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Google Scholar Beta Launched

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Google Scholar (<http://scholar.google.com/>), a new service from Google, searches databases such as PubMed and WorldCat (a database of books, audiovisuals and other materials in libraries worldwide), digital archives of articles, research data, dissertations, and teaching materials, etc. published or developed at universities worldwide. With Google Scholar, research articles are searchable if they are indexed in PubMed or in a digital article archive. In addition, articles are accessible in full-text if either the libraries on campus have a current electronic subscription to the journal or if the article has been deposited in a digital article archive.

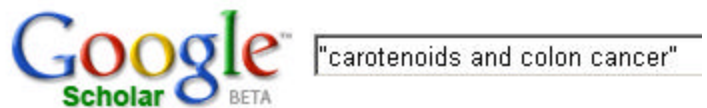
In the past, such material would not be found by search engines such as Google; it would remain "invisible" to Web searchers. But Google has made arrangements with publishers, libraries, and database vendors to access the citations and abstracts for these resources enhancing Google search results.

For example, if you search Google Scholar for the phrase "carotenoids and colon cancer," you will get 20 hits, the first of which is *Carotenoids and Colon Cancer* by Martha L. Slattery (University of Utah), et al. which was published in the *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*. Since the libraries at the University of Utah have paid for electronic access to this title, you can access the full-text of this article. There is also a [Cited by](#) hyperlink following the citation, which currently links to 26 additional articles which cite Dr. Slattery's article.

However, the challenge comes when you try to access articles in journals for which the libraries do not have electronic subscriptions. This is where digital article archives, such as the

DSpace archive now under development by Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library, will provide access to articles, research data, teaching resources and other materials created by faculty at universities worldwide. See the article on page 2 for information on participating in the DSpace project to make your research articles accessible via Google Scholar and other Web search engines.

For more information see Google Scholar's About page at: <http://scholar.google.com/scholar/about.html>



Scholar Results 1 - 10 of about 20 for

Carotenoids and colon cancer

ML Slattery, J Benson, K Curtin, KN Ma, D ... - [Cited by 26](#)
... 71, No. 2, 575-582, February 2000 © 2000 American Society for Clinical
Original Research Communications. **Carotenoids and colon cancer** 1
[Am J Clin Nutr, 2000 - ajcn.org - ajcn.org -.ncbi.nlm.nih.gov](#)

[Associations of Micronutrients with Colon Cancer Risk in African](#)
J Satia-Abouta, JA Galanko, CF Martin, JD Potter, ... - [Cached](#) - [Cited by 1](#)
... 8): 2413S-2418S, 2002. [Abstract/Free Full Text]; Slattery ML, Benson
K., Ma KN, Schaeffer D., Potter JD **Carotenoids and colon cancer**. *Am J Clin Nutr*, 2003 - [intl-cebp.aacrjournals.org](#)

[Antioxidants, Carotenoids, and Risk of Rectal Cancer](#)
MA Murtaugh, K Ma, J Benson, K Curtin, B Caan, ML ... - [Cited by 2](#)
... *J Natl Cancer Inst* 2002;94:391-8. [Abstract/Free Full Text]; Slattery ML
Benson J, Curtin K, et al. **Carotenoids and colon cancer**. ...
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Use DSpace to Google Your Research Articles

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Wouldn't it be great if:

- Google searches could find your research articles as well as websites?
- Reprint requests could be filled by sending colleagues valid, reliable links to the full-text of your articles?
- All your publications were accessible from one website, maintained and backed up by a reliable source?
- You could maintain ownership of the materials and articles you create?

These are the goals of a new DSpace digital article archive hosted by Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library, a Google searchable digital article archive with no broken URLs, no backup worries, no need for paper reprint requests, where you, as faculty, can archive the materials and articles you create.

DSpace™ is open source software developed cooperatively by Hewlett-Packard Labs and MIT Libraries and designed for use by universities in creating digital archives of the scholarly material produced by their own faculty. "... [T]his material is being collected under the model of faculty 'self-archiving' where faculty authors retain copyright to their published articles or at least the right to make an electronic copy available from a website at their own institution free of charge."¹

Copyright depends on the copyright policies of the journal publisher in which an article is published. Some publishers have very restrictive copyright policies; others have begun to review and change these policies. The UK-based SHERPA Project website (<http://www.sherpa.ac.uk/romeo.php>) is one of the best places to view the policies for publishers of the journals you publish in regularly. For example, a search for **Elsevier** on the SHERPA site indicates that Elsevier is a ROMEO green publisher allowing both pre-print and post-print archiving on an author's personal or institutional server. The ROMEO (Rights Metadata for Open archiving) colors currently range from white (archiving not formally supported) to green (can archive pre-print and post-print). The pre-print is the word processing version of the article as initially submitted to the journal for publication. The post-print is the final, edited, "ready for publication" word processing version of the article. Few publishers currently allow archiving of the final publisher PDF.

How can you assure that your articles can be found via Google Scholar? It is really quite easy:

- The library is in the process of loading journal citation information into our new DSpace archive for articles published by University of Utah Health Sciences Center faculty in journals published by ROMEO green publishers.
- The next step will be to link to the actual full-text (the final, edited, ready for publication word processing document) of the articles.

- The library will be contacting you for submission of the word processing versions of your articles, OR you may notify the library that you would like to participate by contacting: Joan Gregory, joang@lib.med.utah.edu, 801-581-5269.

DSpace is also available for archiving of presentations (e.g., PowerPoint), departmental publications (e.g., brochures, annual reports, technical reports, newsletters) and other similar materials. To see this "work in progress" as faculty and departments begin contributing materials, go to <http://dspace.med.utah.edu/> Contact Joan Gregory; joang@lib.med.utah.edu, 801-581-5269, to contribute articles or to set up your department in DSpace and begin archiving your publications today.

1. Smith, M: DSpace for E-Print Archives. High Energy Physics Libraries Webzine February 2004:(9) (<http://library.cern.ch/HEPLW/9/papers/3/>)

Introducing . . . Suzanne Sawyer



Project Coordinator,
Regional Medical Library
Spencer S. Eccles Health
Sciences Library

The "Introducing ..." column is a regular feature that profiles an employee of the Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library. It is a way of introducing our staff to you. This month features Suzanne Sawyer.

Suzanne Sawyer joined the Regional Medical Library Administrative office on August 30, 2004, as Project Coordinator. She works in the MidContinental Regional offices at the University of Utah, Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library. Suzanne's new responsibilities include providing support to personnel in the Utah offices as well as to the liaisons throughout the region.

She received her BS degree in Elementary Education from Utah Valley State College in Orem, Utah, and taught in the public school setting for five years. Her varied experiences included teaching students in grades 1, 3 and 6. Her favorite teaching experience was a year spent teaching students in grades K to 6 to use various computer applications. In addition to teaching, Suzanne has experience in customer service and retail.

Suzanne spent most of her childhood in Arizona and New Mexico, including several years living on the Navajo reservation. She moved to Orem at the age of 13. Suzanne has also lived in Texas, California and the Philippines. She currently lives in Orem with her husband and children.

In her spare time, Suzanne enjoys reading and working on home improvement projects. She is enjoying her experience with the RML and is looking forward to the opportunities and challenges the future will bring.



Serving Utah Miners

The Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library Outreach Team is partnering with the University of Utah Miners Hospital to provide health education programs to Utah miners. In addition, the Eccles Library's Web page provides a link to pertinent Occupational Health and Safety and Mining websites within consumer health. Members of the mining community will have easy access to the full range of health and safety resources available on the Internet. For more information, visit <http://medlib.med.utah.edu/km/chealth.php> and scroll to Occupational Health and Safety and Mining.

Plans are being finalized for a meeting with coal mine safety officers and Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA) field service educators to introduce them to resources on the Internet. Health education programs are also planned for miners, their families, and community groups serving the mining community.

For historical perspective, the Miners Hospital is the result of a legal settlement negotiated between Utah miners and the state of Utah to provide medical services tailored to meet the specific and unique health-care needs of Utah's disabled coal, metal, and non-metal miners. Created in January 2004, the Miners Hospital allows disabled miners access to the full range of services available through the University of Utah Hospitals and Clinics. An additional Miners Clinic is located at the Parkway Health Center in Orem.

For more information visit the Miners Hospital website at http://uuhs.c.utah.edu/miners_hospital/ Or you can email miners.hospital@hsc.utah.edu; Dana Hughes, R.N., Ph.D., is the Miners Hospital Outreach Coordinator.



Library Personnel Changes

Donna Herron, Administrative Secretary, has resigned and is moving to Grand Junction, Colorado.

Sarah Page has been promoted from Public Services Assistant to the Administration Office. She is a recent graduate of the University of Utah, majoring in Anthropology.

Jason Varghese has joined the Eccles Library staff as lead developer on the HEAL Project working with Sharon Dennis. He graduated from the University of Oklahoma with a BS in computer engineering and is currently working on his MBA. He has been working on the HEAL project since December 2001 and will be moving to Utah in the spring.

NOVEL Project Produces New Collections and Looks to the Future



The Neuro-Ophthalmology Virtual Education Library (NOVEL), a collaborative project between the North American Neuro-Ophthalmology Association (NANOS) and the Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library, has recently made significant progress in developing a digital library of clinical multimedia materials for neuro-ophthalmology.

NOVEL now offers free Web access to five neuro-ophthalmology collections, available from the NOVEL Home page at <http://library.med.utah.edu/NOVEL/> Together, the collections contain over 1300 items including digitized slides, audio lectures and patient videos. The donors of these materials are some of the world's top neuro-ophthalmology luminaries, including Kathleen B. Digre, M.D., William F. Hoyt, M.D., Shirley H. Wray, M.D., Ph.D., and J. Lawton Smith, M.D. We are also pleased to announce the arrival of the David G. Cogan collection, currently under development at the Eccles Library.

Each collection contains classic findings and unique observations gleaned from numerous neuro-ophthalmologic examinations. We encourage users to download or link to these materials for use in presentations, lectures, clinical research, and other educational endeavors.

Each collection is displayed within the framework of a customized website, designed to meet the individual specifications of the author/contributor. Users can obtain images by simply right clicking on a JPEG image or high resolution TIF file and saving the image file to their hard drive. Several choices exist for obtaining video, including options for downloading the QuickTime video format or streaming Real Media video files over the Internet.

As the five core collections of the NOVEL project near completion, issues regarding the preservation and storage of large volumes of pre-digital media are becoming a chief concern. Efforts are underway to procure storage facilities with the goal of reserving enough space for existing materials and for those materials we expect to acquire in the future. A secure, controlled environment is necessary in order to preserve the structural integrity of the materials, which will help ensure the continuation of these valuable resources so that they may be enjoyed by future generations of neuro-ophthalmology practitioners, students, and patients.

Please view the newest edition of the NOVEL project by visiting the website at <http://library.med.utah.edu/NOVEL/>

For more information about this project, please contact Nancy Lombardo; nancyl@lib.med.utah.edu, 801-581-5241.



Access Grid Available for Use

The Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library, in collaboration with the Center for High Performance Computing (CHPC), has installed an Access Grid (AG) node. With technical support from Jimmy Miklavcic of CHPC, high-end audio and visual equipment have been placed in the library's History of Medicine Room, enabling state-of-the-art interactive, multi-media collaborations. Access Grid (AG) is used for large-scale distributed meetings, collaborative work sessions, seminars, lectures, tutorials, and training. The AG technology was developed by the Futures Laboratory at Argonne National Laboratory and is now used at over 150 institutions worldwide. For more information visit <http://www.accessgrid.org/>

Faculty and staff wishing to utilize this new technology for communication or collaboration with colleagues should contact Nancy Lombardo; nancy@lib.med.utah.edu, 801-581-5241.

LSTA Mini Grant Awarded for Internet Communication Technology Pilot

The Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library was awarded an LSTA (Library Services and Technology Act) Mini Grant to pilot a program that will train public librarians in the use of Internet communication technologies. This one year grant will provide participating librarians an alternative method of accessing professional development resources, a utility to help generate ideas for new and innovative services to public library communities, and a means to facilitate effective communication between colleagues and community partners.

The grant money will be used to purchase Polycom ViaVideo units to be distributed to 10 libraries; five urban and five rural locations. The Eccles Library will also house a ViaVideo unit in the Reference Department in order to deliver face-to-face reference services.

The project will be aided by the statewide infrastructure of high-speed access to the Internet. In fact, every public library in the state of Utah offers public access to high-speed Internet connections, whether they are T1 lines, DLS, cable, satellite, or even a combination of these technologies. Another goal of the grant is to increase collaboration between librarians.

For more information about the project, please contact John Bramble, Outreach Librarian; jbramble@lib.med.utah.edu, 801-587-3493.



BioMail: Automated Search Alert Service



BioMail is a web-based application. It is written to automate searching for recent scientific papers in the PubMed MEDLINE database. BioMail is free.

What does BioMail do?

BioMail does a user-customized MEDLINE search and sends all matching articles recently added to MEDLINE to the users' e-mail address. HTML-formatted e-mails generated by BioMail can be used to view selected references in MEDLINE format (which is compatible with most reference manager programs).

Why is BioMail helpful?

BioMail will perform routine searches for you. This program alerts users to all new papers in their fields automatically. Your search strategies are safe and secure in the database and can be accessed, tuned, or deleted any time.

For less sophisticated or casual searches, BioMail includes an *Indexed References Only* option that uses the MeSH headings to enhance a keyword search. For expert searchers, any traditional PubMed search can be run, including those using subheadings, field tags, and other advanced strategies.

Visit the BioMail website for more information about using the web-based product or downloading the application.

General information: <http://biomail.sourceforge.net/biomail/>

BioMail: <http://www.biomail.org>

PubCrawler: Automated Search Alert Service



It goes to the library. You go to the pub.™

PubCrawler is a free alerting service that keeps scientists informed of the current contents of MEDLINE and GenBank, by listing new database entries that match their research interests.

PubCrawler searches the NCBI PubMed (MEDLINE) and Entrez (GenBank) databases daily using search parameters (keywords, author names, etc.) specified by the user. There is no limit on the number of searches that can be carried out. Previous search hits are stored and only the newest PubMed or GenBank records are shown each day. The results are presented as an HTML Web page, similar to the results of an NCBI PubMed or Entrez query. This Web page can be located on the PubCrawler computer, on your computer, or you can receive it via e-mail.

Visit the PubCrawler website for more information and to sign up: <http://pubcrawler.gen.tcd.ie/>



Library Workshops and Classes

Tours and Orientations

To schedule call 801-581-5534 or email Mary McFarland at marym@lib.med.utah.edu

Access Basics

Monday, February 14, 2005
Wednesday, March 9, 2005
Wednesday, April 6, 2005
Wednesday, April 27, 2005

Access Advanced

Wednesday, February 16, 2005
Wednesday, March 23, 2005

Wednesday, April 13, 2004
Wednesday, May 4, 2005

Basic Design

By request for groups of four or more; contact Susan Roberts at 801-581-3031 or sroberts@lib.med.utah.edu

Bibliographic Management

EndNote (version 8)

Wednesday, February 2, 2005
Monday, February 14, 2005
Tuesday, March 8, 2005
Monday, March 14, 2005
Tuesday, April 19, 2005

EndNote, Follow-up Session

Tuesday, February 22, 2005

Contribute

By request for groups of four or more; contact Susan Roberts at 801-581-3031 or sroberts@lib.med.utah.edu

Dreamweaver, Part 1 and 2

By request for groups of four or more; contact Susan Roberts at 801-581-3031 or sroberts@lib.med.utah.edu

Excel Essentials, Part 1

Monday, January 11, 2005
Tuesday, February 1, 2005
Tuesday, February 22, 2005
Monday, March 28, 2005
Tuesday, April 19, 2005
Monday, May 9, 2005

Excel Essentials, Part 2

Wednesday, January 13, 2005
Thursday, February 3, 2005
Thursday, February 24, 2005
Wednesday, March 30, 2005
Thursday, April 21, 2005
Wednesday, May 11, 2005

Grant Writing and Research

Friday, January 28, 2005
Friday, February 18, 2005
Friday, March 18, 2005

Large PC Lab

2:00 P.M.-4:00 P.M.
1:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.
10:00 A.M.-Noon
10:00 A.M.-Noon

Small PC Lab

2:00 P.M.-4:00 P.M.
1:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.

Large PC Lab

10:00 A.M.-Noon
10:00 A.M.-Noon

Small PC Lab

9:00 A.M.-11:00 A.M.
2:00 P.M.-4:00 P.M.
9:00 A.M.-11:00 A.M.
8:00 A.M.-10:00 A.M.
9:00 A.M.-11:00 A.M.

8:00 A.M.-10:00 A.M.

Small PC Lab

10:30 A.M.-Noon
1:00 P.M.-2:30 P.M.
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Small PC Lab

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Large PC Lab

9:30 A.M.-11:30 A.M.
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PowerPoint, Basic Presentations

Thursday, January 20, 2005
Friday, January 28, 2005
Thursday, February 10, 2005
Wednesday, February 23, 2005
Friday, March 4, 2005
Wednesday, March 23, 2005
Friday, April 8, 2005

PowerPoint, Advanced Techniques

Friday, January 21, 2005
Friday, February 25, 2005
Wednesday, March 30, 2005
Friday, April 29, 2005

PowerPoint, Animation Part 1 and 2

By request for groups of four or more; contact Susan Roberts at 801-581-3031 or sroberts@lib.med.utah.edu

PowerPoint, Posters

Tuesday, February 14, 2005
Friday, April 1, 2005

PubMed MEDLINE Basics

Monday, January 17, 2005
Thursday, January 27, 2005
Monday, January 31, 2005
Wednesday, February 16, 2005
Tuesday, February 21, 2005
Thursday, March 10, 2005
Monday, March 21, 2005
Monday, April 4, 2005
Tuesday, April 19, 2005
Monday, May 16, 2005

RefWorks

By request for groups of four or more; contact Jeanne Le Ber at 801-585-6744 or jeannele@lib.med.utah.edu

Scanning with Adobe Photoshop

Tuesday, February 8, 2005
Wednesday, April 6, 2005

Large PC Lab

10:00 A.M.-NOON
2:00 P.M.-4:00 P.M.
9:00 A.M.-11:00 A.M.
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Large PC Lab

9:00 A.M.-10:00 A.M.
2:00 P.M.-3:00 P.M.

Small PC Lab

1:00 P.M.-2:30 P.M.
5:30 P.M.-7:00 P.M.
1:00 P.M.-2:30 P.M.
10:30 A.M.-NOON
2:00 P.M.-3:30 P.M.
4:30 P.M.-6:00 P.M.
10:30 A.M.-NOON
10:30 A.M.-NOON
4:00 P.M.-5:30 P.M.
10:30 A.M.-NOON

Classes are held at the Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library. Online registration is required for all classes. For more information see the Eccles Library Web page at <http://registration.med.utah.edu/classes.cfm?textonly=false> or please call 801-581-7535 or 801-585-6744.

Faculty are encouraged to consider integrating library classes into their course content. For more information contact Jeanne Le Ber; jeannele@lib.med.utah.edu, 801-585-6744.



NLM Funds 3 Year Utah Consumer Health Information Infrastructure Project

Sally Patrick, Project Director-Utah Consumer Health Information Infrastructure and
John Bramble, Director of Outreach Services
Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library

The Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library is pleased to announce that it was recently awarded a three year National Library of Medicine/National Institutes of Health (NLM/NIH) Information Systems Grant to fund the Utah Consumer Health Information Infrastructure project, thus broadening the successful Utah Consumer Health Information Initiative. The new infrastructure project will further support statewide collaborations and communication methods in order to provide access to high quality health information resources, services and programs for all Utah citizens. The consumer health network will support human and technological connections serving Utah's health information seekers, regardless of geographic location.

Health Challenges for all Americans

Health has become a primary concern for most Americans. At the beginning of the 21st century, we are experiencing the convergence of health challenges for individuals within a national health care system stretched to the breaking point. The realities we face include a larger aging population, an increase in health risk behaviors including obesity, inactivity and an increase in fast food consumption. These are coupled with diminished health care benefits and rising health care costs. It is estimated that 44 million Americans are not covered by medical insurance and for those who are, employers are decreasing the amounts they can cover for employees and their families. For many, this means making a choice between food on the table, medications or doctor visits for loved ones.

Historically, when it came to learning about one's health, citizens trusted the information provided by their family physicians and shared family wisdom about health issues. Recently, the Internet has become a supplement or even a replacement for these two traditional information resources but finding reliable health information remains a challenge for most Americans. Over the past several years, the National Library of Medicine, through its National Network of Libraries of Medicine (NN/LM), has been in the forefront of supporting the information needs of medical professionals and reaching out to communities through local public libraries. Databases such as MedlinePlus have been developed to create authoritative links to consumer health information. As stated by noted heart surgeon Michael E. DeBakey, M.D, "[G]ood information is the best medicine...Not only health professionals but consumers should have the most recent medical information at their fingertips."

With this in mind, the Eccles Library maintains outreach services as one of its most important service philosophies. A

number of outreach projects have been created with the aim of collaborating with entities such as the Utah Telehealth Network, public libraries, Utah Department of Health, and other health information providers throughout the state in order to coordinate vital consumer health information for all Utah citizens.

Utah Consumer Health Information Initiative Leads to Infrastructure Project

During 2003-2004 the Eccles Library carried out a Library Services and Technology Act (LSTA) grant that supported the Utah Consumer Health Information Initiative. This initiative was the initial phase of creating an environment for Utah's public libraries and librarians so they can provide top quality consumer health information and training throughout Utah. The project was successful, reaching most public librarians with health information training and conducting a needs assessment of skills. Lead by Project Director Sally Patrick, the project was awarded the U.S. National Commission on Libraries and Information Science's (NCLIS) 2004 Blue Ribbon Consumer Health Information Recognition Award for Utah.

Support Available for Faculty Use of New Technologies in the Classroom

The Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library provides services, support and resources for faculty course development and enhancement. The library staff can help faculty take full advantage of the latest instruction techniques, technologies and tools.

What can we do for you?

Services include scanning slides, transparencies and overheads to digital images; scanning and placing materials on electronic reserve; providing mobile curriculum tools and applications (handheld devices, laptop computers, Tablet PCs, and wireless network utilization); and access to our digital video studio (tools for creating video content, broadcast, store and replay lectures, special events and speakers).

Support services include teaching evidence-based searching skills; teaching information literacy skills; help converting your course to WebCT; providing student orientations to the Eccles Library; developing distance and continuing education tools and materials; providing instruction in the use of databases (PubMed, CINAHL, etc.), software applications (PowerPoint, Excel, Access, etc.), HTML and Web building tools (Dreamweaver, etc.) and bibliographic management (EndNote, Reference Manager, RefWorks).

Resources include help identifying and acquiring materials for your course, access to over 500 databases, and full-text access online to textbooks and journals.

If you are interested in learning more about these services contact Jeanne Le Ber, Education Services;
jeannele@lib.med.utah.edu, 801-581-5534.



Library and Information Technology Forum Spring Schedule

The Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library sponsors a series of brown bag seminars related to library and information technologies. The Library and Information Technology Forum is generally held the second Wednesday of the month in Classroom B or C in the School of Medicine from 12:05 until 1:00 P.M. Sessions provide an opportunity for faculty, staff and students to learn about new computer technologies and electronic information sources. Visit our website for current information: <http://medlib.med.utah.edu/or/lift/lift.php>

The January 12 LIFT Forum, *Easy, New and Cool Things You Can Do with Your Digital Camera*, will be presented by a team of digital camera users from the Eccles Library.

Forum Schedule: Classroom B or C from 12:05 to 1:00 P.M.

- January 12—Susan Roberts, et. al.—*Easy, New and Cool Things You Can Do with Your Digital Camera* (B)
- February 9—Dave Packham—*Cell Phones and Mobile Computing* (C)
- April 12—Suzanne Stensaas—*Tablet PCs in Teaching* (B)
- April 20—Joan Gregory—*DSpace and Institutional Repositories* (B)

Tablet PC Pilot Project Initiated

The Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library initiated a Tablet PC Pilot Project during Fall Semester 2004. The goal of the project was to offer health sciences faculty an opportunity to experiment with the Tablet PC to discover and share ways that it might be used to enhance teaching. A group of ten health sciences faculty were invited to participate; faculty were selected from the School of Medicine and the Colleges of Nursing, Pharmacy and Health. Each participant received a Tablet PC for the duration of the pilot project. In return, we asked that the participants attend a once-a-month meeting at the Eccles Library and share their experiences with the Tablet PC.

Eccles Library staff provided a brief overview of the geography and features of the device before checking it out to the participant. We encouraged faculty to review the tutorial provided with the tablet and to begin using the device in their teaching. During the monthly sessions, library staff presented basic instruction and requested feedback.

The faculty were very enthusiastic about using the devices. By the end of Fall Semester, we had learned a lot. As a group we were able to identify needs and find solutions. Together we raised the tablet skills of participants and library faculty to a higher level.

The pilot group will continue to meet Spring Semester. If you would like more information or if you have questions, contact Jeanne Le Ber; jeannele@lib.med.utah.edu, 801-585-6744.

HSEB Tours Available

The Spencer S. Eccles Health Sciences Library is offering tours of the new Health Sciences Education Building. One-hour tours will be held on Monday and Thursday afternoons, from 3:00-4:00 p.m., starting January 20; tour groups are limited to ten. To sign up for a tour visit the library's Workshops and Classes page at <http://registration.med.utah.edu/classes.cfm?textonly=false>; click on the link to **Health Sciences Education Building Tour**, then click on the date you would like to attend. Please fill in the requested information and press the *Submit Registration* button. If you sign up for a tour that is all ready filled, you will be placed on a waiting list. If there is a cancellation, you will move up one slot.

The walk into the building can be muddy and once in the building it can be dusty; wear appropriate shoes.

If you have questions, please contact Jeanne Le Ber; jeannele@lib.med.utah.edu, 801-585-6744.

InfoFair 2005 in Planning Stage

Please put Tuesday, March 29 on your calendar for InfoFair 2005. We have an exciting program of all day events planned. Palmer Taylor, Dean, Skaggs School of Pharmacy & Pharmaceutical Sciences at the University of California, San Diego will present the keynote address. Afternoon sessions will focus on teaching technologies and the new health sciences education building.

IAIMS Newsletter Deadline and Mailing List

Editor: Jeanne Le Ber (jeannele@lib.med.utah.edu)
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Spring Semester Hours January 3 to June 17

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Friday	7:00 A.M.-8:00 P.M.
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Sunday	11:00 A.M.-11:00 P.M.

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Martin Luther King Jr.; January 17	7:00 A.M.-11:00 P.M.
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Memorial Day; May 30	7:00 A.M.-11:00 P.M.

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