



News and Services of the Hekman Library – September 2005



Start the year with an iPod shuffle!

Hekman Library is conducting an online survey. The survey is called **LibQUAL**. You will receive an e-mail invitation to **LibQUAL** September 26th.

Take ten minutes to tell us what you think about the library and you could be dancing in the streets to the satisfying sounds of your new iPod shuffle!

New Online Resources

Hey! Over the summer your librarians worked hard to buy the latest and greatest books and online databases to make your research more rewarding. Check these out...



Oxford Reference Online Premium Collection is Oxford's Core Collection of 100 full text reference books along with 19 Oxford Companions. Included are links to related web resources, timelines, maps, illustrations, and bibliographies.



Columbia International Affairs Online is the most comprehensive source for theory and research in international affairs.

With scholarship from 1991 to the present CIAO includes books, journals, working papers from university research institutes, foundation-funded research projects, a series of papers from NGOs, proceedings from conferences, and policy briefs. All sections of CIAO are updated monthly.



This is the online version of the Europa World Year Book with a nine-volume Regional Surveys of the World. This database provides authoritative, current, and analytical information about countries and international organizations. Statistical data is valuable especially to researchers seeking comparative country statistics. *The Hekman Library Privy* is a monthly newsletter dedicated to keeping you aware of things here in the library.



For instance, are you aware that Hekman Library has tons of DVDs that you can check out for free?

Selections range from current to classic. For more information visit *Cayvan Services* on the second floor of the library.

How many jelly beans are in this jar?



If you include every kind of item, how many individual things do you think Hekman Library holds?

		73,071
		373,715
		730,715
		1,730,715

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Wondering and wandering about the library?

If you have questions or need any kind of help, ask at the “Research Assistance” desk on second floor by the library main entrance:

Monday- Thursday.....8:30am - 10pm
 Friday.....8:30am - 5pm
 Saturday.....12pm - 6pm

Coming to an English 101 class near you!



Starting this semester the Library and the English department are happy to join together in the teaching of library research skills as a part of English 101.



Take advantage of this partnership. Get to know your librarians and utilize their expertise. There are 1,730,715 different items in the library, everyone could use some help!

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