace from an interactive map, or approach mathematical topics and see who has been involved in the development of a

particular field. There is also a catalog of famous curves, available in static and interactive Java modes.

http://www-groups.dcs.st-and.ac.uk/~history/

Virginia Tech Online Speculative Fiction
Project (VTSF) is a massive attempt to preserve
and provide digitally a wider access to materials
relating to the study of the fantastic in art and
literature. Initial digitizing efforts are focused on
the Heron SF Magazine Collection. The newly
digitized materials will be searchable and retrievable, making the archived information more
amenable to scholarly work than it was in its
original physical form. The archive will contain
not only the textual, but also high-quality graphic
facsimiles of the entire original magazine; these
will enable users to study the artifacts from a
variety of perspectives.

http://ebbs.english.vt.edu/vtsf/sf-project2.html

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Schedule of Hours for the NCSU Libraries Spring Semester, January 8, 1997, through May 19, 1997

D. H. Hill Library

BUILDING/RESERVE/CURRENT PERIODICALS Sunday: 9:00 a.m. with 24-hour service until Friday, 10:00 p.m.

Saturday: 9:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M.

* Book check out ends 30 minutes before the building closes.

§ Building access restricted to NC State students, faculty, and staff between Midnight and 7:00 a.m.

REFERENCE DESK

Sunday: 9:00 A.M. with 24-hour service until Friday, 6:00 P.M.

Saturday: 9:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

Interlibrary/Photocopy/
Technical Information Centers
Monday–Friday: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS/ARCHIVES

Sunday: 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Monday-Friday: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

MEDIA CENTER

 Sunday:
 1:00 P.M. to MIDNIGHT

 Monday-Thursday:
 8:00 A.M. to MIDNIGHT

 Friday:
 8:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

 Saturday:
 10:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

MICROFORMS ROOM

 Sunday:
 9:00 A.M. to MIDNIGHT

 Monday-Thursday:
 7:00 A.M. to MIDNIGHT

 Friday:
 7:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

 Saturday:
 9:00 A.M. to 6:00 P.M.

* At other times ask for assistance

at Reference Desk

EXCEPTIONS TO THE ABOVE BUILDING HOURS

Spring Break	March 9 (Sunday)	9:00 a.m1:00 a.m.
	March 10–14 (Monday–Friday)	7:00 A M -1:00 A M

 May 10 (Saturday)
 9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.

 May 11 (Sunday)
 9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.

 May 12-16 (Monday-Friday)
 7:00 A.M.-10:00 P.M.

 May 17 (Saturday)
 9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.

 May 18 (Sunday)
 9:00 A.M.-6:00 P.M.

 May 19 (Monday)
 7:00 A.M.-10:00 P.M.

Branch Library Hours

DESIGN, NATURAL RESOURCES, TEXTILES, VETERINARY MEDICINE

REGULAR SPRING TERM HOURS: BREAK/INTERSESSION HOURS:

 Sunday:
 1:00 p.m. to 11:00 p.m.
 Sunday:
 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

 Monday-Thursday:
 7:30 a.m. to 11:00 p.m.
 Monday-Friday:
 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

 Friday:
 7:30 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
 Saturday:
 1:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

 Saturday:
 9:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.
 Saturday (Vet, Med.):
 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

EXCEPTIONS:

Break/Intersession hours in effect at branch libraries the following dates:

March 8–15 (Saturday–Sunday) May 6–19 (Tuesday–Monday)

Branch hours will vary from normal schedules on the following dates:

Martin Luther King Birthday, January 20 (Monday)	9:00 a.m6:00 p.m.
Martin Luther King Birthday, Vet. Med.	12:00 м8:00 р.м.
Good Friday March 28 (Friday)	9:00 A M -6:00 P M

AFFILIATED LIBRARIES AND READING ROOMS

*Holiday and Intercession hours will vary

African American Cultural Center Reading Room

Monday through Thursday	9:00 a.m9:00 p.m.
Friday	9:00 A.M5:00 P.M.
Saturday & Sunday	1:00 P.M5:00 P.M.

Learning Resources Library

Monday through Thursday	8:00 A.M9:00 P.M.
Friday	8:00 a.m5:00 p.m.
Saturday & Sunday	

USEFUL PHONE NUMBERS:

African American CC Reading Room	515-1397
Circulation	515-3364
Design Library	515-2207
Documents Service	
Interlibrary Center	515-2116
Learning Resources Library	
Media Center	515-2977
Microforms Room	515-3370
Natural Resources Library	515-2306
Periodicals Room	515-3136
Photocopy Center	515-2343
Reference	
Reserve Room	515-2597
Special Collections/Archives	515-2273
Technical Information Center	515-2830
Textiles Library	515-3043
Veterinary Medical Library	829-4218

Telephone Renewal: 515-6065

E-mail Renewal: library_circulation@ncsu.edu

E-mail Reference: LIBREF@ncsu.edu

Library WWW Site: http://www.lib.ncsu.edu/

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