

THE HUBBARD

The newsletter of the David Allan Hubbard Library



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Welcome note from the Director

Dear Fuller Community!

I would like to introduce our first issue of the library newsletter where you find updates and other helpful information about the library.

These newsletters will be published every four months and will coincide with the beginning of each of the academic quarters.

As one of the leading theological libraries, we are working on keeping best traditions set forth by our predecessors and incorporation new library technology.

As Fuller Theological Seminary evolves, the David Allan Hubbard Library grows to meet your needs.

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Executive Director of the Library

What's New?

Lockers for Contactless Book Pickup

Even though the Hubbard Library building remains closed, we continue to provide many resources and assist our students and faculty to achieve scholarly excellence.

With a grant from the Statewide California Electronic Library Consortium (SCELC), we have recently purchased lockers where current students, faculty, and staff can pick up requested items at their convenience.

You would be able to pick up books from these lockers in September 2020.

To use our Book Pick Up form, click [here](#) or go to library.fuller.edu and click on “Book Pick Up” in the main menu.

Database Spotlight

This quarter's featured database is ATLASerials Plus. This database includes more than 530+ full-text journals in many diverse areas of religion and theology, with full-text content in more than 20 languages from more than 35 different countries. ATLASerials Plus is updated monthly and covers Sacred texts, world religions, interfaith dialogue, contextual and systematic theology, religious studies, denominational history, missions and ecumenism, pastoral ministry, archaeology and antiquities, human culture and society, philosophy, and ethics.

ATLASerials Plus is available to current students, faculty, and staff and located in our [Databases](#) page.

New eBooks

Below is a short list of new eBooks added to our collections. For easy access, click on the hyperlinks below.

- [Black gods of the metropolis : Negro religious cults of the urban North](#)
- [Preaching prophetic care : building bridges to justice](#)
- [Campus counterspaces : Black and Latinx students' search for community at historically White universities](#)
- [The SAGE encyclopedia of communication research methods](#)
- [The Blackwell companion to law and society](#)



Black Lives Matter LibGuide is Available

Check out our new Black Lives Matter LibGuide! Click the image below to view our new resource.

If you have a resource suggestion, email us at lib-info@fuller.edu.

BLACK LIVES MATTER

Response to Library Access Concerns **Need Some Encouragement?**

The David Allan Hubbard Library continues to be committed to our students and faculty during this unprecedented time. While nothing can replace the experience of physical access to the library and our geophysical resources, we are all learning how to adapt due to this global pandemic. Our services continue to develop, however, we realize for many they will look different in comparison to your academic pursuits prior to COVID-19.

As the library evolves its services and offerings in a safe manner to protect students and staff, we are grateful for your patience and flexibility. The Hubbard Library and Fuller Theological Seminary is limited by local and state guidelines and our commitment to the safety of the Fuller community.

We are working hard to keep up with requests for our online services and are dedicated to doing so until the library can reopen safely. At the end of this post is a list of our online and distance resources the Hubbard Library offers our current students, faculty, and staff. We also highly encourage those to utilize our online tutorials and contact our reference librarians for additional help. General inquiries can also be sent to lib-info@fuller.edu, and you will be directed to the appropriate person.

Thank you all for your patience and grace while we re-imagine our services to our patrons.

Fill out our [form](#) or click the image below and one of our librarians will mail you a postcard!



Be Sure to Suggest a Book for our Library!



Discontinuation of eReserves

Due to rising copyright costs and the growth of online access to databases and journals, the eReserves service will be discontinued starting fall 2020. In an effort to assist in this transition, a LibGuide has been made to help with understanding copyright and how to utilize resources, located [here](#). The Hubbard Library has how-to videos and reference librarians who can instruct in using and researching in our databases and online journals. Below are some answers to questions about the dissolution of this service.

For more information, please read the post from our library website [here](#).

Upcoming Events and Closures

Online Events/Workshops

Orientation for new students

September 21, 2020

Resource Fair

Closures

September 7, 2020 Labor Day

November 26-27, 2020

Thanksgiving break

Contacts

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HUBBARD LIBRARY STATISTICS

The following statistics are from January to July 2020.

THE HUBBARD LIBRARY HAS...

590 **BOOK PICK UPS**

helped 590 students, faculty, and staff book pick up requests since June 2020. More than 1900 books were retrieved by library staff.



EBOOKS **1.8 M**



access to 1.8 million eBooks through purchases, databases, and open access collections.

20,025 **ARCHIVES PAGE VISITS**

had over 20k visits the Digital Commons @ Fuller page managed by the Archives & Special Collections Department.



WEBSITE VISITORS **107K**



had 107k visitors to our Library website, and 4323 accessed the site on a mobile device.

RANDOM STATISTIC

Our most accessed online journal from January to July was *Missiology*.