Tooling Up for Greater Research Productivity:

*Your New Library Liaison*

*and Library Research Technologies*

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Objectives

♦ Personal Library Contact for the Sociology Department and administration

♦ Assessment of the Needs of the Department, Faculty and Students

♦ Enhance and Expedite Communication between Teaching Faculty and Library
Hold research consultations with students and faculty
Hold regular office hours in the department of Sociology (in Livingston & College Avenue as necessary)
Assist in designing class library research projects
Specialized research services for non-routine/in-depth research questions
Provide Course-related library instruction
Upon request, provide course-integrated library instruction in classroom
Provide instruction/workshops for new faculty
Provide instruction/workshops for new databases acquired/enhance use of existing databases

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Compile subject bibliographies, research & user guides and make them available online for easy access

Prepare library research guide and finding aid for sociology

Encourage reporting of problems of access, assignment needs, etc.

Provide current awareness type of materials e.g. email alerts for materials & news of interest

Notify interested faculty of new acquisitions in the library
Collection Development

Organization and Management Services

- Order books and periodical subscriptions for Sociology
- Call for recommendations from faculty and graduate students
- Watch and scrutinize the approval plan for books and adjust sociology profile as necessary
- Maintain and balance budget allocations for sociology collections

Special Services

Write grants and raise funds for new collection areas or to better support current ones

Develop digitization projects in support of curricular needs.
The Sociology Collection Development Policy follows the guidelines set in the Collection Development Strategies of the Rutgers University Libraries.

**Brief Description and History of the Sociology Collection**

……..to be completed after review of collections.

Sociology Collection at the Rutgers University Libraries reflects the research requirements of faculty, students, and the university community.
Collection Development Policy for Sociology

Scope
Selection of Sociology materials supports the course contents of the Graduate, Undergraduate and Certificate programs of Rutgers Department of Sociology.

Collections are acquired in the broad areas of:

- Sociology of Culture and Cognition
- Economic Sociology
- Medical Sociology
- Gender, Marriage and Family
- Political Sociology
- Environmental Sociology
- Industrial Sociology
- Gerontology
- Population and Demography
- Race and Ethnic Relations
- Rural Sociology
- Social Psychology
- Sociology of Education
- Sociology of Organizations and Groups
- Sociology of Religion
- Sociology of Sport
- Urban Sociology
- Criminology
- Social Change
- Collective Behavior and Social Movements
- Research Methods
- Analysis of Statistics/Data
- Theory and Development of Sociology
- and certain selected inter-disciplinary areas
Criteria For Selection of Library Materials for Sociology

Suitability

- For the Department of Sociology programs
- For student needs and interests
- For the specialized research needs of faculty
- For general reading or research
- To account for contemporary and interdisciplinary interests within area libraries and/or consortium libraries especially to avoid duplication

Contd...
Criteria For Selection of Library Materials for Sociology

- Strengthening weak collection areas in Sociology
- Materials considered to have high standards of quality or literary value
- Positive reviews in established media
- Records in bibliographies or indexes
- Authority and standing of author and publisher
- Materials in English language (with some exceptions?) are the primary choice

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Criteria For Selection of Library Materials for Sociology

- Related periodicals (preferably Electronic and full-text) any duplication avoided
- Frequently cited periodicals in the sociology literature
- Whether the book or periodical provides a significant addition to materials already in the collection
- Completion of a monographic series
- Gifts meeting the requirements of the sociology collection and Collection Development Strategies of the Rutgers University Libraries are added

On to New look of the Rutgers Libraries web site…http://www.libraries.rutgers.edu
Welcome to the Rutgers University Libraries

--New Users--

The Rutgers University Libraries are comprised of 26 libraries with collections of over 3 million volumes, and an ever-expanding collection of digital resources to create a seamless system of information resources to support your research. Our librarians and staff are here to help with your information needs, whether you are working on a research paper, trying to find a book or journal article, or simply in search of an answer to a question.

This website is your essential link to our digital library. From here, you can search IRIS, our online catalog, for books, journal holdings, and other research materials, or use electronic course reserves. Our website also provides access to online indexes and electronic journals, subject research guides, online reference resources, hours, directions, instructional services and much more.

Are You New to RU?

Our page for new students and faculty answers questions most frequently asked by new members of the Rutgers community. Be sure to note our Remote Access Guide for instructions on connecting to the Libraries from your home, office, or dorm room.

Just visiting?

If you are not affiliated with Rutgers University, but would like to use our collections, please see our Visitors’ Guide.

Got a Question? Need help?

For in-person assistance, visit the Reference Desk at any of our major libraries, or use our online reference service, Ask-A-Librarian.

Need accommodations? Please refer to our guide to Library Services for Persons with Disabilities.

We look forward to meeting you!
### Information for Students

#### General RU Stuff
- Student ID Cards
- Computer Accounts
- Getting Connected to the Network
- Cancellation of Classes
  - Camden
  - New Brunswick
  - Newark
- Transfer Student Information

#### Stuff about Classes
- Registration Instructions
  - Camden
  - New Brunswick
  - Newark
- Schedule of Classes
- Catalogs
- Academic Calendar
- Standard Class Periods
  - Camden (go to bottom of page)
  - New Brunswick
  - Newark
- Grades, Transcripts, etc.
  - Camden
  - New Brunswick
  - Newark
- Transfer of Credits
- Building Codes
  - New Brunswick
- Textbooks and Readings
  - Bookstores
  - Reserve Readings

#### Library Stuff
- Hours and Directions
- Library Locations
- Library Cards
- Barcodes and PINs
- Recalls
- Reserves
- Remote Access
- Printing & Copying
  - New Brunswick
- Ask-a-Librarian

#### Living at RU
- Housing
- Telephone Services
- Dining Services
- Change of Address
  - Camden
  - New Brunswick
  - Newark
- Parking
- Buses (New Brunswick)
  - Buses (Newark)
Registering with the Rutgers Libraries

Rutgers students, faculty, and staff must register with the Rutgers University Libraries in order to:

- Borrow books
- Use Rutgers Request or Interlibrary Loan services
- Check your library record or renew books in IRIS Self Services
- Access library resources such as indexes, electronic journals, and e-reserves from home when connecting through an Internet services provider.

To register you will need to supply your barcode (if available) and be issued a PIN.

**Barcode**: The 14-digit number beginning with '29030' or '25414' found on the back of your Rutgers ID or RUConnection Card.

**PIN**: A four-digit personal identification number issued by the Libraries.

You can register your barcode or get a PIN immediately by stopping at or calling and speaking to someone at a Rutgers Library Circulation Desk.

Or, you can submit a request to a team of Rutgers Libraries staff by filling out the form below. You will normally receive registration confirmation/a new PIN within 48 hours, excluding weekends and holidays.

Your name: ________________________

Email address: ________________________

Barcode: ________________________

Type "NA" in this field if you do not yet have a Rutgers ID with a barcode.

University ID (SSN#): ________________________

Additional Information: ________________________
IRIS Updates

- Keyword search mode (default) and Browse Mode
- Authority Control - Cross references, See, See Also, etc.
The **keyword** search returns results that contain your search term(s):

- At night, beneath the trees
- The late night

If you just hit “enter” in a keyword search, you’ll default to a SEARCH EVERYTHING keyword search.

The **browse** search returns results that begin with your search term(s):

- Night before Christmas
- Night in the south

If you just hit “enter” in a browse search, you’ll default to a SUBJECT browse.
Some Basics

**Keyword** search mode returns results that *contain* your search term.

**Browse** mode returns results that *start* with your search term.

Your **Search Options** are:
Let us illustrate these options and their results with an example.

We type in the word “remarriage” as our keyword.
For instance, let us look at

- **Keyword search Mode** with **Search Everything** and
- **Browse mode** with **Search Everything**
### Search Results -- Quick Search

88 records were found. Viewing 1 through 20. There are also cross references.
Use checkboxes □ below to mark list items for Print/Capture.

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<td>Faces of the feminine in ancient, medieval, and modern India / edited by Mandakranta Bose. 2000 DGLSS and other libraries</td>
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Search Result -- Quick Search

Viewing record 8 of 43 from catalog.
☐ Check here to mark this record for email/download

Personal author: **Hall, Ronald L., 1945-**

Title: **The human embrace: the love of philosophy and the philosophy of love** : Kierkegaard, C


Physical descrip: **xii, 259 p. ; 24 cm.**


Subject: **Kierkegaard, Søren, 1813-1855--Contributions in philosophy of love.**

Subject: **Cavell, Stanley, 1926--Contributions in philosophy of love.**

Subject: **Nussbaum, Martha Craven, 1947--Contributions in philosophy of love.**

Subject: **Love--History--19th century.**

Subject: **Love--History--20th century.**
Browsing the Catalog

1) REMARQUES SUR HOMERE FLEURY CLAUDE 1640-1723 [1]
2) REMARRIAGE [17]
3) REMARRIAGE CANADA [1]
4) REMARRIAGE CANON LAW [1]
5) REMARRIAGE EUROPE CROSS-CULTURAL STUDIES [1]
6) REMARRIAGE FICTION [3]
7) REMARRIAGE GREAT BRITAIN [2]
8) REMARRIAGE HISTORY CONGRESSES [1]
9) REMARRIAGE PSYCHOLOGICAL ASPECTS [3]
10) REMARRIAGE RELIGIOUS ASPECTS EARLY WORKS TO 1800 [1]
11) REMARRIAGE UNITED STATES [21]
Personal author: **Bernard, Jessie Shirley, 1903-**

Title: **Remarriage, a study of marriage.**

Publication info: **New York, Dryden Press [1956]**

Physical descrip: **372 p. 22 cm.**

Subject: **Remarriage.**
Browsing the Catalog

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4) REMARRIAGE CANADA [1]

5) REMARRIAGE CANON LAW [1]

6) see related headings for: REMARRIAGE CANON LAW

7) see related headings for: REMARRIAGE CANON LAW CATHOLIC CHURCH

8) REMARRIAGE EUROPE CROSS-CULTURAL STUDIES [1]
On to Some New Databases and Updates…

- New! Academic Search premier
  (Proquest Research Library dropped at the end of October)
- PCI – Periodicals Content Online
- Criminal Justice Abstracts
- Ingenta updated
Let us try some live searches now....
Thank You!

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