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Science Dispatch

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Opening Hours (Michaelmas)

Monday -- Friday

8:30am -- 10pm

Saturdays 10am -- 4pm

Sundays 11am -- 5pm

Inter-site loans

A new scheme now allows open shelf items to be transferred between the RSL and Health Care Libraries. We are the only libraries that offer this service amongst the Bodleian Libraries. So, if you are unable to make the journey to any of the libraries ask staff and see if we can deliver the book to your library of choice.

TV news

Birds Britannia (9pm 24th November 2010, BBC4) featured images from John Buxton's prisoner of war diaries, held in the Alexander Library archives. View it online at <http://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/b00w4k7j>

Resources of interest

SciVerse

ScienceDirect, Scopus and Scirus have combined to become **SciVerse**. The new service can be found at: www.hub.sciverse.com

Mendeley

Mendeley is a free reference manager and academic social network www.mendeley.com

Welcome to the new monthly newsletter bringing you items of interest from the Science and Medicine Libraries of Oxford University. Please give us your comments and feedback at newsletter.rsl@bodleian.ox.ac.uk

What's new

Plant Sciences and Zoology Libraries

Over the summer the main collections from the Zoology and Plant Sciences Libraries were transferred to the Radcliffe Science Library.

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E-readers

The RSL is trialling the use of E-book readers as carriers for library materials.

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Parallel UniVerse poetry competition

The RSL's new competition was a great success.

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PCAS

In August the RSL and Bodleian Health Care Libraries launched PCAS, a new system for printing, copying and scanning across Bodleian Libraries.

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Journal title renewals

The libraries are currently working on annual renewals of journal packages. Like the rest of the University, the Libraries are faced with budget restrictions for the current fiscal year. As a result, the libraries are conducting thorough review of journal subscriptions. Lesser-used journal titles may be cancelled, or low use packages subscriptions may be modified. For more details consult the [OU e journals webpage](#).

New subject librarian for Biochemistry

Oliver Bridle has been appointed as the subject librarian for biochemistry. Like all our subject librarians his role is to support researchers by helping with day-to-day queries or in-depth consultations, one-to-one advice or group sessions. Contact him for help in identifying, accessing and searching relevant databases and other library resources, and time-saving tips such as keeping up to date and reference management.

Ollie is also our resident expert in Bioinformatics.

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Level 2, which now houses the Zoology and Plant Sciences books



Oliver Bridle



Knowledge Centre

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Medicine Dispatch

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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 Cairns Library Book Room

Introduction to Bodleian Health Care Libraries

Bodleian Health Care Libraries (BHCL) comprises the Cairns Library, which is at the John Radcliffe Hospital, and the Knowledge Centre, which is in the Old Road Campus Research Building. All University Card holders can join Bodleian Health Care Libraries.



The Cairns Library



Knowledge Centre Group Study Room

Group study rooms are available in the Cairns Library and the Knowledge Centre for use by all members of the library for planned or impromptu student study sessions, project meetings or small group teaching.

Both rooms provide a whiteboard, a flip chart and network access. Facilities available in the Knowledge Centre Study Room also include a data projector and screen, moveable furniture allowing flexible layout, and six laptops with access to the University network. Bookings can be made in advance or if the rooms are free they can be booked and used immediately. The Knowledge Centre room can seat up to twelve people and up to six people can be accommodated in the room at the Cairns.

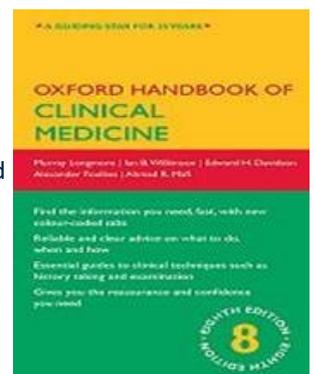
More information is available on our Webpages.

Research Support

Our team of eight Outreach Librarians provide a range of services in support of research. Services available include conducting literature searches, support for research bids, support for systematic reviews, help with bibliographic software like EndNote or RefWorks and setting up automated current awareness services to help keep you up to date. For more details see www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/medicine/services/outreach_librarians

E-books

In March 2010 we trialled a collection of OUP Medical Handbooks. Feedback from the clinical medicine students and tutors was very positive, so we set up a subscription to 12 titles including the *Oxford Handbook of Clinical Medicine* and the *Oxford Handbook of Anaesthesia*. Other BHCL-funded e-book subscriptions include the *Oxford Textbook of Medicine*, and the *Oxford Textbook of Public Health*. All of these titles are available via solo.bodleian.ox.ac.uk



Oxford Handbook of Clinical Medicine