

Knowledge Navigation Center (KNC) and Knowledge for Development Center (KDC) Librarian is New Director of Libraries



Mrs. Maxie Doreen Cabarron
Director of Libraries

Maxie Doreen Cabarron, “Concon”, as she is popularly called, has been appointed Director of Libraries of the University of San Carlos. The former KNC and KDC Librarian took office on Wednesday, June 1, 2011 after Dr. Marilou P. Tadlip’s retirement last May 31, 2011.

A native of Surigao City, Mrs. Cabarron joined the University of San Carlos Library System in 1994; thus serving the library for 17 years as an academic librarian, working specifically at General Reference Library and later at KNC and KDC Libraries.

She is a 2010 graduate of the USC Department of Library and Information Science MSLS Program and has earned certificates from two schools in The Netherlands. She finished the four months’ Postgraduate Library Management Course of the Department of Library and Information Studies, Haagse Hogeschool of The Hague in June 1996. She went back to The Technical University of Delft (DUT), Delft, The Netherlands for a training course on Webpage Design and Multimedia Applications in October 1999.

She has presented papers on automation in libraries, the IFLA-FAIFE Internet Manifesto and developing a policy and procedures manual in the Visayas and Mindanao. The new director of libraries has travelled extensively in Asia for professional conferences and to the United States on personal trips. Currently, Mrs. Cabarron is the Vice-President for the Visayas, Philippine Librarians Association, Inc. (PLAI), the national organization of librarians. She is a member of the Philippine Association of Academic and Research Libraries (PAARL) and the American Library Association (ALA).

She handles reference transactions, coordinates library instruction program level 2 for students’ research, develops instructional modules as well as teaches library and information literacy skills, supervises the services offered at the circulation/reserved section and the electronic services offered at the (KNC). She is a faculty member of the Department of Library and Information Science from year 2007 to the present. She is also a library accreditor for tertiary level of the Philippine Accrediting Association of Schools, Colleges, and Universities (PAASCU).

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From the Director

The Library System Librarians and Staff are happy to welcome you to the University's Information Gateway. It is your sanctuary for learning and research. The Library System is located in the four campuses of the University. Our consolidated structure that supports enhanced processes will continue the development of library resources to ensure that we deliver reliable and relevant information solutions that are responsive to your needs.

We enjoin you to watch out for the new Learning Resource Center which will soon rise at the heart of the Talamban Campus. This promising facility will feature a robust range of collection, specialized references and materials that converge with sophisticated tools and information systems -- a one-stop-information hub that empowers you at the touch of your fingertips.

Visit and explore our library!

Maxie Doreen Leva-Cabarron, MS

Director of Libraries

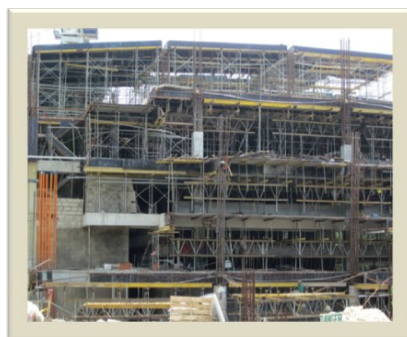
"Change. It has the power to uplift, to heal, to stimulate, surprise, open new doors, bring fresh experience and create excitement in life. Certainly it is worth the risk."

Leo Buscaglia

Learning Resource Center Update

After the groundbreaking ceremony for the Learning Resource Center last December 8, 2009, construction started in November 2010. Architects set November 2011 as the target date to finish the building. By early 2012, libraries and offices can transfer there namely, Engineering, Filipiniana, CAFA, Health Sciences, Arts, Science, Serials, and General Reference libraries, KDC, Cataloging, and DOL's office. Commerce Library and Law Library will remain at Main Campus and Basic Education libraries will stay in both the North and South cam-

pus. With the collaboration of the USC administrators, librarians and contractors on matters creative, financial, and structural, the Learning Resource Center is a state-of-the-art facility. The Learning Resource Center carries the important principles of library building design; thus, when it is completed, it will be a definite landmark in green architecture design. It promises to be a model for students and practitioners to study and marvel.



This is the future one-stop knowledge/information hub of the University of San Carlos where all media, new and old are accessible.

LIBRARY ROUND-UP

Library In-Service Trainings

Basic Preservation and Access to Information

The Library System strengthened librarians' professional skills by conducting an in-service training on Basic Preservation and Access to Information last August 1, 2011, 1:00 pm at Bittenbruch Hall. This was attended by 27 librarians including Director of Libraries Mrs. Maxie Doreen Leva Cabarron who gave the rationale of the activity. This activity was aimed to enhance librarians/information specialists' knowledge on the importance of preserving library materials and widening their horizon in giving assistance to library customers with the use of technology for information access.

Cebuano Studies Center (CSC) Librarian Mrs. Mary Allen Mae Oral shared her expertise in *Preserving Library Resources: Its Importance and Concerns*. Likewise, the librarians/information specialists increased their level of expertise in accessing information with the lecture demo on *Academic OneFile: An Online Database*. This second topic was administered by CE Logic Solution Senior Sales Manager, Mr. Isidro Padpad.



Mrs. Allen Mae Oral and Mr. Sid Padpad with USC Librarians

The activity was fruitful based on feedback during the open forum as well as in the shared learning insights by some of our colleagues. The USC Library System was blessed indeed for having such professional enhancement activity. As the Director of Libraries said, "this is just but the first among the library activities in store for the librarians/information specialists."

Professionalism and Exploring Excel

In-service training on *Professionalism and Exploring Excel* was the second installment of the USC library's in-service trainings held at Room 316, USC Main Campus on August 23, 2010. This in-service training aimed to enhance the skill and knowledge on using Microsoft Excel and application in librarian's daily work and to refresh the memory on how to be a "professional librarian." The training was divided into two portions. The first was *Exploring Excel* facilitated by Mr. Gary Lee Leva, HR Manager of Surigaonon Rural Banking Corporation (SRBC) in Surigao City. He gave tips on short cuts and how to manipulate the Excel worksheet effectively and efficiently. The second portion was the sharing of Miss Nelia Burdeos thesis output and incorporating the *Professionalism of Librarians*. She shared the result of her thesis about the academic status of the USC Librarians and the USC Administrations' expectations from the librarians. She also integrated in her talk the aligning of personal values and the core values of the University to avoid values conflict.

Response of the Library Staff about the training was rewarding since they requested for another training with Mr. Leva on Microsoft Excel. They perceived that they need to know more in order to use the application efficiently. Moreover, Miss Burdeos' talk made the Library Staff internally assess themselves what kind of workers they are and how to improve themselves.

Kudos to the organizers and more in-service trainings to come!



Mr. Gary Leva on Exploring Excel with USC Library System staff



Giving of Certificate of Appreciation to Miss Nelia Burdeos by program coordinator and emcee respectively.

Librarian Burdeos Named New LIS Chair

The University of San Carlos Administration named Prof. Maria Luisa K. Burdeos as the new Department of Library and Information Science Chair.

Ma'am Nelia as she is fondly called comes to the LIS Department from the USC North Campus Library. She served the University for 32 years, two years as an Assistant Librarian at Main Library and 30 years as a school librarian at the North Campus Library. She is "returnee" part-time faculty of the Department and a Master of Science in Library Science graduate from the University of San Carlos College of Arts and Sciences. She holds an undergraduate education from Mindanao State University, Marawi City.

Her professional experience includes elementary teaching, technical services (pre-catalog searching), reference, administration and media technology. The University sent her in October 1999 to the Netherlands for a training Course on *Webpage Design and Multimedia Application*. She received from PAASCU the James J. Meany Award "for assiduous promotion of excellence in education in over 50 survey visits and consultancies and significant contribution to the growth of accreditation in the Philippines" last November 23, 2007.

Aside from reading she also loves doing crossword puzzles. She is the former editor of the Infogateways the official newsletter of the USC Library System. With her passion in teaching and devotion to librarianship, the Library and Information Science Department is in good hands.



Nelia Burdeos
Chair of Library and Information
Science

Basic Education Libraries

NC Library Overextends Service

In the spirit of solidarity with the academic community of the North Campus Basic Education Department, the library voluntarily put up a classroom in one of the corners of the library. The USC administration was supposed to construct a new building to replace the old building for kindergarten in August 2011. In four days' time, a temporary classroom rose up inside the library to house a grade school graduating class. When the new building on the eastern side will have been built within the school year, the temporary classroom will be dismantled as soon as possible.

The library, with a tad of inconvenience, continues to render fully the services of library orientation and instruction, circulation, answering reference questions, cataloguing, indexing, putting up bulletin boards, printing, and providing online services. Teachers also use the library for new technology applications in teaching such as projection and viewing.

Book Rewards Earned by NC Library

Seven thousand pesos (Php7,000) worth of books or thirty-three (33) volumes were awarded to the North Campus Library for hosting a book fair from July 11-15, 2011. These were bestsellers for children and young adults and a sprinkling of science books. Classes with many buyers also earned give-away items for their pupils and books which will become part of their classroom library collection.

Book fairs in schools give pupils and teachers alike a chance to browse over the latest published books and select for themselves the books they like. They can also recommend for purchase those books which they think the library should acquire for its readers. The book fair was exclusive for Scholastic Books.

New Equipment of SC Libraries

At SC Basic Education Libraries, computers were added to their KNC to accommodate more library users and enhance online searches. LCD and screen were also put-up at the Storytelling Room to aid library instruction and orientation. If Jaschik Hall is fully-booked, the Storytelling Room may accommodate class film showing.

American Corner (AC) & Knowledge for Development Center (KDC)

Fourth of July Video Showing at American Corner

USC American Corner celebrated the United States Independence Day on the 4th of July, 2011 by showing a classic American musical entitled "Singin' in the Rain" at the AC, 2:30 p.m. AC has been receiving print and non-print resources from the US Embassy through Thomas Jefferson Information Center (TJIC). Among the non-print resources are classic movies and documentary videos that will be shown through a periodic scheduled video showing.



Students during the video showing at the American Corner on 4th of July, 2011.

American Corner Roundtable Discussion on Journalism

The USC American Corner with the collaboration of US Embassy in Manila, hosted a roundtable discussion about journalism on August 11, 2011 at USC Bittenbruch Hall.

Mr. Andrew Haeg, Public Insight Editor at American Public Media in Minnesota was the guest speaker. He is an expert in participatory media, citizen journalism, business and economics journalism, journalism innovation, design thinking, human-centered design and social media.

Audience ranged from USC students, faculty, and the College Editors Guild of the Philippines Cebu Chapter. Though USC has no journalism course, it was an opportunity to discuss and share views and opinions on new trends and issues of journalism and the result was positive.



Mr. Andrew Haeg with student participants on the Roundtable Discussion on Journalism.

Partnership Agreement Signing between USC and the Municipality of Pinamungajan on Institutionalizing Civil Society Monitoring of Public Service to the Poor

A Partnership Agreement Signing happened between USC and the Municipality of Pinamungajan for the implementation of the World Bank funded project Institutionalizing Civil Society Monitoring of Public Service to the Poor last July 28, 2011 at Lamac Hidden Valley Resort, Lamac Pinamungajan, Cebu. This was through the joint monitoring project of DLSU and USC with the KDC to promote transparency and accountability of local government units.

This partnership is the offshoot of the Knowledge Partnership Workshop (Visayas Cluster) on Institutionalizing Civil Society Monitoring of Public Service to the Poor conducted at the Golden Peak Hotel, Cebu City Present during the partnership agreement signing for USC were University of San Carlos President, Fr. Dionisio Miranda SVD, Prof. Brenette Abrenica, Prof. Ferdinand Bongcayao, Dr. Danilo Largo, Prof. Roderick Poca, Mrs. Maxie Doreen Cabarron, Miss Mary-Gwen Caro, and Miss Irish Concepcion. Mayor Geraldine Yapha, the Vice-Mayor and the first councilor of the municipality represented the Municipality of Pinamungajan.



Participants of the Partnership Agreement Signing

Mind Boggler

What's in a name?

Authors hiding behind other names....

1. Which sisters hid their literary identities under the names Currier, Ellis, and Acton Bell?
2. By what name was the wife of archaeologist Max Mallowan known to her reading public?
3. *Primary Colors*, published as Anonymous, was actually written by which US journalist?
4. By what name was Eric Blair celebrated as the writer who warned us of Big Brother?
5. What was George Eliot's real name?

Answers:
1. Charlotte, Emily, and Anne Bronte 2. Agatha Christie
3. Joe Klein 4. George Orwell 5. Mary Ann Evans

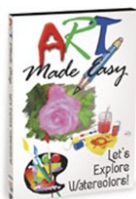
Audio-Visual Materials

Architecture and Fine Arts

Art made easy. Let's frame our pictures. [videorecording] / Venice, CA : TMW Media Group, 2006[749.7/Ar75]

1 disc ; DVD format (18 min.) : sd., col. ; 4 3/4 in.

Most young artists have trouble with perspective, the art of seeing an object's dimensions as it recedes toward the horizon. Once a student has worked with drawing and basic painting, this essential step is an important discipline that will carry the young art exploration to new heights.

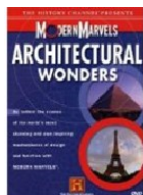


Modern marvels. Architectural wonders.

[videorecording] / The History Channel presents ; producers, Don Cambou ... [et al.] ; written by Lee Fulkerson ... [et al.] ; Actuality Productions, Jaffe Productions ; a presentation of Hearst Entertainment . New York : A&E Television Networks : Distributed by New Video Group, 2007. [620.009/M72]

8 discs; DVD format (400 min.) : sd., col. ; 4 3/4 in.

[v. 1]. The Egyptian pyramids -- The Great Wall of China -- [v. 2]. Mount Rushmore -- Hoover Dam -- [v. 3]. Golden Gate Bridge -- St. Louis Arch -- [v. 4]. The Empire State Building -- Eiffel Tower.



Languages

Holt professional learning for language arts. [videorecording] : video collection. [New York] : Holt, Rinehart and Winston, 2009. [373.236 /H74]

1 disc (min.) : sd., col. ; 4 3/4 in.

A range of topics, from helping struggling readers and English learners to using technology and teaching grammar in context.

Religious Education

Bible mysteries. [videorecording] : solving the Bible's greatest mysteries / Jean-Claude Bragard; Anna Cox; BBC/Discovery Channel co-production. London : BBC Worldwide, 2005. [220.6 /B47]

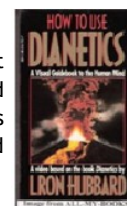
3 discs (ca. 450 min.) : sd., col. ; 4 3/4 in. (2 titles in one DVD)

[Disc 1] Who killed Jesus? -- The real Mary Magdalene -- [Disc 2] The disciples -- Peter the Rock -- [Disc 3] Joseph & his multi-coloured coat -- Joshua & the battle of Jericho

How to use dianetics. [videorecording] : based on the #1 New York Times bestseller by L. Ron Hubbard/ Golden Era Productions. [United States] : Golden Era Productions, 2010. [299.936 /H83]

2 discs; DVD Format (4 hrs. 23 min.) : sd., col. ; 4 3/4 in. + 1 booklet (50 p. : ill. (some col.), port. ; 19 cm.)

This film reveals how negative experiences in part cause your mind to depart from rational thought and behavior. It also teaches you to use precise Dianetics procedure of auditing to locate the past experiences and eliminate the negative effects.



Education

Introduction to adapted aquatic. [videorecording] / Barton Cox; Monica Lepore; Human Kinetics Aquatic Education Center; Human Kinetics (Organization). Champaign, Ill. : Human Kinetics, 2009. [797.21087/In8]

1 disc; DVD format (45 min.) : sd., col. ; 4 3/4 in.

The material is intended to educate certified aquatic instructors about the general scope of the field of adapted aquatics. It covers the process of conducting adapted aquatics programs, including assessment, determining placement, inclusion, and tips on addressing various disabilities. It discusses training of staff and modifications to instructions, strategies, equipment, policies, and swim strokes.



Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development.

How to turn "wrong" answers into learning. [videorecording] Alexandria, Va.: ASCD, 2004.

1 cassette (15 min.) : sd., col. ; 1 1/2 in.

This is a 15-minute video program that explores ways that effective teachers turn students' incorrect or unanticipated answers into learning opportunities. The exchange of questions and answers is a key element of the learning process, and its success depends on a classroom environment where students feel valued, where their answers are respected, and where teachers are sensitive to individual students' needs.

Periodical Propaganda

Academic OneFile

The Library System as a service support unit of the university strengthens teaching-learning and research needs of the faculty and students. Thus, it responds by providing convenient information access to library customers with the assistance of technology.

An addition to the Library's online database is the Academic Onefile. To inform library users with the new subscription and teach them how to extensively use the database, the Library through Director of Libraries and Serials Librarian organized a lecture demo entitled "Academic OneFile: An Online Database Lecture Demo" administered by CE Logic Solution Specialist Brian Donato. It was held last August 2, 2011, Tuesday, 10:00 a.m. and 2:00p.m. at the Main and Talam-ban Campuses respectively.

Faculty members from the colleges of Commerce, Education, Architecture & Fine Arts, Arts & Sciences, Engineering, and School of Health Professions together with their students attended the lecture demo. The USC Library System in its unified efforts once again made this library activity successful. Our dear deans, chairs, faculty members and students deserve thanks and appreciation for responding and partnering with us in this endeavor.

Library & Archival Security



This is the only journal that stresses legal and organizational issues and incidents in libraries, archives, and other information centers. It is devoted to providing information on all aspects of security in libraries, archives, and other information centers, including physical security, data and communications security; relevant legislation; disaster preparedness and recovery; and studies of related social, legal, and ethical issues. It is a bi-annual peer reviewed academic journal published by Taylor & Francis Ltd. Library has volume 24, #1, 2011 as starting issue.

The Economist

This is a weekly newsmagazine of world politics and current affairs, business, finance and science published in London, England. Library has started acquiring June 2011 issues.



Teaching Mathematics and Computer Science

This is a publication of high quality papers on teaching and education in two fields: Mathematics and Computer Science. It deals with issues related to classroom activities or any other aspect of educational work in one of these fields. Contributions concern problems relevant to all types of schools, running from elementary schools to universities. Papers are written mainly in

English and also in German with an abstract in English. This is published 2 times per annum or bi-annually by the Institute of Mathematics - University of Debrecen, Hungary.

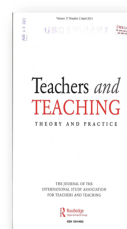
Teaching Education

A peer-reviewed journal, *Teaching Education*, is published quarterly in March, June, September and December by Taylor & Francis, Oxon, U.K. It is an interdisciplinary forum for innovative practices and research in teacher education. Its focus is on the challenges and possibilities of rapid social and cultural change for teacher education and, more broadly, for the transformation of education. TEC Library has v.22 (1), March 2011 and v.22 (2), June 2011 with Special Section of the latter.



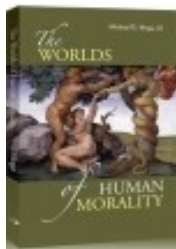
Teachers and Teaching: Theory and Practice

Teachers and Teaching: Theory and Practice provides an international focal point for the publication of research on teachers and teaching, in particular on teacher thinking. It offers a means of communication and dissemination of completed research and research in progress, whilst also providing a forum for debate between researchers. This unique journal draws together qualitative and quantitative research from different countries and cultures which focus on the social, political and historical contexts of teaching as work. TEC Library has v.17 (1-3), February, April and June 2011.



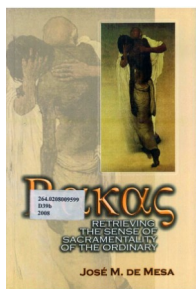
Focus on Filipiniana

Moga, M. (2007). The worlds of human morality.
Makati City : St. Pauls.



This book attempts to answer questions on morality in so many ways by exploring the many dimensions of human existence, each of which gives rise to a distinctive form of moral experience. The thesis of this book is that moral experience arises from the way we live and a change in our orientation toward life will result in a change in our experience of morality. If this thesis is valid, it confronts us with a clear challenge.

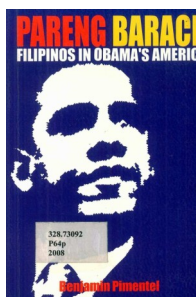
De Mesa, J. M. (2008). Bakas : retrieving the sense of sacramentality in the ordinary. Manila : Anvil.



Catholicism cherishes the sacramental manner of feeling, thinking, and acting within the Christian praxis of the faith. Such sacramental attitude takes the abiding presence of God in history and culture seriously, recognizing its epiphany in human life and acknowledging its diaphany in the world of the ordinary. In this work, Jose M. De Mesa attempts to make sense of the reality of "sacrament" in the Judeo-

Christian tradition within the world feel of the Filipino culture.

Pimentel, B. (2008). Pareng Barack : Filipinos In Obama's America. Manila: Anvil.



This book is about Barack Obama's incredible march to the American presidency, and how Filipinos responded--often with excitement, sometimes with fear and dread -- to his stunning campaign and victory. This is also about the Filipinos' journey in America, how it has intersected, sometimes collided, with those of other communities, and how it has taken a dramatic turn as America enters a new era of anxiety and hope. "In the end there were more people who were ready to move on, to break ground, to reimagine the United States, to redefine America." It will be Obama's face and voice that my sons will see and hear on television and on the Internet over the next four years,

maybe longer. It will be Pareng Barack who will guide the country forward...."

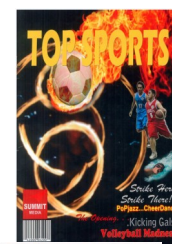
Poostma , A. (2002). A primer to Mangyan script.
Calapan, Mindoro : Mangyan Heritage Center.



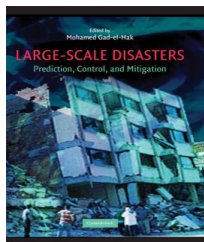
The Mangyans of Southern Mindoro, Philippines (also referred to as Hanunoo), are still practicing a pre-Spanish writing system. They are able to retain this indigenous writing until the present day due to their relative mountain isolation. In the course of the past decades of closer contact with Philippine society, this isolation has largely disappeared and it would be regrettable if this original Philippine writing system that served the Mangyans so well would suddenly become extinct because of the evolvement of the young Mangyan generation by means of modern education. To keep alive an important segment of the Philippine Cultural Heritage, this primer has been prepared for the practical use of Mangyan school children and for anyone interested.

Caroliniana

The Library System through the Filipiniana Librarian is thankful to Mr. Raul Gonzales, Faculty of the Department of Languages and Literature (DOLL), for donating three news magazines about USC 2010 Intramurals, an output of his students in English 1. The magazines feature events, activities, and games during the 2010 Intramurals which are a help to the University's history writers and an enhancement of the Caroliniana Collection, a Library Special Collection.

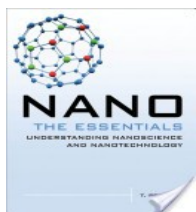


Gad-El-Hak. M. (ed.) (2008). Large-scale disasters: prediction, control, and mitigation. Cambridge : Cambridge University Press.



"Extreme" events - including climatic events, such as hurricanes, tornadoes, and drought - can cause massive disruption to society, including large death tolls and property damages in the billions of dollars. Events in recent years have shown the importance of being prepared and that countries need to work together to

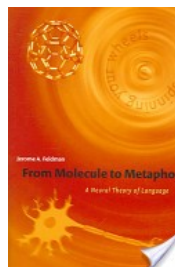
help alleviate the resulting pain and suffering. This volume presents a review of the broad research field of large-scale disasters. It establishes a common framework for predicting, controlling and managing both man-made and natural disasters. There is a particular focus on events caused by weather and climate change. Other topics include air pollution, tsunamis, disaster modeling, the use of remote sensing and the logistics of disaster management. It will appeal to scientists, engineers, first responders and health-care professionals, in addition to graduate students and researchers who have an interest in the prediction, prevention or mitigation of large-scale disasters.



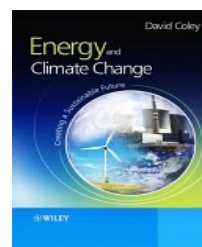
Pradeep, T. (2008). Nano: the essentials: understanding nanoscience and nanotechnology. New York: McGraw-Hill.

This book is designed to give a comprehensive introduction to the subject, without assuming any prior knowledge. It begins with a historical introduction to Nano along with a brief review of various experimental tools used to understand nanoscale materials. This is followed by a discussion of selected nanomaterials, ranging from fullerenes and nanotubes to nanoshells. Subsequently several areas of application of nanoscience such as nanosensors and nanobiology are covered. The book concludes with an analysis of the societal implications of nanoscience and technology, particularly of relevance to developing countries.

Feldman, J. (2008). From molecule to metaphor: a neural theory of language. Cambridge, Mass. : The MIT Press.



In this book, the author, Jerome Feldman proposes a theory of language and thought that treats language not as an abstract symbol system but as a human biological ability that can be studied as a function of the brain, as vision and motor control are studied. This theory, he writes, is a "bridging theory" that works from extensive knowledge at two ends of a causal chain to explicate the links between. Although the cognitive sciences are revealing much about how our brains produce language and thought, we do not yet know exactly how words are understood or have any methodology for finding out. Feldman develops his theory in computer simulations—formal models that suggest ways that language and thought may be realized in the brain. Combining key findings and theories from biology, computer science, linguistics, and psychology, Feldman synthesizes a theory by exhibiting programs that demonstrate the required behavior while remaining consistent with the findings from all disciplines.



Coley, D. (2008). Energy and climate change: creating a sustainable future. West Sussex, England: J. Wiley.

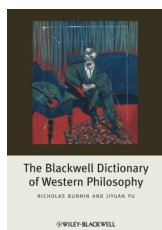
Energy and Climate Change: Creating a Sustainable Future provides an up-to-date introduction to the subject examining the relationship between energy and our global environment. The book covers the fundamentals of the subject, discussing what energy is, why it is important, as well as the detrimental effect on the environment following our use of energy. Energy is placed at the front of a discussion of geo-systems, living systems, technological development and the global environment, enabling the reader to develop a deeper understanding of magnitudes.

Library Donations

The USC Library System is grateful to USC Chemical Engineering Society Foundation, Inc., through its president Engr. Jeane Dabon-Sanchez for donating 17 titles/20 volumes of books. Breakdown of the donation is as follows: nine titles/volumes of Chemical Engineering books and 8 titles/11 volumes of reference books all placed at Engineering Library.

General References

Bunnin, N. and Yu, J. (2009) The Blackwell dictionary of Western philosophy. Oxford : Wiley-Blackwell. (103 B83)



The Blackwell Dictionary of Western Philosophy is a concise reference to the whole history of western philosophy, from ancient Greece to the present day. The dictionary's entries are written in a clear and direct style, which makes it easy for readers to engage with the central questions of philosophy, from epistemology to ethics, and from metaphysics to the philosophy of mathematics.

The authors pay particular attention to terms that are crucial to contemporary debate.

A unique feature of the dictionary is its use of a quotation to conclude each entry on philosophical terms. These quotations illustrate the philosophical issues as well as serve as signposts for further study. Queries and objections are included in many of the entries to encourage readers to be active and critical in their response.

Encyclopedia of library and information science. (2010) (Vols. 1-7) 3rd ed. Boca Raton, Fla : CRC Press. (020.3 En19)

The third edition of the *Encyclopedia of Library and Information Sciences* reflects the growing convergence among the several disciplines that concern themselves with information and the cultural record. Covered are archives, museum studies, informatics, information systems, knowledge management, records management, document and genre theory, bibliography, and social studies of information, in addition to library and information science. It addresses these related disciplines in a way that demonstrates the unities across the fields while also recognizing their uniquely distinguished characteristics.

Composed of the contributions of major researchers and practitioners, and exploring the cultural institutions of more than 30 countries, this major reference presents hundreds of entries extensively reviewed for accuracy. Containing more than 70 percent new material, this edition also includes classic articles of historical or theoretical importance from prior editions.

The encyclopedia of Indonesia in the Pacific War. (2009). Leiden : Brill. (940.53598 En19)

The Encyclopedia of Indonesia in the Pacific War is a state-of-the-art work that reflects the different experiences and historiographic traditions of Indonesians, Japanese and Dutch.

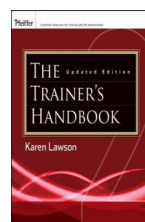
The aim is to present the developments in the Indonesian archipelago in a rational and dispassionate way as possible, taking into account regional and social variations and interpreting them within the international context of pre- and postwar trends with due acknowledgment of different perspectives, ambiguities, unresolved issues and conflicting views that set out to enhance mutual understanding and academic dialogue.



The Gale encyclopedia of diets ; a guide to health and nutrition. (2008). (Vols. 1-2). Detroit : Thomson Gale, 2008. (613.203 G13)

Together with 40-plus contributing writers, project editor Longe, who has also edited other Gale medical/health sets, including *The Gale Encyclopedia of Medicine* and *The Gale Encyclopedia of Alternative Medicine*, has composed a two-volume set focusing on diet and health. As stated in the introduction, the set is intended to supplement advice given by health-care providers rather than endorse any particular diet or lifestyle. Written for the average consumer, the 275 alphabetical articles address a wide range of diets as well as health and nutrition issues and concerns. "Cabbage soup diet," "raw foods diet," "Richard Simmons diet," "hypertension," "food allergies," and "St. John's Wort and calcium" count among the easy-to-read articles, which include lists of additional resources, are signed, define key terms, and, where appropriate, identify risks and questions to ask one's doctor. Cross-references and See also references are provided as well.

Lawson, K. (2009). The trainer's handbook. updated ed. San Francisco : Pfeiffer. (658.31243 L44)



The Trainer's Handbook, presents a comprehensive and systematic approach for developing and enhancing the skills needed, not only to survive, but to thrive in today's challenging training marketplace. It also includes tips on assessing the needs of participants, ideas for keeping training sessions learner-centered, suggestions for incorporating activities into training, guidelines for selecting effective audio-visual aids, and proven techniques for closing sessions creatively. For those new to the profession, this updated edition explains the entire training process from start to finish; while seasoned trainers will find it useful as a resource to add fresh techniques and ideas to their training toolboxes.

Dr. Tadlip Retires After 44 Years of Service



Dr. Marilou P. Tadlip
Former Director of Libraries

After serving the University of San Carlos Library System for forty-four years, Dr. Marilou Tadlip handed over her position as Director of Libraries and Chair of The Department of Library and Information Science to new faces. Her last day of work was on the 31st of May, 2011, fourteen days after her 65th birthday. She joined the Library System in the year 1967 as a cataloger for 2 years, then as undergraduate librarian for another 2 years, for 4 years as TEC librarian, then 2 years as Graduate School Librarian and Readers Services Supervisor, and by year 1976 onwards as Director of Libraries. She was also appointed as Chair of the Department of Library and Information Science in 2007.

Parallel to the length of service rendered in the University is the long list of her achievements. To name a few, she was a recipient of the "James J. Meany Award for 25 surveys, PAASCU Hall of Fame" on October 22, 2004. She received the "Most Outstanding Alumna Award in the field of Library Science, University of San Carlos" in August 1999, "Outstanding Alumna Award", University of San Carlos Girls High School Alumni Association in 1982 and "Outstanding Academic and Research Librarian" in January 1999 by the Philippine Association of Academic and Research Libraries (PAARL). A "Leadership Award" was given to her in recognition for her exemplary leadership as President of the Academic Libraries Book Acquisitions Systems, Inc. (ALBASA) for 7 years. She also received a Scholarship Grant, East-West Center, University of Hawaii in 1970 – 1971 for her Master's Degree in Library Science. She is a Magna Cum Laude graduate of Bachelor of Science in Education major in Library Science, University of San Carlos in 1967. She published her doctoral dissertation "Training Needs of Library Personnel in SVD Schools of the Philippine Southern Province: Proposed Guidelines for Staff Development Training Designs", in 1995 as Doctor of Education. She is a co-editor of "Union List of Filipiniana Holdings of the Member Institutions of ALBASA, Inc. The Sciences: Pure and Applied".

She was elected representative for Central Visayas in the NCCA National Commission on Libraries and Information Science, the Executive Vice President for Philippine Librarians Association, Inc. (PLAI) 2009-2010, and Chair, PLAI Regional Council 7, from 2006-2010. Withal, she is a Library Area Accreditor for Philippine Accrediting Association of Schools, Colleges and Universities (PAASCU), Tertiary and Post-Graduate.

To thank her for the monumental contributions made to the Library System of the University of San Carlos, the library staff tendered a thank-you dinner for her at Mesa Restaurant in Ayala Terraces on June 18, 2011. True to her selfless nature, she gave each and everyone books with her autographed thank-you-notes.

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