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Library Hours:

Sunday: 3pm—10pm
Monday: 8am—10pm
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Saturday: CLOSED

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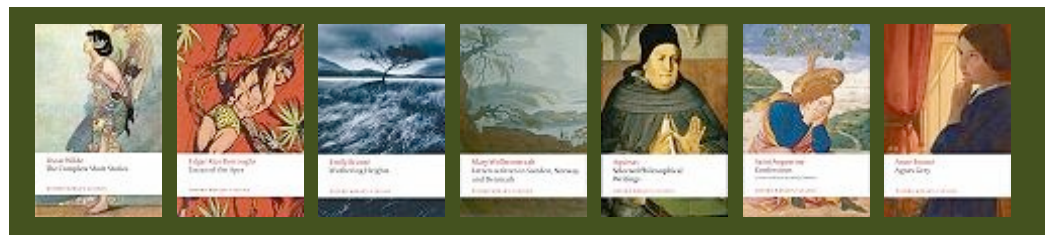
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A Unique Gem: GREAT Books Collection

To better support the new Core Curriculum, the Concordia University Library, in conjunction with Dr. Ashmon, has purchased and processed over seven hundred new volumes of classic literature... **The Great Books Collection.** This collection is located in Luther's Lounge on the lower level of the Library. These carefully chosen works offer students and faculty access to great works of literature from Western and Eastern civilizations and from ancient times until present day.

This collection includes:

War and Peace *The Confessions* *The Rise of Rome*
Tarzan of the Apes *Up from Slavery* *Shakespeare's Sonnets*



Meet Kiu Geisler...
Coordinator of Acquisitions and Library Services



A welcoming smile, an inviting nod, and you know you are approaching the office of Kiu Geisler! Kiu is the Library's vital backbone of operations. She oversees orders, staff schedules, subscriptions, gifts, supplies, and so much more.

Kiu also has the distinction of being a former Concordia University student! As such, she has a special empathy for our University students, and reaches out to help new and returning students whenever she can.

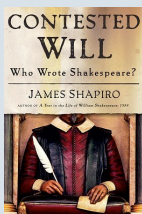
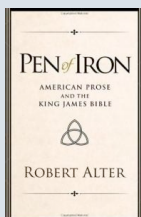
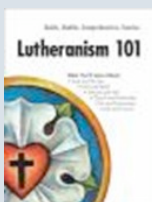
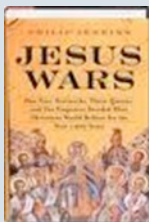
Now in her fifth year at the Library, Kiu has proven to be a dedicated, caring, and valued member of the Library team. Thank you, Kiu, for all you do for the Library and University!

CUI Library Use on the Rise



	2008	2010
Door Count	17,955	26,077
Items Checked Out	8,699	9,008
Conference Room Requests	406	955
Presentations & Workshops	25	29

Some of the latest additions to the collection



To view more of our newest additions, visit the Library webpage at www.cui.edu/library. Click Library Catalog. In the upper right corner under Library Info click [New Books](#)

New Integrated Library System (ILS)

The Library is migrating to a new Integrated Library System this summer. An Integrated Library System (ILS) is used to automate and simplify processes required for library management by merging vital functions such as cataloging, circulation, online tools for users, Interlibrary Loan (ILL), and acquisitions. The new integrated system, Library.Solution, offered by The Library Corporation (TLC) features:

- Web 2.0 technology
- Integrated searching of databases
- Item mapping (item location on Library map)
- Automatic patrons data update
- 24/7 support



Extended Library Hours

As we approach the end of the semester and the beginning of summer, the Library once again will be offering special hours during finals week and summer session. Here are the hours:

Finals Hours (4/30—5/13):

- Monday—Thursday: 8:00am—11:00pm
- Friday: 8:00am—4:30pm
- Saturday & Sunday: 2:00pm—10:00pm

The Library will be closed Sat/Sun May 14th & 15th.

Summer Hours (5/16—8/22):

- Monday—Thursday: 8:00am—8:00pm
- Friday: 8:00am—4:30pm
- Saturday: 1:00pm—7:00pm

Request for Library Instruction

The Library is dedicated to working closely with faculty to meet the needs of Concordia students, which is why we offer the option of class Library instruction for your students. A librarian can visit your class to explain how to use the different Library resources based on the type and level of instruction best suited for your students. The instruction may also be adapted to a specific assignment or project.

For more information please contact Ramez Mikhail at ramez.mikhail@cui.edu

PsychARTICLES

PsycARTICLES is the definitive source for full-text, peer-reviewed, scholarly and scientific articles in psychology. The database contains over 150,000 articles from nearly 80 journals published by the APA.



LibGuides—Share Knowledge and Information

The Library is pleased to announce the planned availability of LibGuides in the near future. LibGuides is a web based tool for creating subject/class guides to assist students in their research.

Benefits for students and faculty include:

- Teaches at the point-of-need through links on websites and emails,...etc.
- Provides faculty the opportunity to highlight valuable resources, links and other research tools available to their students.
- Allows faculty the ability to add content quickly and efficiently to keep their subject LibGuides current, relevant, and accurate.
- Visually demonstrates great resources in multiple formats on even the most difficult topics.
- Builds student confidence and provides the support needed to get them started on their research.