GALILEO Changes: 2009

Georgia Government Publications has been redesigned
Thursday, December 3, 2009 - 9:23:04 am

Georgia Government Publications, which provides a comprehensive repository of state publications from 1994 to the present, has a new look which can be seen at http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=ggpd or through the GALILEO website.

A promotional information sheet can be found at:
http://www.usg.edu/galileo/docs/mats/DLG-GGP.pdf

An announcement from the Digital Library of Georgia describing the resource is available below.

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The Digital Library of Georgia is pleased to present the redesign of the Georgia Government Publications database at: http://dlg.galileo.usg.edu/ggp.

Developed in 1996 as GALILEO's first digital conversion initiative, the Georgia Government Publications database contains born-digital publications and scanned print documents produced by Georgia state agencies. The GGP provides a comprehensive repository of state publications 1994 to the present, and project participants are actively scanning documents printed before 1994 to provide researchers with a valuable source for online historical research.

The Georgia Government Publications (GGP) database consists of over 44,000 documents produced by 100 Georgia state agencies. Georgia agencies are required by law to submit print and electronic publications that they produce for the public to the official depository at the University of Georgia Libraries. These publications are all included in the GGP, which features such publications as Guide to Alligator Hunting in Georgia, Members of the General Assembly of Georgia, rack cards on the Georgia state parks, images of Georgia's song birds from the Traveling Songsters poster, and thousands of other items generated by Georgia's executive branch of government.

The Georgia Government Publications database is part of the Digital Library of Georgia, a GALILEO initiative.

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If you have any questions or need more information, please use GALILEO's Contact Us feature or contact OIIT Customer Services at helpdesk@usg.edu.
— GALILEO Support Team

EBSCOhost Mobile Interface Links Added to GALILEO

Monday, November 23, 2009 - 1:09:52 pm

Beginning today, you will find the following custom EBSCOhost Mobile links appearing in GALILEO:

- EBSCOhost Mobile Academic
http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zbda

-EBSCOhost Mobile Espanol
http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zbdb

-EBSCOhost Mobile Public Library
http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zbdf

-EBSCOhost Mobile High School
http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zbdc

-EBSCOhost Mobile Middle School
http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zbde

Each of these interfaces has been configured to provide a direct multi-database search of EBSCOhost databases that are appropriate for the indicated audience. For detailed information regarding which databases are included in the search, please see the "More" link that follows the database name within the Databases A-Z list.

If you have any questions about the EBSCO Mobile Interfaces, please submit a comment to GALILEO via our Contact Us form: http://www.galileo.usg.edu/contact

— GALILEO Support Team

ConsumerEd.com now available in GALILEO

Thursday, October 1, 2009 - 8:43:07 am

Dear GALILEO Users,

ConsumerEd.com, a helpful new resource from the Governor's Office of Consumer Affairs that provides credit and purchasing information for Georgia citizens, is now available in GALILEO (Express Link:
http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=cnsm).

A promotional handout can be found here:

http://www.usg.edu/galileo/docs/mats/ConsumerEd.pdf

More details are included in the announcement from the Governor's Office of Consumer Affairs below.

----------------- Announcement-----------------------------

Meet Consumer Ed

The Governor's Office of Consumer Affairs has created a special web site - www.ConsumerEd.com - designed to help Georgians become smarter consumers.

Created especially with young adults in mind, the website has a colorful, dynamic design featuring a friendly, redheaded guide named Consumer Ed, who walks consumers through major purchasing and financial decisions, such as buying a car, purchasing a house, renting an apartment, dealing with credit and debt, managing money, and avoiding foreclosure.

In addition to comprehensive information in key topic areas (Car, Home, Credit & Debt, Finances 101), the site features current consumer news, financial calculators, and the option to join a Consumer Alert List, whereby subscribers can have important consumer news emailed to them each month.

ConsumerEd.com is a valuable tool that can help consumers learn to make wise purchasing and financial decisions, know their rights, and avoid becoming victims of scams or deceptive practices in the marketplace.

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— GALILEO Support Team

Change to EBSCO Encyclopedia of Animals

Friday, September 25, 2009 - 9:10:53 am

The EBSCO database Encyclopedia of Animals is no longer available as a standalone resource. The content of this resource is still available and searchable via other EBSCO databases available to GALILEO institutions, including:

Middle Search Plus
Primary Search
Searchasaurus

Kids Search

Articles within the Encyclopedia of Animals can now be found more easily through the improved citation with added subject headings and an abstract. In addition, each article includes a Lexile value. New images and maps have been included into the 'Related Item' section of the full text.

For further information, please see the full announcement from EBSCO here:

http://support.ebscohost.com/knowledge_base/detail.php?id=4617

— GALILEO Support Team

Southern Israelite Archive available in GALILEO

Monday, September 21, 2009 - 8:59:12 am

Dear GALILEO users,

The Southern Israelite Archive, which includes issues from 1929-1958 and 1984-1986 of the newspaper that served as the voice of the Jewish community in Atlanta during those years, is now available at http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=sois or through the GALILEO website.

A promotional information sheet can be found at: http://www.usg.edu/galileo/docs/mats/DLG-SouthernIsraelite.pdf

An announcement from the Digital Library of Georgia describing the resource is available below.

------------- ANNOUNCEMENT -------------

The Digital Library of Georgia and the Cuba Archives of the Breman Museum are pleased to announce the availability of a new online resource: Southern Israelite Archive.

http://dlg.galileo.usg.edu/israelite/

The Southern Israelite Archive spans the years 1929-1958 and 1984-1986 and includes over 22,000 images. Rabbi H. Cerf Straus established the Southern Israelite as a temple bulletin in Augusta in 1925. The publication was so popular, he expanded it into a monthly newspaper. Later in the decade, Straus sold the paper to Herman Dessauer and Sara B. Simmons, who moved the paper to Atlanta, where it began circulating state-wide and eventually throughout the South. In 1930, M. Stephen Schiffer, a former employee of the Atlanta Georgian, took over as sole

owner of the Southern Israelite. Even in these earliest years, the paper not only covered the news of the southern Jewry, but also the issues that involved Jewish populations throughout the nation and world, including the Holocaust and later the creation of the Jewish state of Israel. In October of 1934, the Southern Israelite began publishing a four page weekly edition, supplemented by its established monthly magazine edition. Ownership of the paper was turned over to a corporation headed by Israelite editor Adolph Rosenberg in 1951, while the paper continued its mission as the voice of the Jewish community in Atlanta. In October of 1958, the paper was at the forefront of the coverage of the Temple bombing in Atlanta, giving its readers a unique first hand perspective. The monthly edition of the paper was discontinued in 1973 in favor of its increasingly growing weekly edition. In 1987, the paper changed its name from the Southern Israelite to the Atlanta Jewish Times and guaranteed at least thirty-two page issues moving forward. The paper is today owned by Jewish Renaissance Media and continues as a weekly publication with a readership of over 25,000.

The Southern Israelite database is a project of the Digital Library of Georgia. Digitization is made possible by the Cuba Archives of the Breman Museum and the generosity of the Srochi family of Atlanta.

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— GALILEO Support Team

September SIRS Newsletter Available

Thursday, September 10, 2009 - 3:15:12 pm

The new SIRS newsletter includes information on the redesigned SIRS Issues Researcher, summaries of new content added to SIRS databases, and learning activities connected to Georgia standards. Learning activity topics include timely coverage of health care reform, underage drinking, the flu. You can see your own ideas featured in future newsletters by sending in your experiences with SIRS databases to the link under "Georgia SIRS Testimonials." SIRS Discoverer, SIRS Issues Researcher, and SIRS Interactive Citizenship are available through GALILEO to K-12 schools.

SIRS Newsletter
http://www.proquestk12.com/bulletins/archive/0909_GA.html

Subscribe to future SIRS Newsletters
http://www.proquestk12.com/news.shtml

— GALILEO Support Team

New Gale Informe PowerSearch Interface 9-9-09

Tuesday, September 8, 2009 - 3:20:13 pm

Beginning tomorrow, Gale will begin transitioning the ¡Informe! interface to the new Gale PowerSearch platform. The change will occur for GALILEO accounts beginning tomorrow morning.

The updates to the interface provides users with a robust array of searching and browsing options, and provides access to a variety of user-centered tools for saving, e-mailing, translating, and managing results and articles. Features like the ability to translate articles into several different languages and the ReadSpeaker technology that allows users to listen to or download audio versions of articles truly enhance the user experience within ¡Informe!

Gale's ¡Informe! Fact Sheet provides a glimpse at the new interface. It can be found here:
http://www.gale.cengage.com/pdf/facts/inform.pdf

The GALILEO Express Link to ¡Informe! is:
http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zgin

If you have any questions about the new ¡Informe! interface, please submit a comment to GALILEO Support:
http://www.galileo.usg.edu/contact/

— GALILEO Support Team

FY2010 Database Cancellations for Public Libraries: EBSCO BIR and SIRS

Thursday, September 3, 2009 - 11:36:15 am

Dear GALILEO Users,

Good morning. Due to continued budgetary constraints, GALILEO public libraries have made the difficult decision to discontinue their access to the following databases:

-EBSCOHost Book Index with Reviews

-SIRS Issues Researcher
-SIRS Discoverer
-Discoverer WebFind
-SKS WebSelect
-SIRS Interactive Citizenship

These databases will be removed from public library GALILEO menus beginning on September 1, 2009. SKS WebSelect and SIRS Interactive Citizenship will also be removed from all other GALILEO menus except for K-12. Please feel free to submit any questions or concerns about these cancellations via the GALILEO Contact Us form.

— GALILEO Support Team

African American Funeral Programs now available in GALILEO

Wednesday, July 15, 2009 - 3:39:56 pm

Dear GALILEO users,

The African American Funeral Programs from the East Central Georgia Regional Library online collection, consisting of funeral programs primarily from the Augusta area, is now available at http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=fpro or through the GALILEO website. A promotional information sheet can be found at http://www.usg.edu/galileo/docs/mats/DLG-FuneralPrograms.pdf
An announcement from the Digital Library of Georgia describing the resource is available below.

------------- ANNOUNCEMENT -------------
The Digital Library of Georgia is pleased to announce the availability of a new online resource: African American Funeral Programs from the East Central Georgia Regional Library.

The African American Funeral Programs from the East Central Georgia Regional Library online collection consists of over one thousand funeral programs ranging from 1933 to 2008 (with the bulk of the collection beginning in the 1960s) from the Eula M. Ramsey Johnson Memorial Funeral Program Collection. A majority of the programs are from churches in Augusta, Georgia, and the surrounding area, with a few outliers in other states such as New York and Florida. The programs typically contain a photograph of the deceased, an obituary, a list of surviving relatives, and the order of service. The collection provides extensive genealogical information about the deceased, including birth and death dates, maiden names, names of relatives, past residences, and place of burial. Alongside this genealogical information, the obituaries provide a rich source of local history about African Americans. Many of the people included in this collection were prominent in their

communities, and many were involved locally in the struggle for civil rights.

The African American Funeral Programs from the East Central Georgia Regional Library is a project of the Digital Library of Georgia in association with the East Central Georgia Regional Library as part of Georgia HomePLACE. The project is supported with federal LSTA funds administered by the Institute of Museum and Library Services through the Georgia Public Library Service, a unit of the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia.
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— GALILEO Support Team

Milledgeville Historic Newspapers Archive now available in GALILEO

Friday, July 10, 2009 - 4:35:11 pm

Dear GALILEO users,

The Milledgeville Historic Newspapers Archive, which includes eleven newspaper titles published in Milledgeville from 1808 to 1920, is now available at http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=miln or through the GALILEO website. A promotional information sheet can be found at http://www.usg.edu/galileo/docs/mats/DLG-MilledgevilleNewspapers.pdf
An announcement from the Digital Library of Georgia describing the resource is available below.

------------- ANNOUNCEMENT -------------
The Digital Library of Georgia is pleased to announce the availability of a new online resource: The Milledgeville Historic Newspapers Archive

The Milledgeville Historic Newspapers Archive provides online access to eleven newspaper titles published in Milledgeville from 1808 to 1920. Consisting of over 49,000 newspaper pages, the archive provides historical images that are both full-text searchable and can be browsed by date. Because Milledgeville served as the state capital from 1804 to 1868, during the antebellum, Civil War, and Reconstruction periods in the state's history, the site will provide researchers with particular historical insight into Georgia politics during the nineteenth century.

The city of Milledgeville was established in 1803, specifically to serve as the new centrally located capital of the state. It was named after the then current Georgia Governor, John Milledge. Newspaper publication in Milledgeville quickly

accompanied the arrival of the state government and the city's earliest settlers. A. McMillan published Milledgeville's first newspaper, The Milledgeville Intelligencer, in 1808. The following year, the Georgia Journal began publication and became the city's most successful paper over the next decade before moving to Macon in 1847, eventually merging with the Macon Telegraph in 1869. Seaton Grantland and Richard Orme, both of whom had previously worked on the Georgia Journal, began printing the Southern Recorder in February of 1820. The paper leaned politically toward the state's rights doctrine and became an extremely successful publication in the state capital. Not to be outdone, Tomlinson Fort, a prominent Milledgeville physician and future mayor of the city, established the Federal Union in 1830, and steered its politics in the direction of unionism over state's rights. These two prominent papers would compete politically and commercially for readers in Milledgeville for the next forty years. In 1872, following Milledgeville's loss of capital status to Atlanta, the owner of the Southern Recorder sold the paper to his competitor, the Federal Union. The two newly merged papers became known as the Union and Recorder, eventually adopting the paper's contemporary name, the Union Recorder, in 1886. The Union Recorder continued to prosper during the remainder of the twentieth century, and today serves as the primary news organ for the city of Milledgeville.

The Milledgeville Historic Newspapers Archive is a project of the Digital Library of Georgia as part of the Georgia HomePLACE initiative. The project is supported with federal LSTA funds administered by the Institute of Museum and Library Services through the Georgia Public Library Service, a unit of the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia.

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— GALILEO Support Team

Columbus Enquirer Archive available in GALILEO

Friday, July 10, 2009 - 4:31:48 pm

Dear GALILEO users,

The Columbus Enquirer Archive, which includes issues of the Columbus Enquirer newspaper from 1828-1890, is now available at http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=cole or through the GALILEO website. A promotional information sheet can be found at http://www.usg.edu/galileo/docs/mats/DLG-ColumbusEnquirer.pdf

An announcement from the Digital Library of Georgia describing the resource is available below.

------------- ANNOUNCEMENT -------------
The Digital Library of Georgia is pleased to announce the availability of a new online resource: The Columbus Enquirer Archive

The Columbus Enquirer Archive provides online access to early issues of the Columbus Enquirer ranging from its inception as a weekly newspaper in 1828, through the daily issues of the late nineteenth century. Consisting of over 30,000 newspaper pages, the archive provides historical images that are both full-text searchable and can be browsed by date.

Mirabeau Bonaparte Lamar, the future president of the Republic of Texas, established the Columbus Enquirer as a weekly newspaper in May of 1828, making it the third oldest newspaper in Georgia. During its earliest issues, the paper supported the ideological cause of state's rights, exemplified by the quote used in its title banner: "The Union of the States, and the Sovereignty of the States." In the decades that followed, the paper aligned itself politically with the Whig Party and by 1860, broke with many other prominent newspapers of the time by rejecting secession and calling for cooperation with the North, but quickly realigned itself with the Georgia once secession became official. In the post-war period, the Enquirer continued to provide the citizens of Columbus with the latest news with the use of newly available telegraphic news services. In 1874, the Columbus Enquirer merged with its largest local competitor, the Columbus Sun, and became the Columbus Enquirer-Sun.

The Columbus Enquirer Archive is a project of the Digital Library of Georgia as part of the Georgia HomePLACE initiative. The project is supported with federal LSTA funds administered by the Institute of Museum and Library Services through the Georgia Public Library Service, a unit of the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia.

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— GALILEO Support Team

Georgia State Fair, Macon, 1886-1960 available in GALILEO

Thursday, July 9, 2009 - 8:45:30 am

Dear GALILEO users,

The Georgia State Fair, Macon, 1886-1960 online collection, consisting of black-and-white images from the Georgia State Fair, is now available at http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=gsfr or through the GALILEO website. An announcement from the Digital Library of Georgia describing the resource is available below.

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The Middle Georgia Archives and Digital Library of Georgia are pleased to announce the availability of a new online resource: The Georgia State Fair, Macon, 1886-1960.

http://dlg.galileo.usg.edu/gastatefair

The Georgia State Fair, Macon, 1886-1960 online collection consists of 151 black-and-white photographs, and four advertising fliers, from the Georgia State Fair records held by the Middle Georgia Archives at the Macon-Bibb County Public Libraries. These photographs document the evolution of the state fair in Macon from 1886 until 1960. A group portrait of the executive committee of the Georgia State Agricultural Society is the earliest piece in the collection. The majority of the photographs depict county agricultural exhibits whose function was to promote a variety of farm produce and homemade items. These displays include cotton, seeds, vegetables, preserved food, clothes, quilts, furniture, and more. Exhibits from the early 1940s are of interest due to the appearance of slogans supporting the World War II home front effort. One notable picture during this era shows a demonstration of a community canning project. Displays for agricultural associations and state government agencies, such as the Highway Department and the Fish and Game Commission, can also be seen in this collection. Other photographs capture fair culture beyond the exhibitions: 4-H clubs, farm machinery, livestock judging, amusement rides, the midway, side shows, food booths, and parades. Macon mayor B. F. Merritt appears in several photographs along with other notable Macon citizens. Former Georgia governor Marvin Griffin is also pictured.

The Georgia State Fair, Macon, 1886-1960 is a project of the Digital Library of Georgia in association with the Middle Georgia Archives as part of Georgia HomePLACE. The project is supported with federal LSTA funds administered by the Institute of Museum and Library Services through the Georgia Public Library Service, a unit of the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia.

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— GALILEO Support Team

GALILEO Database Cancellations for Fiscal Year 2010

Friday, June 12, 2009 - 8:44:14 am

As you all are aware of, budgeting for FY2010 has been very challenging. Despite significant budget cuts and because of pricing concessions offered by many of our vendors, GALILEO is happy to announce that we will still be able to maintain most of our GALILEO database offerings; if the budget stands as allocated.

Even with pricing concessions, each GALILEO consortia has had to make hard decisions this year regarding cuts in database offerings for their constituents.

The following databases will be discontinued beginning on July 1, 2009:
-College Source Online (ALL Consortia)
-Literature Online Complete (LION) (Technical Colleges)
-Oxford English Dictionary(Technical Colleges)
-Book Index with Reviews (Technical Colleges)
-Current Contents (University System of Georgia and AMPALS)

The following databases were canceled for FY2009 and will not be renewed in FY2010:
-CSA (University System of Georgia)
-Kids InfoBits (Public K-12 Schools)

Please feel free to submit any questions or concerns about these cancellations via the GALILEO Contact Us form.

— GALILEO Support Team

FDsys (GPO's Federal Digital System) added to GALILEO

Monday, April 13, 2009 - 11:20:37 am

FDsys, the Federal Digital System from the U.S. Government Printing Office, has been added to the GALILEO pages. It provides public access to government information submitted by Congress and federal agencies and preserved as technology changes. For additional information about the FDsys project, see:
http://www.gpo.gov/projects/fdsys.htm

GALILEO Express Link for FDsys:
http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=fdsy

If you have any questions or need more information, please use GALILEO's Contact Us feature or contact the Help Desk at helpdesk@usg.edu.

— GALILEO Support Team

Recent Changes to GALILEO

Monday, March 30, 2009 - 9:43:44 am

In the year since the GALILEO community interfaces were first introduced on March 17, 2008, we have continued to address suggestions received from users and library staff through the GALILEO Change Review Process. Based on urgency, simplicity/complexity of implementation, and visibility, changes may or may not be evaluated beforehand with constituents, rolled out as they are made, and/or worked in as time permits.

We are pleased to report that the changes previously announced as scheduled for appearing today are now available in production.

* "Articles & Databases" is now the top tab within the subject areas in Scholar for all libraries except Technical Colleges***

* New "try these first" database rankings appear in Teen subject lists

* Modifications to the GALILEO Find It journal search feature have been made to better include local resources in results lists for participants in local resource integration

Other recent changes include:
* New video tutorials are available for Scholar (more to come for all interfaces): http://www.usg.edu/galileo/help/searching/tutorials.phtml

* Database selections in Scholar, High School, Teen, and Library have been audited and refined**

* Where possible, "Return to GALILEO" links have been enabled at database vendor sites to help address back button concerns

** In coordination with community librarians
*** In coordination with Technical Colleges and GALILEO Reference Committee

We hope you will find these revisions satisfactory -- please let us know if we can provide any assistance or additional information.
Thank you!
Lauren

New FirstSearch databases added to subscription base package: ArchiveGrid, CAMIO, & OAIster

Thursday, March 12, 2009 - 8:51:06 am

The following 3 new resources have been added to the GALILEO FirstSearch subscription base package as of February 16, 2009:

-ArchiveGrid
-CAMIO
-OAIster

These databases are now available through GALILEO for members of the following library consortia:

-University System of Georgia
-Public Libraries
-AMPALS
-GPALS
-Technical College System of Georgia

Here is some additional information about these resources and their availability through GALILEO:

ArchiveGrid
GALILEO Express Link: http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zorx
Availability: Currently, on site only.

ArchiveGrid provides Online access to nearly a million
descriptions of archival collections owned by thousands of
libraries, museums, historical societies and archives worldwide.ArchiveGrid is an important destination for searching for historical documents, personal papers and family histories held in archives.

CAMIO (Catalog of Art Museum Images Online)
GALILEO Express Link: http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zocm
Availability: Currently, on site only.

CAMIO (Catalog of Art Museum Images Online) provides access to high-quality art images from around the world contributed and described by leading museums, all rights-cleared for educational use. Every work in CAMIO is represented by at least one high-resolution image and a description. Many have additional views of the work, sound, video and curatorial notes. CAMIO art images span the following

categories:

-Photographs
-Prints
-Sculptures
-Paintings
-Decorative arts
-Posters
-Costumes
-Utilitarian objects
-Jewelry

OAIster
GALILEO Express Link:http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zoai
Availability: On-campus and Remote

OAIster is a union catalog of more than 19 million digital resources from over 1,000 organizations developed by the University of Michigan and harvested using OAI-PMH (the Open Archives Initiative Protocol for Metadata Harvesting). Digital resources in OAIster include items such as:

-Digitized (i.e., scanned) books and articles
-Born-digital texts
-Audio files (e.g., wav, mp3)
-Images (e.g., tiff, gif)
-Movies (e.g., mp4, quicktime)
-Datasets (e.g., downloadable statistics files)

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— GALILEO Support Team

New FirstSearch databases added to subscription base package: ArchiveGrid, CAMIO, & OAIster

Thursday, March 12, 2009 - 8:41:27 am

The following 3 new resources have been added to the GALILEO FirstSearch subscription base package as of February 16, 2009:

• ArchiveGrid

- CAMIO

- OAIster

These databases are now available through GALILEO for members of the following library consortia:

- University System of Georgia

- Public Libraries

- AMPALS

- GPALS

- Technical College System of Georgia

Here is some additional information about these resources and their availability through GALILEO:

-ArchiveGrid
GALILEO Express Link: http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zorx

Availability: Currently, on site only.

ArchiveGrid provides Online access to nearly a million
descriptions of archival collections owned by thousands of
libraries, museums, historical societies and archives worldwide.ArchiveGrid is an important destination for searching for historical documents, personal papers and family histories held in archives.

-CAMIO (Catalog of Art Museum Images Online)
GALILEO Express Link: http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zocm

Availability: Currently, on site only.

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- Sculptures

- Paintings

- Decorative arts

- Posters

- Costumes

- Utilitarian objects

- Jewelry

-OAIster
GALILEO Express Link: http://www.galileo.usg.edu/express?link=zoai

Availability: On-campus and Remote

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- Born-digital texts

- Audio files (e.g., wav, mp3)

- Images (e.g., tiff, gif)

- Movies (e.g., mp4, quicktime)

- Datasets (e.g., downloadable statistics files)

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— GALILEO Support Team

Serials Information Worksheet for FY09 Available

Monday, February 9, 2009 - 4:31:11 pm

Many libraries participate in institutional and national reporting processes and surveys (ACRL, ALS, etc) for which information about electronic resources is required, including information about the numbers of serials available via GALILEO.

To assist with these needs, a worksheet that libraries can use to calculate this information is now available for download at: http://www.usg.edu/galileo/help/library/databases.phtml

— GALILEO Support Team

EBSCO Pre-CINAHL Content Incorporated into CINAHL Databases

Monday, February 9, 2009 - 4:24:30 pm

EBSCO has incorporated their Pre-CINAHL content with their CINAHL databases. All Pre-CINAHL records can now be searched from within CINAHL databases. Because of this change, GALILEO has removed the Pre-CINAHL record for those institutions who subscribe to CINAHL, CINAHL Plus with Full Text, or CINAHL with Full Text through GALILEO. This change will be effective tomorrow morning.

---------------Original Message from EBSCO------------------
> Subject: Pre-CINAHL Content Merged w/CINAHL Databases
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> Dear EBSCO Customer,
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> We are pleased to announce that we have incorporated the content in the /Pre-CINAHL/ database with our /CINAHL/ products to streamline your search experience. /Pre-CINAHL /was intended to provide current awareness of new journal articles, and included a rotating file of limited bibliographic information (no subject searching), which was available to searchers only for the time when these articles were being assigned additional indexing. This enabled users to gain access

to article citations that otherwise would not have been available. These early article citations are now part of all /CINAHL/ products.
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> This update means that:
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> *All of the records you wish to access in /Pre-CINAHL/ can be searched in your subscribed /CINAHL/ product
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> *If you wish to exclude these records in your /CINAHL /product search, you can use the "Exclude Pre-CINAHL" search limiter
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> Therefore, on March 31, 2009 we will discontinue the /Pre-CINAHL/ database as a stand-alone product. On that date, /Pre-CINAHL/, alone, will no longer be accessible to you. Please delete or change any links you may have created to this product.
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> Sincerely,
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> Marcie Brown
> Technical Communications Manager
> EBSCO Publishing

— GALILEO Support Team