STUDY LIKE IT’S 1864!

Have you ever wondered what medical education was like 150 years ago? What did aspiring doctors learn? How were they taught? Did all the professors agree on instructional methods? (Of course not.)

Over on the Pumerantz Library News and Events blog, scholarly communications librarian Kelli Hines travels to 1864 (who needs a time machine when you have a database?) and explores Victorian medical education and its dissidents. Read and comment at http://pumerantzoutreach.blogspot.com/2014/02/study-like-its-1864.html.

To learn more about medical education and its history, browse the second floor stacks under W 18, do a search for “medical education” in the library catalog, or ask a librarian!
Did you know that in addition to requesting scholarly articles via the library’s article request form you can also request books that we don’t have in our collection? Just select ‘Book’ under the New Request heading, fill in the details and our Resource Sharing staff will search within our network of affiliated libraries for your request. Once found, the lending library mails us the book, you pick it up at the Pumerantz Library and return it to us when you’re done! This service is available to staff as well as students and faculty.

SCELC

The Pumerantz Library has a reciprocal borrowing agreement through the Statewide California Electronic Library Consortium (SCELC). WesternU faculty have access to and may check out items from these collections by obtaining an authorization form at the Pumerantz Library front desk. A list of participating libraries is available on our website. Please contact each library for their loan periods and other guidelines.

IEALC

The Inland Empire Libraries Cooperative (IEALC) is an agreement between 17 academic libraries within Riverside, San Bernardino, and eastern Los Angeles counties. Students need to present their current University ID card along with a valid IEALC card and they can borrow materials from participating libraries. Western University students may apply at the Pumerantz Library circulation desk for a current IEALC membership card.

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HARRY POTTER'S WORLD: RENAISSANCE SCIENCE, MAGIC, AND MEDICINE.

In 1997, British author J. K. Rowling introduced the world to Harry Potter and a literary phenomenon was born. Millions of readers have followed Harry to the Hogwarts School of Witchcraft and Wizardry where he discovers his heritage, encounters new plants and animals, and perfects his magical abilities. Although a fantasy story, the magic in the Harry Potter books is partially based on Renaissance traditions that played an important role in the development of Western science, including alchemy, astrology, and natural philosophy. Incorporating the work of several 15th- and 16th-century thinkers, the seven-part series examines important ethical topics such as the desire for knowledge, the effects of prejudice, and the responsibility that comes with power.

This exhibition, using materials from the National Library of Medicine, explores Harry Potter’s world, its roots in Renaissance science, and the ethical questions that affected not only the wizards of Harry Potter, but also the historical thinkers featured in the series.

From March 10th to April 19th the Harriet K. and Philip Pumerantz Library will be hosting this traveling exhibit.

Make sure you join us for
Family Fun Day on Saturday, March 29th from 1 to 4pm.

There will be a variety of activities for kids of all ages as well as a LIVE BARN OWL from Wild Wings of California.

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You’re Looking At Me Like I Live Here And I Don’t
Filmed by Scott Kirschenbaum

A painfully honest unscripted recording, this film allows the viewer a glimpse of how confusing navigating mundane daily activities can be for an individual with Alzheimer’s dementia. Unprompted and unscripted, the viewer is invited into the world of Lee Gorewitz, a vibrant lover of music and dance who is repeatedly confounded by daily life due to her inability to understand the world around her. No longer able to recognize the faces of loved ones in the picture frames surrounding her, Lee struggles to answer simple questions posed to her with pleasantly confused responses which reflect the disorganization in her mind. Hauntingly sweet and starkly poignant, this film delivers a powerful performance by a protagonist who is no longer cognizant of her role both in the film and in life.

Reviewed by Dr. Anna Yeung

This DVD is available for checkout.

BOOK SALE & FICTION SECTION

The fall book sale now has a permanent home on the first floor of the library in front of the museum. Prices are $1.00 for hardback and $0.50 for paperback, unless otherwise marked by a yellow sticker on the front cover.

Across from the book sale shelf is our popular fiction and bestsellers collection, a small but evolving selection of leisure reading material. If you are looking for a particular book, please order it via the Article Request form.
New Books

- **Gonioscopy: A Text and Atlas (with Gonioviewer)**
- **The Handbook of Health Behavior Change**
- **Alchek’s Diagnosis and Management of Ovarian Disorders**
- **Dancing Hands**
- **The Rat Brain in Stereotaxic Coordinates**

Upcoming Library Workshops

- **Mobile Apps for Medicine**
  - Wednesday, April 2nd
  - @ 5:30pm
  - Watch a TED TALK on the wireless future of medicine from our Mobile Medicine News page.

- **Endnote**
  - Monday, April 7th
  - @ 5:30pm
  - EndNote is a bibliographic management software program that allows you to store all your citations in one place. [Download Endnote](#)

[Click here to register for workshops.](#)

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