

New University Librarian appointed



Bracken Library would like to congratulate Martha Whitehead on her appointment as the new Queen's University Librarian. Martha brings to her new position twenty-five years of experience in academic research libraries, the past six of which have been as Associate University Librarian at Queen's.

Martha will be providing leadership for the Library and within the University during a challenging time for post-secondary education.

"I like to reflect on why I came to Queen's in 2004. I was impressed with what I saw: a library that had a clear vision of its role in the academic enterprise and an organizational culture that nurtures both individual responsibility and the teamwork that supports continuing evolution. I see the same library today. We have a great foundation to build upon, thanks to Paul (Wiens, outgoing University Librarian) and all of our staff and academic partners. I'm very proud to have a role in shaping our future."

Follow Martha's blog at: <http://library.queensu.ca/ul/>

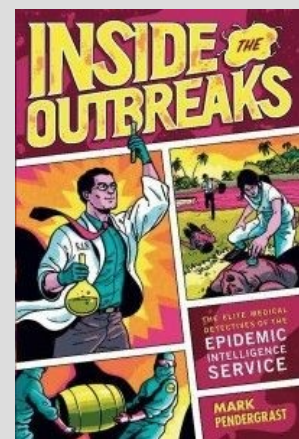
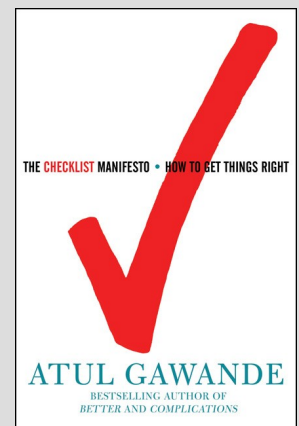
Thank you Meds80!



On September 25, 2010 Bracken Library hosted a small celebration to commemorate a significant donation to CHEER by the class of Meds80. CHEER is the Centre for Health Electronic Education Resources, the name given to the renovated main floor of the library. This floor was planned to allow students and faculty to work collaboratively in a number of different spaces. Among the popular spaces, there are seven group rooms that can be reserved by the health

sciences community via an [online room booking system](#). The rooms are used for group work, small group teaching, theses defenses and faculty meetings. Room 121, located on the street side of the library, has now been dedicated to Meds80. A brass plaque was unveiled and a photograph taken of the class members present. Once again, many thanks, class of Meds80, for helping Bracken Library achieve its fundraising goal!

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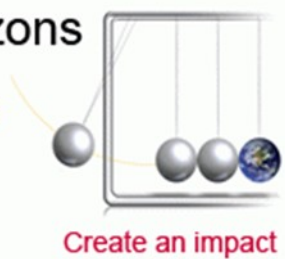
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Bracken Library, in conjunction with the School of Graduate Studies, will host workshops to assist you with information access and management. Our upcoming courses include:

PubMed v. Medline: Similarities and Differences	Oct. 7	Sandra Halliday
Introduction to Copyright and Creative Commons	Nov. 11	Sarah Wickett
Keeping Current with Personalized Awareness Tools	Nov. 18	Paola Durando

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PS. Faculty are welcome at these sessions too! For a full description of the courses, and to [sign up](#) see the library web page.

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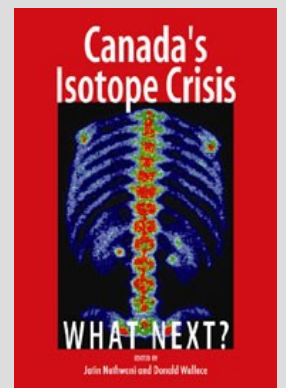
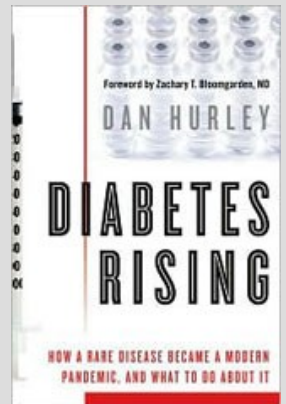
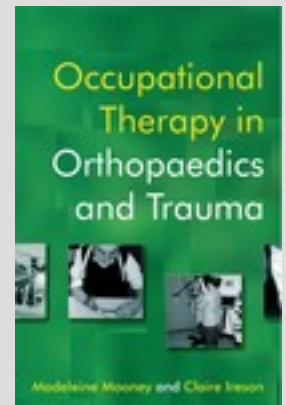
Welcome back Amanda Ross-White

Bracken Library welcomes back Amanda Ross-White from her maternity leave following the birth of her daughter. Amanda will now be spending part of her time in the Queen's Joanna Briggs Centre in the Catarauqui Building. If you'd like to book a consultation with her, the best way to get in touch is via e-mail: bracken.library@queensu.ca



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