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MISO- Not Just A Soup

Measuring Information Service Outcomes, or MISO, is a way of measuring the students', faculty's, and staff's perceptions of campus information services - both IT and library services. The survey asks respondents to rate the importance of, and their own satisfaction with, 55 different information services; everything from Wi-Fi on campus to the Bookmark Café. You can learn more at misosurvey.org. Rollins participated in this national survey in the spring of 2014. Library and IT staff have been reviewing the results with an eye to improving services to our community. Click here to find out a few of the things we have learned. Click here for MISO results!

New Olin Library Website

The library has a new website! Starting last spring and working throughout the summer, our webmaster, Paul Gindlesperger, has designed a new library website as part of the larger campus web redesign initiative. We designed and organized the new website based on extensive usability testing, focus groups, and web analytics analysis in an effort to provide our users with a site that is intuitive, easy to navigate, and aesthetically pleasing. The site is also intended to be responsive in its design, which makes it automatically adapt to be viewable on tablets and smartphones.

The library would like to thank the Rollins students who provided us with useful feedback during the design process, and the Office of Marketing and Communications for their
"Find Anything" with Olin's New Version of R-Search

Along with the new library website, we have released a new and improved search engine designed for enhanced discoverability of the library's collection, including both print and online resources. Through this tool known as "R-Search", the Rollins community has full-text access to millions of books, ebooks, and articles, including those from newspapers, magazines, and thousands of peer reviewed journals. Searches can be refined by limiting to scholarly publications, specific content types, disciplines, subject terms, publication dates, and more. This new interface also facilitates the discovery of subject-specific research guides created by subject librarians and connects users with information related to specific classes and topics of interest based on keyword search terms. Take advantage of the research tools we have to offer and, if you would like to learn more, please feel free to "Ask a Librarian."

Rollins Joins Center for Research Libraries

As one of just over 200 CRL member libraries, Olin now provides access to the Center for Research Libraries. We can also obtain loans of rare items from their collection of global resources at no extra charge, for the Rollins community.

The Center for Research Libraries provides a shared collection of five million books, journals, documents and newspapers to supplement our holdings in the humanities, science, and social sciences. CRL materials can be obtained for extended loan periods, allowing for intensive use of long runs of publications and archives. With a strategic emphasis on expanding electronic access to international primary source collections, CRL participates in a number of cooperative digitization efforts, yielding over 15 million pages of digitized content to date.

Our CRL membership is underwritten by the A.J. Hanna Book Endowment Fund. A.J. Hanna was a renowned professor of history at Rollins College. With his wife, Kathryn, he wrote several of the most important titles in Florida history. The fund supports the purchase of materials in history, including Florida history. The endowment supports the purchase of standing orders, electronic resources, periodicals, and books.

Your librarians are ready to help you discover relevant items in the CRL collection.

CRL resources include:

- 6,500 international newspapers, some from as early as the 1700s—the largest circulating collection of newspapers in North America
- 4,500 U.S. newspapers, including 2,000 ethnic titles
- International journals rarely held in U.S. libraries, with a focus on science and technology
- Access to rich holdings in STE print serials through a partnership with the Linda Hall Library
- More than 800,000 non-U.S. dissertations
- Area Studies: major collections from Africa, Latin America, Middle East, Europe, Asia, and South Asia, in various formats

Rich Access to Primary Sources

Thanks to the overwhelmingly positive feedback we received from you, we have acq
ured three Adam Matthew Digital online collections of primary source materials on a variety of global topics.

- **China: Trade, Politics, and Culture 1793-1980**
  Unique English-language sources documenting the perceptions and observations of British and American diplomats, tourists, missionaries, and other visitors to China between 1793 and 1980. You can also find rare journals, paintings, interactive maps, biographies, photographs, and drawings in this collection.

- **Confidential Print: Latin America 1833-1969**
  Part of a series released by the British Government to gather and preserve important documents generated by the Foreign and Colonial Offices between 1820 and 1970. Provides access to primary source materials covering the whole of South and Central America, including profiles of leading figures, diplomatic dispatches, correspondence, charts and tables, treaties, maps, economic analyses, annual reports, event calendars, conference minutes, and political summaries.

- **Everyday Life and Women in America, 1800-1920**
  Access to rare primary source materials from the Sallie Bingham Center for Women's History, Duke University, and The New York Public Library, including monographs, pamphlets, periodicals, and broadsides addressing 19th and early 20th century political, social, and gender issues, religion, race, education, employment, marriage, sexuality, home and family life, health, and pastimes.

All three collections house a rich variety of exceptional and hard-to-find sources. Our users will find them to be vivid and uncomplicated research tools well-suited to interdisciplinary research. They are ideal for primary source research and when original documents are needed for assignments and research projects. Students, faculty, and the entire Rollins community can find links to these new collections on our database list with descriptions, and the collections are full-text searchable through R-Search.

### Netflix for College

We are also pleased to offer a new wealth of resources through Kanopy Streaming Video, which provides access to thousands of educational and feature films, all available for online streaming. View all available collections here.

Collection highlights include:

- **Criterion Collection** - *Jules and Jim*, *Safety Last*, *The 400 Blow*
- **Green Planet Films Collection** - *Thin Ice*, *Trashed*, *The Ethics of Fracking*
- **Symptom Media Collection** - *DSM Guided Military Series, Mental Disorder/Ilness Symptoms*
- **First Run Features Collection** - *God Loves Uganda*, *Peter Brook the Tightrope, 56 Up*

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**Archives Expands Digital Collections**
The Rollins Web Archives
In the last issue of OlinInfo, we wrote about our plans to partner with Archive-It, the web archiving service of the Internet Archive, to capture and preserve the College website. Our Web Archiving Program began in November, and today our collection includes captures of departmental websites, campus publications with significant online content, the Rollins Twitter feed, and more. We will continue regular captures of these sites (and others selected for preservation) to ensure that these information-rich primary sources are preserved and accessible for future use.

Of particular interest to students, faculty and staff may be our collection of catalogs for the College of Arts and Sciences/College of Professional Studies. Our web archives contain all catalogs going back to 2002, when the catalog first went online. Go to https://archive-it.org/collections/4505 for access.

Digitization of The Tomokan (years 1931-2007)
Working with the LYRASIS Mass Digitization Collaborative, the Archives has digitized 76 years of The Tomokan, the college yearbook from 1917-2007. The full run of yearbooks is now accessible online! For years 1917-1930, visit http://www.cfmemory.org. For years 1931-2007 (newly digitized), see https://archive.org/details/rollinscollege. Thanks to digitization, use of this collection has skyrocketed: for example, since it went online in March, the 1991 volume of The Tomokan has been downloaded 384 times.

Rollins Scholarship Online
Archives provides access to a growing collections via the college’s institutional repository, Rollins Scholarship Online. New collections include Honors Program Theses (http://scholarship.rollins.edu/honors/) and the records of the Student Government Association (http://scholarship.rollins.edu/sga/). We continue to add faculty governance records, including bylaws and meeting minutes for faculty committees; see http://scholarship.rollins.edu/facgov/ for access. We continue to add faculty publications and governments records.

And on deck...
Archives has also acquired "born-digital" collections from campus departments and student organizations including the Rollins Yoga Club, the Annie Russell Theater, and the Department of Marketing and Communications. We are hard at work processing these collections, with the goal of making them accessible soon. Stay tuned!

New Faces at Olin

Emma Oxford
Emma came to Olin Library as the Science Librarian in August 2014 after receiving her Master of Library and Information Science from the University of Pittsburgh. She also holds a B.S. in Physics from Haverford College.
Erin Gallagher
Erin Gallagher received her Master of Science in Library and Information Studies from Florida State University, where she also studied Dance and English. She joined the Olin Library in January of 2014 and is diving headfirst into her role as E-resources and Serials Librarian.

Nathan Hosburgh
Nate joined Olin Library in December 2014 as the Discovery & Systems Librarian, managing the diverse library systems currently in place while investigating ways to further integrate and improve technology, capabilities, and workflows.

Lauren Arrowsmith
Lauren Arrowsmith is new with us this year as the Visiting Business Librarian. While she is originally from Atlanta, Georgia, she comes to us from the Republic of Panama, where she lived for the past seven years.

Dorothy Mays is on sabbatical for the 2014-15 academic year. She will be using the time to research ways in which Google Books is reshaping historical research, as well as the role of academic libraries in helping undergraduate students transition into the workforce.