

# Science Dispatch

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## Opening Hours (Hilary)

Monday -- Friday

8:30am -- 10pm

Saturdays 10am -- 4pm

Sundays 11am -- 5pm

## Poster display

At the RSL we're keen to create a rolling display of posters showcasing current Oxford research in science and medicine. Are there any poster presentations or conference posters on the walls around your department that we could borrow, for example once they've been taken down and are going spare? The plan is to display them on the Abbot's Kitchen staircase, or on the landings of Levels 6 and 8.

Welcome to the monthly newsletter bringing you items of interest from the Science and Medicine Libraries of Oxford University. Please send your comments and questions to:

[newsletter.rsl@bodleian.ox.ac.uk](mailto:newsletter.rsl@bodleian.ox.ac.uk)

The newsletter can also be read online at

[www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/science/libraries/science-and-medicine-dispatch](http://www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/science/libraries/science-and-medicine-dispatch)

## What's new

New document supply charges from 1st January 2012

Some document supply services are subject to price increases. A standard request now costs £4.75. Full details are at :

[www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/science/services/docsupply](http://www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/science/services/docsupply)

Change to default sort order within clustered search results in SOLO

"Clustered" search results will now display in order of relevance instead of date order.

Further details are at:

[www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/notices/2012-jan-03](http://www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/notices/2012-jan-03)

WISER sessions for Hilary term

The WISER programme of information skills workshops for Hilary can now be found at:

<http://libguides.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/workshops>



## Get your old Thesis Digitized and into ORA

Are you the author of an Oxford DPhil thesis? Response to the Bodleian Libraries' call for past theses to be digitized and added to our digital collections has been extremely good. But we have funding to do more. Details can be found on the ORA site at [www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/ora/about/news](http://www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/ora/about/news)



## Research Skills Training Programme 2011-12

Details of this year's training programme are now online at [www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/science/training/rsl-training-programme](http://www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/science/training/rsl-training-programme).

Courses are open to researchers, academics and graduate students, and are held at the RSL and [OUCS](http://www.oucs.ox.ac.uk). Details of the RSL sessions can be subscribed to as an RSS feed at <http://rss.oucs.ox.ac.uk/ulib/science-events/rss10.xml>

Sessions coming up include:

- **ARTstor and Bridgeman: using images in teaching and learning - 9th February**  
This course examines two major digital image collections subscribed to by the University - *ARTstor* and *Bridgeman Education* - geared to research and teaching in the humanities, history of science and medicine, and social sciences. Viewing, presenting and managing images are also covered.
- **Keeping up to date with current research in ...**  
Chemistry and Materials Science - 1st February  
Computer Science - 8th February  
Earth Sciences and Environmental Sciences - 22nd February
- **ArcGIS: geographic information system**  
ArcGIS Explorer: an introduction - 6th February  
ArcGIS Explorer: intermediate - 13th February  
ArcGIS Desktop: Making maps, geoprocessing and introduction to spatial analysis - 4 sessions starting 20th February



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## Opening Hours

### Cairns Library, John Radcliffe

Accessible 24 hours a day,

7 days a week

Staffed 9am-7pm Monday to

Friday, 10am-7pm Wednesday

### Knowledge Centre, Old Road Campus

Accessible 9am-6pm Monday to  
Friday

Staffed 9am-6pm Monday to  
Friday, 10:45am-6pm Wednesday

## The Beeson Training Room

Looking for teaching, group study or tutorial space? The **Beeson Training Room** is located at the end of the corridor at the back of the Cairns Library and can be used immediately if free. It is open 24/7. Wireless access is always available and there are 9 PCs - and a projector that can be used if booked in advance. The Cairns also has a group study room available 24/7. To book the Beeson Room just call **Cairns Library Reception** on 01865 221936.

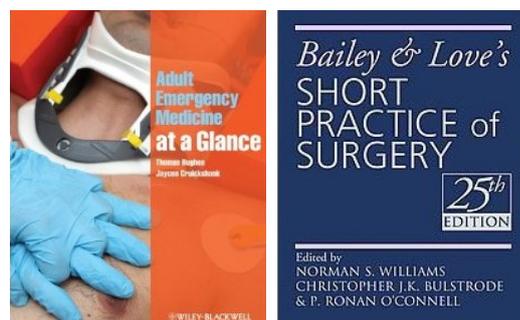


## Key Resource: Ebook Library (EBL)

We have now bought more than 45 key text books via the **EBL interface**. These are proving to be very popular; Bailey & Love's *Short Practice of Surgery* continues to be the most heavily used title.

All the titles we have bought are listed in [SOLO](#). However you can also browse for these and other titles within the EBL Online Reader: [www.oxford.ebilib.com](http://www.oxford.ebilib.com)

## Titles available via the EBL interface



## Major online textbooks for Medical Students

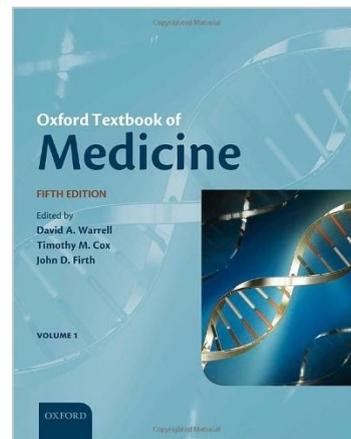
We are delighted to remind you that due to generous funding from the **Nuffield Oxford Hospitals Fund (NOHF)** we have secured access to the following major online textbooks:

- Kumar and Clark's Clinical Medicine
- Davidson's Principles and Practice of Medicine
- Macleod's Clinical Examination
- Illustrated Textbook of Paediatrics (Lissauer & Clayden)
- Oxford Textbook of Medicine
- Oxford Handbook of Practical Drug Therapy
- Oxford Handbook of Emergency Medicine
- Oxford Handbook of Medical Sciences

These titles complement our existing collection of 12 Oxford Handbooks, which is also funded by NOHF, and includes the *Oxford Handbook of Clinical Medicine*.

All of these e-books and more are listed in [SOLO](#).

Please send any comments or suggestions to us at [hcl-enquiries@bodleian.ox.ac.uk](mailto:hcl-enquiries@bodleian.ox.ac.uk)



## Borrow a laptop or an iPad!

All clinical students and postgraduates can borrow laptops from the **Cairns Library** and **Knowledge Centre**. Each laptop has Microsoft Office 2007 installed and is available for a 5-day loan. We also have iPads with a variety of medical apps and e-books preloaded available for a 2-day loan. The laptops and iPads are all set up to access the University wireless networks OWL and Eduroam - available throughout the JR, Churchill, Horton and the NOC as well as some community locations.

Ask at your library for more details, or go to [www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/medicine/it-facilities](http://www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/medicine/it-facilities)