

The Walter W. Stiern Library Newsletter

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Serials Solutions and SFX add transparency to the Periodicals Collection

The Walter W. Stiern Library is adding two new systems that will enhance considerably patron access to electronic resources, particularly journals. The first is called Serials Solutions, which is a web-based, searchable listing of print, microfiche, microfilm, and full-text electronic periodicals; it is accessible from the Library homepage (<http://www.lib.csub.edu>). In early 2003, the Library will add SFX context sensitive linking capability.

Serials Solutions is a comprehensive, interactive periodical listing that includes periodical titles, coverage dates, and links either to the periodical title or the database that hosts it. To access the listing, go to the Library homepage, click on **Periodicals**, click on **Full Text Periodicals List**, use the pull-down menu to indicate whether you would like to look for the start of the title, the exact title, for words contained in the title or the International Standard Serial Number (ISSN) for that title. Enter your search terms or ISSN numbers in the text box and click on **Search**.

by Norm Hutcherson
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When your search is complete scroll down to the selected title and follow the links from there.

Journal for the scientific study of religion (0021-8204)
from 03/01/1985 to 12 months ago in [Academic Search Elite](#)
from 03/01/2000 to 09/01/2002 in [EBSCOhost EJS](#)
from 1995 to present in [Humanities Full Text](#) and [Wilson OmniFile: Full Text Mega Edition](#)

The Library added the first Serials Solutions report to its homepage in mid-October 2001; additional updated reports are expected in December 2002, February and April 2003.

The other new product is SFX. Conceived and developed by Herbert Van de Sompel of Ghent University, a library automation vendor called Ex Libris is marketing and supporting SFX. It provides dynamic linking between information resources including full-text databases; abstracting, indexing and citation databases; library catalogs; and citations appearing in research articles, government publications, document delivery systems, and other web-based resources. A key aspect of SFX allows the Library to define its electronic collection, including both licensed and freely available resources, and to determine the manner in which the component resources can be linked to best suit the Library's users. When SFX becomes available full-text resources that are

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"SFX aware" will include an SFX button (see following example) somewhere in the citation.

- Article: Muntoni Sandro, Cocco Pierluigi, Aru Gabriella, Cuccia Francesco, Muntoni Sergio. Nutritional factors and worldwide incidence of childhood type 1 diabetes. *American Journal of Clinical Nutrition*, v. 71, n6 (2000): 1525-1529. ISSN 0002-9165

 SFX

When you click on the SFX button you will gain access to an SFX menu that will provide links to additional resources where the article itself may be accessed electronically.

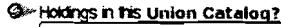
 **SFX Services for this record**

Title: Nutritional factors and worldwide incidence of childhood type 1 diabetes
Source: AMERICAN JOURNAL OF CLINICAL NUTRITION [0002-9165] yr. 2000 vol. 71 iss. 6 pg. 1525

 Full text available via [Highwire](#)
year: [2000] volume: [71] issue: [6] start page: [152]

 Holdings in your Local Catalog?
[Ex Libris ALEPH catalog](#)

 Holdings in [OCLC WorldCat](#)

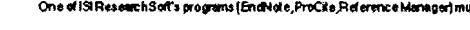
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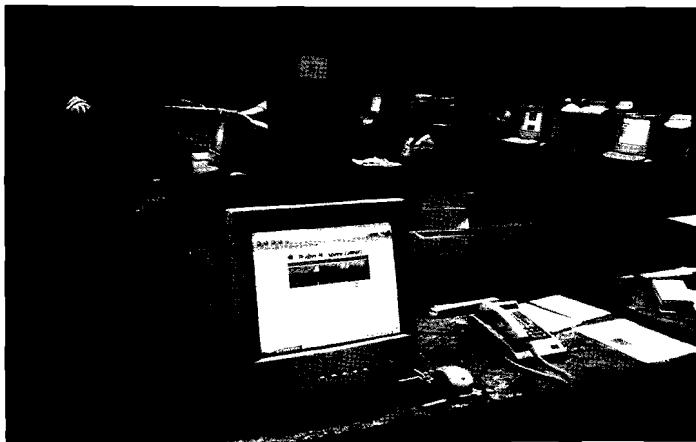
 Abstract available in [PubMed](#) from NCBI?
year: [2000] volume: [71] issue: [6] start page: [152]

 Table of contents from [Swetsnet Navigator](#)
year: [2000] volume: [71] issue: [6]

 Download Record Via [ISI Direct Export Tool](#)
One of ISI ResearchSoft's programs (EndNote, ProCite, Reference Manager) must be installed in order to use this target

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A four-member team of representatives from the Walter W. Stiern Library will attend initial SFX training at San Bernardino in December with full-up implementation sometime during Spring 2003.



Enhancements add flexibility to CSUB Library Catalog

Two recent changes have greatly enhanced the usability of the CSUB Library Catalog: the **Bookbag** and **Save Search Query** options.

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The addition of the **Bookbag** function permits CSUB students, faculty and staff to save up to 500 records from multiple searches to their account. To save selected records, simply scroll down to the bottom of a search results page, indicate the records you want to save, click on the **Save to Bookbag** button and follow instructions from there. Once you have records saved, you can click on the **Bookbag** button at the top of any screen and access your saved items directly. Items saved in the **Bookbag** will indicate the author, title, publisher and save date for each item listed. Using the **Bookbag** you also can print or delete selected records or save or email the listed items in full record, brief record or endnote citation format.

The other major enhancement is the **Save Search Query**. Utilizing this option patrons can save up to twenty-five search queries for use at a later date. To save a query from a current search, scroll down to the bottom of the search results page, click on the **Save Search Query** button and follow instructions from there. Once your search query has been saved, you can click on the **Saved Searches** button at the top of any screen and access your saved search queries. Queries listed will include the search type and statement used in the previous search. If desired, you can either delete a previous query by checking the delete checkbox and clicking on the **Submit** button, or execute your previous search by clicking on the hypertext in the **Search For** box.

Leave a Legacy—Two Simple Ways

Have you ever thought about how you want to be remembered by family members, friends and your community? You may not realize how much your plans and acts can change lives today and in the future.

by Laura Wolfe

CSUB Director of Development

Legacy by Will

By remembering the Walter W. Stiern Library in your will, you leave a legacy that will ensure continued growth and expansion of the Library collection. It's as simple as including the following language in your will:

"I give [] % of my estate] or [the residue of my estate] or [] % of the residue of my estate] or [\$] to California State University, Bakersfield (CSUB) Foundation, a non-profit, public benefit corporation, for the support of the Walter W. Stiern Library. CSUB is located at 9001 Stockdale Highway, Bakersfield, CA 93311-1099."

Legacy and Life Income

Another simple way to leave a legacy at the Library and provide lifetime income for up to two people is the charitable gift annuity. This guaranteed income program is ideal for seniors wishing to increase their current income. For example, a two-life gift annuity for a couple, both age 65, provides guaranteed income of 6.3% of the original asset each year for the two lives. A couple age 75 would receive 7.0%. In addition, there is a charitable income tax deduction of a portion of the gift and a portion of the income is tax-free. Very little paperwork is required to activate a CSU charitable gift annuity. It's a two-page agreement! When the annuity matures, the remaining funds are transferred to the Library. Gift annuities of \$10,000 or more qualify for a named endowment fund.

Recognizing Legacy Gifts—Partners for the Future

By notifying CSUB that you have included the University in your estate plans, you will be added to our new legacy society, *Partners for the Future*. The Partners group recognizes donors who have notified us they have included CSUB as a beneficiary in their will or trust, those who have funded a life income plan, or those who establish an endowment with the CSUB Foundation during their lifetimes.

More Information

CSUB's "Planned Giving" web site describes a number of life income plans. You can access this page at <http://www.futurefocus.net/csub/plangiv.htm> or by clicking the "Planned Giving" link at <http://www.csub.edu/Visitors.htm>.

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