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# Collections and Electronic Resources Updates – 2022 Q2

The following information contains updates to the University Libraries collections and electronic resources for the second quarter of 2022. We are providing this information to update you about resources you are gaining or losing access to in the collection. We plan to publish collections and electronic resource changes quarterly to keep the campus community updated. Below you will also find information about significant projects and changes related to collections and electronic resources. Past and future updates can be found at <a href="https://ideaexchange.uakron.edu/erupdates/">https://ideaexchange.uakron.edu/erupdates/</a>

# Additions

### E-books

We have added approximately 90 e-books from Gale and Proquest on topics of Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion. These books cover a variety of topics including diversity in higher education, disability studies, indigenous studies, and LBGTQ+ topics. If you would like to see a full list of added e-books, please let us know (mmcgurr1@uakron.edu)

### Databases

### The Literary Encyclopedia

University Libraries has added <u>The Literary Encyclopedia</u> to our list of databases. The Literary Encyclopedia is a constantly updated repository of authoritative reference work about literary and cultural history. All articles are solicited by invitation from specialist scholars in higher education institutions all over the world, including some of UA's own faculty in the English Department.

### **Access Anesthesiology**

A five-year subscription to <u>Access Anesthesiology</u> is now accessible. This resource is especially helpful for our Anesthesiology students and includes reference, research, and curricular instruction. Access Anesthesiology is updated regularly and covers the entire spectrum of anesthesiology from the basics to specialty-specific content that can be viewed on any device.

### Cancellations

### There are no cancellations to report this Quarter

University Libraries will provide as much notice as possible when resources are to be discontinued in an effort to lessen disruption to our users. Reductions to library collections will continue to be shared via Digest updates and directly with departments. Additionally, University Libraries provides and archives a quarterly update of resource changes (this report) via IdeaExchange@UAkron.

# **Resource Notes and Updates**

### ZipSearch and E-Journal Finder

ZipSearch and E-Journal finder are getting a new look! EBSCO has updated the interfaces for their discovery products and University Libraries will be moving to the new interfaces starting in mid-July. For a chance to preview the new ZipSearch, visit the <u>library homepage</u> and click the link to try the new ZipSearch Interface. Then use the link from the homepage to take our survey to let us know what you think.

### **EBSCO Consumer Health Complete**

EBSCO has added new content and features to Consumer Health Complete. Content includes an updated collection of health reference e-books, updated pamphlets and health reports. The new interface includes the ability to browse trending topics, accessibility improvements, and citation export. Consumer Health Complete is provided by University Libraries as part of the OhioLINK Base Pack of databases available to all members.

### **Oxford's New E-Book Platform**

Oxford will be migrating their e-book content onto their Oxford Academic platform that already hosts their e-journal content in July. All OhioLINK members have access to Oxford Scholarship Online (OSO), University Press Scholarship Online (UPSO), and Very Short Introductions e-books from Oxford University Press. These resources will be available on the Oxford Academic site starting on July 14, and the legacy platforms will redirect to the new Oxford Academic site on **July 20** for Very Short Introductions and on **July 27** for OSO and UPSO. You can learn more about these changes by watching some webinars <u>here</u> or watching a short overview video of the platform <u>here</u>.

## We need your feedback!

Please consider providing feedback to the UL Librarians about resources that are important to your learning, teaching, and research efforts. Your feedback helps UL be as effective as possible in deploying our resources towards high impact information resources for students and faculty.

## Have questions or comments about collections?

Please submit questions or comments related to collections to Melanie McGurr <u>mmcgurr1@uakron.edu</u> / (330-972-5390), Associate Dean, Technical Services.

## Having problems with e-resources?

Please submit questions or concerns related to electronic resources via our <u>contact form</u>. Be sure to select "Accessing Electronic Resources" as your question on the form.