

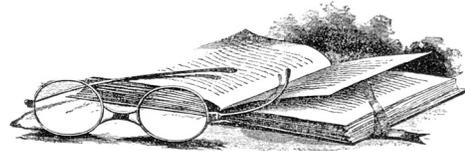
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*I'm really a library man,
or second-hand book man*

- John Le Carre

Business Source Complete

Doherty library's *Business Source Premier* subscription has recently been upgraded to the more comprehensive *Business Source Complete* database. *Business Source Complete* is a true replacement, offering additional full-text content not available in the *Premier* product and more active, peer-reviewed, business related journals than any other database currently available. *Business Source Complete* features full-text journal titles from Kluwer Academic, John Wiley & Sons and Berkeley Electronic Press publishers and periodicals from the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants. Enhancing the already excellent industry and market data coverage are the new Bernstein Financial Industry Reports, Black Books (company profiles) and White Books (market research reports).

Library users can choose between the traditional EBSCO search interface and a new option: the "Enhanced" search interface, which allows users to quickly browse for specific types of material, such as SWOT analyses, industry reports or country profiles. Access *Business Source Complete* through the Doherty library homepage at <http://library.stthom.edu>.



Dr. Janice Gordon-Kelter Memorial Book Collection

Librarians have begun cataloging items for the Janice Gordon-Kelter Memorial Book Collection. The seeds of this collection were Dean Gordon-Kelter's own personal collection of books. If, as British writer George Holbrook Jackson said "Your library is your portrait," Janice's certainly reveals her intelligence, wit and humanity. A life-

long lover of libraries and learning, she acquired a diverse assortment of scholarly monographs. While her collection enhances the University's holdings across a number of disciplines, it is particularly strong in the areas of medieval studies, British history and women's history. The Collection will continue to grow, through both donations made in memory of Dean Gordon-Kelter and matching funds provided in the library budget. Numerous donations have already been received. For information about the matching funds policy or to make a donation, contact the [Doherty Library Director](#). The books & multi-media will be shelved throughout the main collections. Each item has a book plate designating it as part of the Gordon-Kelter collection.

To browse a list of all the items in the collection which have been cataloged so far, search the [library's catalog](#) by keyword for "Janice Gordon-Kelter."

Doherty Library Hours Fall & Spring Semesters

Monday—Thursday	7:45 a.m.— midnight
Friday	7:45a.m. — 9 p.m.
Saturday	10:00 a.m.— 9 p.m.
Sunday	1 p.m.— midnight



The Circulation desk closes 15 minutes before the library closes.
For holiday hours, check the [library website](#) at <http://library.stthom.edu>
Circulation/Renewals 713-525-2180 / Reference questions 713-525-2188



Fall Library Exhibits

Czech Culture & Handicrafts, through November 3rd

Taiwan Culture Exhibit, through December 20th

Women's Studies International

The Library's new *Women's Studies International* database bridges several disciplines useful for research in women's issues: traditional feminism, women's history, sociology, international relations, business, education and more. The collection includes the content of two of the most widely respected Women's Studies resources: *Women's Studies Abstracts* and the *Women's Studies Database*. *WSI* also includes bibliographies of feminism, race and ethnicity, women's health—particularly in developing nations and geography. Formats indexed include books, anthologies, journals, proceedings and even non-print materials. Many citations are fully annotated. Overall coverage includes more than 489,600 records and spans from pre-1972 up to the present. Access the database through the Doherty library homepage at: <http://library.stthom.edu>.

Did you know?

UST Students' library accounts must be renewed at the Doherty library Circulation desk at the start of each new semester.

The first time you check out a book each semester, you will be asked to verify your patron information so that we may update our records.

Students with current accounts can access their library account online, including renewing their books remotely.

Having your account updated also gives you the ability to place holds on items that are checked-out, ensuring that you'll be the next person in line for the item!



Outside of a dog, a book is man's best friend. Inside of a dog it's too dark to read.

- Groucho Marx

Meet the Library Faculty and Staff

An ongoing feature introducing the University community to Doherty library staff. This semester we feature staff member Sylvia Coy and Catalog Librarian Melissa Torres.

Sylvia Coy



Sylvia Coy joined our staff this summer as Circulation Services Supervisor. Managing the day-to-day operations at the Circulation desk is a big step up from being a student worker, her former position at Doherty library! Sylvia first came to the University of St. Thomas in 2001 as a non-traditional undergrad. She earned her bachelors degree from UST and subsequently went into our Masters in Liberal Arts program. She graduated last May, with a concentration in History. Sylvia is a native of New York City who now lives in Pearland with her husband Larry and two children. Daughter Amity is a sophomore at Sam Houston State University. Son Damian is a senior in high school. Also at home is her pet Chihuahua Taquito, who spends a lot of time sitting on Sylvia's lap while she watches TV or works on the computer. Sylvia often hosts foreign exchange students in her home. She likes volunteering at her local church, bike riding, shopping for antiques, visiting with friends, travel, sewing and journaling. She enjoys reading non-fiction, particularly history books.

Melissa Torres



Melissa Torres is the new Technical Services Librarian at Doherty library. She catalogs all new materials the library receives, inventories our current collections and keeps the library's online systems running smoothly. Melissa grew up on a farm in central Iowa, showing horses, walking beans, and generally spending a lot of time playing in the dirt. She earned her undergraduate degree from Grinnell College in Grinnell, Iowa. She majored in History, minored in Russian and worked at the Grinnell college archives, where she discovered the wonderful world of libraries. Melissa also spent a college semester living in Belgium and studying at the Katholieke Universiteit Leuven. Upon graduation, she and her fiancé Gus moved to Houston. She earned her Masters of Science in Information Studies from the University of Texas at Austin and began her professional career as the librarian for the Holocaust Museum Houston before joining our team at UST.

Melissa is a cat-person who has inexplicably wound up the proud owner of two cat-hating but otherwise adorable dogs named Sonya and Phoebe. Alas, no cats may darken the doorway of Gus and Melissa's home as long as Sonya and Phoebe reside there. Melissa enjoys reading, riding her bike, spending time with her husband Gus and playing the saxophone. She does not enjoy deep water, rodents or math (Our apologies to the folks over in Tiller hall).