RESEARCH & WRITING CENTER CHANGES

Positive changes improve service for undergraduate and graduate students on and off campus

The Research & Writing Center’s primary goal is to provide the undergraduate and graduate students at SAU with the tools they need to become stronger, more accomplished writers. Writing tutors will work with students at any stage of the writing process. We provide help with the following:

- Interpreting an assignment sheet, brainstorming for ideas, and creating an outline
- Clarifying ideas, organizing information, and strengthening arguments
- Acquiring research strategies, integrating scholarly sources, and applying proper documentation
- Improving editing and proofreading skills, and understanding better the conventions of academic writing

The Research & Writing Center provides face-to-face tutoring sessions for all of the local SAU students and online tutoring for our online graduate students. We are using a new online scheduler.

To schedule a 30-minute or 60-minute appointment with one of our tutors, students follow the steps below:
1. Go to our appointment website: http://southern.myconline.com
2. If you have not registered with our system (if you didn’t register after Oct. 17, you are not registered), click on the hyperlink provided to register. Then, sign in to make an appointment.
3. Choose an appointment time that fits your schedule, and fill out the appointment form. Should you decide later to cancel the appointment, return to the appointment form before choose the box that will cancel the appointment.
4. Come to the appointment on time with an assignment sheet and a hard copy of the assignment you would like help with.

Our online tutoring sessions for online graduate students feature a collaborative whiteboard; text, video, and audio chat; and the ability to work with documents in real time.

Contact the Research & Writing Center Director, Sonja Fordham, for more information: sfordham@southern.edu.

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On Display
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For more information on our current collection displays, see Trending @ McKee on page 6.

What’s Happening at McKee Library

Library Happenings

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Sunday: 2 p.m. - 9 p.m.
Monday - Thursday: 9 a.m. - 9 p.m.
Friday: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Saturday: Closed

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Saturday: Closed

**Holiday Hours**

Thanksgiving Break
November 24 - 29: Closed

Exam Schedule & Christmas Break
Sunday, Dec. 14: 12 p.m. - 12 a.m.
Dec. 15 - 16: 7:45 a.m. - 12 a.m.
Dec. 17: 7:45 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Dec. 18 - Jan. 5: Closed
Jan 6 & 8: 9 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Jan 7 & 9: Closed
Sunday, Jan. 11: 12 p.m. - 11 p.m.

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**WHAT’S HAPPENING AT McKEE LIBRARY**

**Game Night at McKee Library**
Strategy Board Games
Library’s Presentation Lab
Sunday Evenings, 6 p.m. to 10 p.m.

**Art in the Library**

*Theodore R. Davis Prints*
Civil War Drawings
Library’s Second Floor
Now - November 9, 2014

*Valiant Confederates by Randy Steffen*
Civil War Paintings
Library’s Main Floor
Now - November 30, 2014

**From the Vault Displays**
Library’s Main Floor
Selected items from the French Collection
& Thomas Memorial Collection
Fall Semester 2014

**Holidays & Events**

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8 MUST READ BOOKS

The American Plate

Recommended by:
Professor Jessica Spears
Research Services Librarian

Slow Food Nation: Why Our Food Should Be Good, Clean, and Fair
Carlo Petrini
TX631 .P47313 2007

A Farm Dies Once a Year
Arlo Crawford
S521.5 .P4 C73 2014

Whole: Rethinking the Science of Nutrition
T. Colin Campbell
RA784 .C23524 2013

Fair Food: Growing a Healthy, Sustainable Food System for All
Oran B. Hesterman
HD9005 .H47 2011

The Third Plate: Field Notes on the Future of Food
Dan Barber
TX369 .B3625 2014

The American Way of Eating: Undercover at Walmart, Applebee’s, Farm Fields and the Dinner Table
Tracie McMillan
HD9005 .M375 2012

American Wasteland: How America Throws Away Nearly Half of Its Food (and What We Can Do about It)
Jonathan Bloom
HD9005 .B654 2010

Fast Food Nation: The Dark Side of the All-American Meal
Eric Schlosser
TX715 .S2968 2001
Also a McKee Library e-Book

ENGINEERING & DESIGN
Films available in the media department

Future by Design
Directed by William Gazecki
TA140 .F8435 F87 2006

Thrill Ride: The Science of Fun
Harry Shearer
GV1860 .R64 T47 2000

The Third Plate: Field Notes on the Future of Food
Dan Barber
TX369 .B3625 2014

Building with Awareness: The Construction of a Hybrid Home
Directed by Ted Owens
TH880 .B84 2005

Fast, Cheap, & Out of Control
Errol Morris
CT9990 .F35 2002

Other Recommendations:
Secrets of Lost Empires
TA633 .S43 2006
Brooklyn Bridge
TG25.N53 B76 2002

Extreme Engineering: Tunneling Under the Alps
TA807 .E987 2008
Connections 1: Presented by James Burke
T15 .B76 2007

Recommended by:
Professor Stan Cottrell
Media & Technical Services Librarian
BUSINESS & FINANCE

Titles available in the periodicals department

Harvard Business Review
November 2014

Recommended articles:
“Innovation: Turn Your Science Into a Business” by Kotha, Kim, & Alexy
“The Best-Performing CEOs in the World” by various authors

Forbes
November 2014

Recommended articles:
“Social Media’s New Mad Men” by Bercovici
“Factory of the Future” by Slade

Journal of Accounting, Auditing, & Finance
October 2014

Recommended articles:
“The Dark Side of Trading” by Dichev, Huang, & Zhou
“Radical or Incremental Innovations: R&D Investment Around CEO Retirement” by Xu & Yan

Bloomberg Businessweek
October 27 - November 2

Recommended articles:
“Crisis Management and the Obama Presidency” by Green
“The Saudi Balancing Act” by various authors

Inc.
November 2014

Recommended articles:
“The Calling” by Helm
“The Power of 100-Year-Old Business Concepts” by Brodsky

Evidence-Based Nursing
Resources available in databases for nursing students and educators

Nursing Children and Young People
Available in Academic Search Complete
2011 to present
Recommended article: June 2014 edition
“Research Essentials: How to Develop Effective Networks to Support Evidence-Based Practice” by Pengelly

Journal of Continuing Education in Nursing
Available in EBSCOHost EJS
2007 to present
Recommended article: August 2014 edition
“Improving the Evidence Base of Nursing Education Programs” by Lubejko

The Journal of Nursing Education
Available in CINAHL Complete
1962 to present
Recommended article: December 2010 edition
“Teaching Research and Evidence-Based Practice Using a Service-Learning Approach” by Balakas

International Journal of Nursing Education Scholarship
Available in CINAHL Complete
2005 to present
Recommended article: June 2013 edition
“Educating DNP Students about Critical Appraisals and Knowledge Translation” by Moore & Watters

Recommended by:
Professor Deyse Bravo Rivera
Periodicals & Special Collections Librarian

Recommended by:
Professor Donald Martin
Electronic Services Librarian

November 2014
By All Means Necessary
Elizabeth Economy & Michael Levi
HC427.5.E28 2014

Rethinking Reputation
Fraser P. Seitel
HD59.S365 2012

Super Teams
Wingrove Marciano
HD66.M3652 2014

The Renaissance Society
Rolf Jensen
HD30.27.J476 2013

Boost Your Interview IQ
Carole Martin
The ultimate guide to acing any interview -- now revised and updated to give you the edge in today’s economy. Job interviews aren’t discussions; they’re oral exams -- and the candidate with all the right answers gets the job. The revised and expanded edition of Boost Your Interview IQ helps you prepare for that big test with interview skill-building exercises, an in-depth Interview IQ test, and other interview aptitude-boosting tools to show how to craft winning answers to the most commonly asked interview questions.
H61.28.M365 2012

Total Construction Project Management
George Ritz & Sidney Levy
Presenting the most comprehensive construction project management system, this book provides a proven framework for completing construction jobs as specified, on schedule, and on budget. Real-world case studies and sample construction documents are in this practical guide.
TH438.R54 2013

Other Recommendations:
The App Generation
Howard Gardner
HQ799.9 .I58 G37 2013

Automobile Mechanical and
Electrical Systems
Tom Denton
e-Book

Exploring American Folk Music: Ethnic, Grassroots, and Regional Traditions in the United States
Kip Lornell
ML3551.L67 2012

Banjo on the Mountain: Wade Mainer’s First Hundred Years
Dick Spottswood & Stephen Wade
ML419 .M213S66 2010
**Religion & Philosophy**

*Max on Life: Answers and Inspiration for Today’s Questions*  
Max Lucado  
Lucado writes about the role of prayer, the purpose of pain, and the reason for our ultimate hope.  
*BV4501.3.L8461 2010*

*Bulletproof Faith*  
Candace Chellew-Hodge  
*BV4596.G38 C44 2008*

*Extravagant Grace*  
Barbara Duguid  
*BT761.3 .D83 2013*

**Social Sciences**

*The Death and Life of Main Street: Small Towns in American Memory, Space, and Community*  
Miles Orvell  
For more than a century, the term “Main Street” has conjured up nostalgic images of American small-town life.  
*HT123.O78 2012*

*Growing Up with Literature*  
Walter Sawyer  
*LB1140.5 .L3 S28 2012*

**Science & Mathematics**

*The Newton Papers: The Strange and True Odyssey of Isaac Newton’s Manuscripts*  
Sarah Dry  
The *Newton Papers* shows how Newton has been made and re-made throughout history by those seeking to reconcile the cosmic contradictions of an extraordinarily complex man.  
*BR124.B66 2014*

*Androids: Build Your Own Lifelike Robots*  
Bryan Bergeron & Thomas Talbot  
Construct self-governing ‘droids that display physiologically correct behaviors.  
*BS580 .J6L78 2013*

*The Owner’s Manual for the Brain: The Ultimate Guide to Peak Mental Performance at All Ages*  
Pierce Howard  
Dr. Howard distills research and clearly explains the practical, real-world applications to our daily lives when it comes to brain performance.  
*QP376 .H76 2014*

**Health Sciences**

*A Nation in Pain: Healing Our Biggest Health Problem*  
Judy Foreman  
Out of 315 million Americans, 100 million live in chronic pain. This work explores ways to solve the issue.  
*RB127.F672 2014*

*Diagnosing Giants: Solving the Medical Mysteries of Thirteen Patients Who Changed the World*  
Philip A. Mackowiak  
Mackowiak traces the history of medicine through the illnesses of some of the most influential figures of the past.  
*RC71.M33 2013*

*The Compatibility Gene*  
Daniel M. Davis  
*RB155.D355 2014*

*The Woman's Guide to Managing Migraine*  
Susan Hutchinson  
*RC392.H88 2013*

*The Autistic Spectrum*  
Lorna Selle  
*RC553 .A88S45 2013*
SPOTLIGHT: EDUCATION

**The Essential 55**
Ron Clark
LB1025 .C534 2003

**Teach Like Your Hair’s On Fire: The Methods and Madness Inside Room 56**
Rafe Esquith
LB41 .E48 2007

**The Smartest Kids in the World: And How They Got that Way**
Amanda Ripley
LB43 .R625 2013

**Teaching: The Foundation of Critical and Creative Learning in the Classroom**
Robert E. Boostrom
HV43 .S52 2011

**I’d Like to Apologize to Every Teacher I Ever Had**
Tony Danza
LA2317 .D26 A3 2012

**There are No Shortcuts**
Rafe Esquith
LA2317 .E78 A3 2004

**Thinking: The Foundation of Critical and Creative Learning in the Classroom**
Robert E. Boostrom
HV43 .S52 2011

**32 Third Graders and One Class Bunny**
Rinku Sen
LA2317 .D615 A3 2009

**The Teacher Who Couldn’t Read: One Man’s Triumph Over Illiteracy**
John Corcoran
LA2317 .C635 A3 2008

**The Laughing Classroom: Everyone’s Guide to Teaching With Humor and Play**
Diane Loomans & Karen Kolberg
LB1027 .L623 1993

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Amanda Ripley
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**Photography Challenge**
Are you on Instagram? If so, McKee Library has a new social media challenge just for you!
All are encouraged to tag pictures taken in the library with #McKeeLibrary on Instagram. All entries have a chance to be displayed in the library.
The best two photographers chosen by the library staff will win a $25 iTunes gift card. Winners will be chosen on November 28.

**From the Vault**
McKee Library is proud to display a selection of rare materials from our vaults.
Currently, a collection of items from the French Collection, including several first edition copies of Voltaire works, are on display.
In addition, a piece of Abraham Lincoln’s original sarcophagus, belonging to the Thomas Memorial Collection, is on exhibit.
For more information on the library’s special collections, contact Deyse Bravo Rivera at dbravo@southern.edu.

**Suggested Databases**

**Education Research Complete**
Topics include all levels of education from early childhood to higher education, and specialties, such as multilingual education, health education, and testing. The database also covers areas of curriculum instruction as well as administration, policy, funding, and related social issues.

**Kraus Curriculum Development Library**
This searchable database of curricula, frameworks, and standards brings together educational objectives, content, instructional strategies, and evaluative techniques for all subjects covered in PreK-12 and Adult Basic Education.

**Recommended by:**
Professor Katie McGrath, Assistant Director