



April Letter from

April 1, 2015

Andersen Library

<http://library.uww.edu>

University of Wisconsin - Whitewater

Alma Transition

The new Library Management System is coming in May. During the transition from our old Voyager Library System (Voyager) to the new Alma Library System, there will be some temporary changes to our services. The final transition is expected to be completed on **Wednesday, May 20**.

- ◆ **UW System Borrowing** - [ILiad](#) will be used for borrowing books from **any other** library from **April 9-May 20**
- ◆ **Course Reserves** - if any new material is needed for reserves for the end of Spring semester, please submit your request by **April 13**
- ◆ **Ordering new library material** - orders cannot be placed with our book and media vendors from **April 21-May 13**
- ◆ **Fines & Fees** - users will be unable to pay fines and fees from **May 15-May 20**
- ◆ **My Account** ([Research@UWW](#)) - My Account will be unusable **May 15-20** (no renewals possible)
- ◆ **Personal Record** ([HALCat](#)) - these accounts will be frozen and unusable starting **April 21**
- ◆ **Library material check out** - items checked out in late April and early May **might** have slightly longer-than-usual due dates



ExLibris Voyager

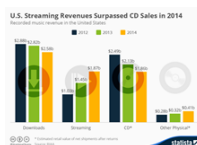
ExLibris Alma

Statista = 1 Million Stats

During April we have a trial of *Statista*, which offers one million statistics on 60,000 topics drawn from 18,000 sources. *Statista* covers business, industry, politics and society.

Statista is based in Hamburg, Germany and has an international as well as a U.S. focus. The infographics are particularly helpful and can be used in papers and presentations. See the Library's database trials page for access to *Statista*.

<https://library.uww.edu/database-trials>

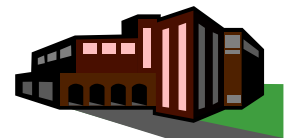


UW System Borrowing

On our Alma "go live" date of **May 20**, the UW System Borrowing service will be a little different. We'll still be able to borrow material from any other UW library through [Research@UWW](#).

However, **picking up and returning** material must be done at Andersen Library.

There will **not** be an option for having material delivered to other UW libraries for pick up.



Stuffed Animal Campout

UW-Whitewater students, staff, faculty and Children's Center families accompanied by a child 6 years of age or younger, are invited to join Andersen Library for the 3rd annual Stuffed Animal Campout in the Library on Friday, April 10th, to celebrate the **Week of the Young Child**.

Child participants bring a stuffed animal friend to join them in a library story time, a craft activity, and campfire song or two, of course! Their stuffed animals get to camp out in the library and explore the library after hours.

Children will pick up their stuffed animal and a photo memory book of their animal's overnight camping adventures on Saturday, April 11th, or Monday, April 13th.

Note: Children need to be accompanied by an adult, but the Library will provide camp counselors for the stuffed animals' overnight excursion.

Please fill out this form to register: <http://goo.gl/nYNa2>

Date: Friday, April 10, 2015
Session 1: 3:30-4:30 pm
Session 2: 4:30-5:30 pm



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