



December Letter from

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Andersen Library

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University of Wisconsin - Whitewater

Call for Spring Course Reserves

If you'd like material on reserve for the **first four weeks** of Spring 2015, you will need to get them to the Library by Friday, January 9. Otherwise they will not be available until well into February. Whether you are reinstating reserves from a previous semester or adding new reserve items, please see the online Reserve Request form: <https://library.uww.edu/forms/reserves-request>. For questions, please contact Trisha Smith at reserve@uww.edu.



Campus Reflection Space

Deronica Goldsmith, the Library's Reference & Archives Assistant, is on the LEAP Team that helped create the campus Reflection Space that opened in October. This room serves a campus need that was first identified by the Center for Global Education. Now students and staff have a space for quiet reflection away from the hubbub of daily activities.

The Reflection Space is located in Drumlin 141 and is open daily from 10:30am-10:30pm.



Alma Update

Alma, our next generation library system, is practically here. The cutover date is scheduled for February 9. Alma will change nearly all the behind-the-scenes processes of the Library.

But how will the switch to Alma affect you?

- 1) Research@UWW, the main search box on the Library web site, will be the sole interface for our catalog
- 2) **HALCAT**, our old catalog, will be retired permanently
- 3) No ordering or cataloging of new material will be done from January 20-February 9
- 4) Reserve requests need to be placed by January 9 for use in the first four weeks of spring semester

Info Lit Modules for D2L

Looking for ways to flip the classroom? Want your students to have a better understanding of peer review or APA citations? Andersen Library Reference & Instruction Librarians have created a number of interactive information literacy tutorial modules that align with the LEAP Essential Learning Outcomes.

You may pick and choose which modules will work best for your students and then add those modules to your D2L course page!



If you're interested in learning more about modules for upper-level courses, please contact [Ellen Latorraca](mailto:Ellen.Latorraca).

For information regarding development of modules for introductory or 100-level courses, please contact [Diana Shull](mailto:Diana.Shull) or [Martha Stephenson](mailto:Martha.Stephenson).

Book Sale Treasures

The holidays are right around the corner and this month's book sale features gift-worthy treasures for the bargain price of \$2 per title.

We'll also have plenty of audio-visual items on hand, including vintage VHS tapes. Though these aren't as giftable, you can scoop them up by the dozens — they're only 25 cents each.



So start shopping and you may be ready for the holidays sooner than you expected.

Cite It Right

The Library has a number of resources to help faculty and students cite and manage their references effectively. The Library's [Citation Guides](#) are a good place to begin. You may also schedule an individual or group session with a librarian to learn more about *EndNote* or *Zotero*. These citation management tools will help you import and organize references, collaborate with colleagues, and create bibliographies.

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