Library Liaison News: Occupational Therapy

Kanopy film streaming is now available. USM has subscribed to a “PDA” model, meaning that if you click on a title and view it, the library is charged for it when repeated viewings are triggered. For example, a film on obsessive compulsive disorder in children titled Unstuck piques your interest. If you check URSUS first, you will find the link to begin viewing it. Once the number of views reaches the library’s predefined threshold, it will be purchased and become a permanent part of the USM collection. For now, Kanopy is not listed under Databases A-Z but that may change. Kanopy joins our collection of streaming videos that now includes Films on Demand and ICE Video Library. If you want a film that isn’t in URSUS, let us know via phone or email.

Do your students struggle to find full-text online? Remind them to go stress-free with an ILLiad account and Article Linker. Or send them to me for a quick reminder!

Students can set up a Google Hangout with me, and the option is there for faculty too! Not everyone is on campus and some questions are too complicated for email or texting. Try it!

Have you updated your CV recently? I’d like a copy so that I can ensure your publications are listed in the Digital Commons.

Do you have an ORCID ID yet? Did you attend the USM Research Symposium and catch librarian Sarah Lucchesi’s presentation on citation metrics? Contact me for more info if you are interested in learning more!

Did those students who created a log or grid for their lit reviews fare better than those that didn’t? Should we be incorporating more “data management” tips in library instruction? Let me know your thoughts!

Extended hours begin soon for FINALS. Check the library homepage for updated hours on all three campuses.

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DID YOU KNOW?

- Ask me about Browzine for quick access to the tables of contents of USM’s scholarly journals. I have the app on my iPad and I LOVE it! Desktop access is also available.
- I’ll go off-contract mid-June to August 1st, so mark your calendars.
- Remember I can prepare links for your summer Blackboard sites before I leave.
- Let graduating students know that they should get and activate their alumni library card. More info on alumni access is on my Occupational Therapy library subject guide.
- And to test if you are reading this, did you see that one-way flights to Reykjavik are $69 from Boston in May?