GRADUATE STUDENTS ENCOURAGED TO REGISTER NOW!

Registration is now in full swing for the Summer 2002 graduate research workshops. These workshops will take place in the Library’s Edwin A. Link Multimedia Room from 9:00 a.m. until 12:15 p.m. on Friday, June 21, and Saturday, June 22. Additional information and a registration form may be found on the LINK (www.lib.fit.edu) or at the Service Desk.

Geared toward the research needs of graduate students, especially those preparing theses and dissertations, these two identical sessions each will begin at 9:00 a.m. and will involve three distinct one-hour modules - 1) search strategies, 2) LINK resources and services, and 3) subject-specific break-out sessions. For more information or registration, graduate students who are interested may contact Joanne Savage, Instructional Programs Technician, at jsavage@fit.edu or at x7656. Reservations are required by Tuesday, June 18, and should include name, Florida Tech ID, email address, phone number(s), modules desired to attend, date of requested workshop, and student’s program of study.

DISPLA YS AND EXHIBITS

"Hurricanes" is the theme of a brand-new Library display that features materials related to seasonal disaster preparedness. Enhanced with photographs of hurricane destruction provided by local hurricane expert and Florida Tech researcher Mr. John Williams, this cabinet display showcases Evans Library books, government documents, and periodical articles.

Continuing is the Library’s display highlighting materials on "Florida Native Plants". According to the Suncoast Native Plant Society, Florida is home to over 2400 native plant species. The Evans Library offers books, periodical literature, government documents, and multimedia materials on these Florida-friendly plants, botanical identification, weed management, and related topics.

Also continuing in the Library’s federal depository is a bulletin board display on "Living in Space." It features historic and current information on Mir, the International Space Station, and other affiliated space research.

As always, partial proceeds from the sale of the Creative Source photographic cards and works of art from the ever-changing Brevard Watercolor Society exhibit benefit the Library’s endowment funds.

FROM THE DIRECTOR’S DESK - DR. CELINE ALVEY

I am happy to announce that Wendy Helmstetter, Kathy Turner, and Tom McFarland have been promoted and appointed to new or expanded roles in the Library. Wendy is now Assistant Director for Information Resources and Services. Tom is Assistant Director for Access Services and Kathy is Assistant Director for Instructional Programs. Wendy, Kathy, and Tom will work closely with me to provide leadership for accomplishment of the Library’s mission:

- To acquire academic information resources and services;
- To provide instruction in the information process and
- To assure local and extended access to Florida Tech’s unique information resources and to worldwide information resources.

UPCOMING LIBRARY HOURS

During the semester break hours, the Library will be open Monday through Friday, May 6-10, from 9:00 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. It will be closed the weekends of May 4 & 5 and May 11 & 12. The Library will be closed on Monday, May 27, in keeping with the campus Memorial Day holiday.

Effective Monday, May 13, regular summer semester hours will be in effect. They are:

| Monday through Thursday | 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. |
| Friday | 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. |
| Saturday | 1:00 - 5:00 p.m. |
| Sunday | 2:00 - 10:00 p.m. |

Reference service is available during the following hours:

| Monday through Thursday | 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. |
| Friday | 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. |
| Sunday | 2:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. |

NEW BOOKS

Remember! The most current additions to the Evans Library collection are now listed on the LINK under 'Library News.' Also found there are previous months' lists.