Earthquake Relocation
Due to recent earthquake damage, the library has been temporarily relocated to East Wing 210. This has been an adjustment, especially for students looking for a quiet study space and physical books for research. We continue to provide computer access, research databases and interlibrary loan services. We hope our beloved LRC will be up and running soon!

New Library Course
A new library class is being offered Spring 2020! LIBR C111: Advanced Library Research and Information Studies meets both CSU Area E General Education Requirement and the Cerro Coso Information Competency Requirement. This class builds on the core skills of searching, evaluating, and citing information sources. Students will also explore the social, psychological, and physiological aspects of living in an information-saturated society.

Open Education
For this second round of funding, 101 sections have been converted to OER, impacting 2,974 students, for a total savings of $428,178. Combined with Round 1 of the OER grant, this brings the totals to 146 sections, 4,281 students impacted, and a total savings of $603,004.

Brand New Catalog!
Update your library bookmarks!
In January 2020, the library will be getting a much-needed upgrade of its catalog.
Our new catalog, a product of Ex Libris, provides a more interactive interface and more advanced and configurable searching features.
Our classic catalog will still be available until June 2020, but it will no longer be maintained as of December 9th.

Snowy LRC on Thanksgiving.
Photo credit to our beloved former student worker and current Student DA for the Office of IR, Davis Kunz.
Banned Books Week

Banned Books Week is an annual event that highlights the benefits of unrestricted reading and draws attention to censorship attempts. The IWV library hosted a contest for students to guess the featured banned book. Congratulations went out to Donald Zhang, who was one of eight correct guessers, and won an Out of Print Banned Book heat-activated mug and a $10 gift card to Pony Espresso!

Staff Book Recommendations

Here are a few books the library staff suggest cozying up with this winter break:

- **Julie Cornett:**
  - *Tenth of December*
  - By George Saunders

- **Sharlene Paxton:**
  - *Eyes to the Wind*
  - By Ady Barkan

- **Rebecca Parker:**
  - *Good Omens*
  - By Neil Gaiman

- **Ashley Nichols-Lampkin:**
  - *Why People Believe Weird Things*
  - By Michael Shermer

Scientific Calculators

We have new TI-84 scientific calculators available for students to use in the library and for instructors to check out for use in class.

Keep up with us on social media!

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