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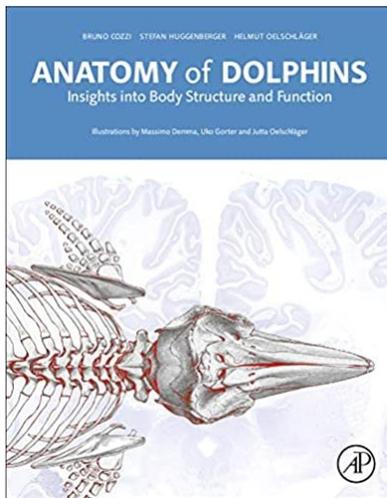
CVM LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

FEBRUARY 2022

Featured Book of the Month

Anatomy of Dolphins: Insights into Body Structure and Function

By Bruno Cozzi



The Anatomy of Dolphins: Insights into Body Structure and Function is a precise, detailed, fully illustrated, descriptive, and functionally oriented text on the anatomy and morphology of dolphins. It focuses on a number of delphinid species, with keynotes on important dolphin-like genera, such as the harbor porpoise. It also serves as a useful complement for expanding trends and emphases in molecular biology and genetics. The authors share their life-long expertise on marine mammals in various disciplines. Written as a team rather than being prepared as a collection of separate contributions, the result is a uniform and comprehensive style, giving each of the different topics appropriate space. Many color figures, which use the authors' access to wide collections of unique dolphin and whale material, round out this exceptional offering to the field.

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Workshops

Getting the Most out of Scopus

February 1, 6 pm (Online)

February 28, 4 pm

Scopus is a multidisciplinary database with strong coverage in sciences, engineering, and social sciences. This workshop will show advanced features of Scopus such as cited reference searching, setting up folders, creating search alerts, and maintaining a Scopus author page. Other search tips will be provided as well.

Thesis and Dissertation Formatting

February 2, 11 am (Online, Mac session)

February 7, 1 pm (Online)

February 15, 6 pm

February 24, 1 pm

This face to face workshop covers the submission process for format review and demonstrates how to use the automated templates to format MSU theses and dissertations to the requirements set forth in the standards for preparing theses and dissertations: 8th edition. These templates were designed to help an author organize and format their document with minimal effort so that their focus can be on the content of their document. Those who have already started writing or have already defended are welcome to bring their current documents (either on flash drive or email attachment) to start the process of placing their content into the template.

Evaluating Real vs. Fake News

February 3 , 2 pm (Online)

Today's news and social media environment is overwhelming, and disseminating false information is easier than ever. This workshop aims to equip users with the tools they need to critically evaluate, avoid, and combat false news, misinformation, and disinformation; recognize media and confirmation bias; and scrutinize social media accounts and trending topics.

Workshops

Introduction to Mendeley

February 4, 3 pm (Online)

February 10, 2 pm (Online)

February 15, 6 pm (Online)

Mendeley is a citation manager that allows you to create your own personal database of references by importing records from research databases such as Scopus and others. MSU students, faculty, and staff have access to the Mendeley Institutional Edition. Learn how to build a Mendeley library, share references with other researchers, and use the plug-in to cite as you write.

Track Changes in Microsoft Word

February 7, 10 am

Learn how to use Track Changes in Microsoft Word to easily collaborate and make changes to shared documents.

Online Success! Library Resources and Services for the Online Student

February 7, 3 pm (Online)

February 16, 5:30 pm (Online)

February 24, 10:30 am

Are you new to online classes? Do you have assignments that require library resources but are unsure where to start? Help is here! Attend this brief but informative session on how to access the library resources most commonly used for distance education classes. You will learn how to search the online databases for journal articles, the online catalog for books, and how to utilize the Interlibrary Loan system to retrieve items not available through electronic access.

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Demystifying the Dissertation Process

February 10, 2 pm

From proposal to defense, this workshop provides strategies for starting and completing your thesis or dissertation. A Survival Skills for Graduate Students Workshop.

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Leveling Up with LinkedIn

February 16, 3 pm (Online)

Learn how to take advantage of promoting yourself to the 756 million members (and counting) when you are looking for a career start. You will learn actionable and helpful changes you can make daily to make yourself the most desirable to recruiters.

Developing a Literature Review: An Overview for Graduate Students

February 21, 2 pm (Online)

In this workshop, we'll cover the basics of how to structure and write a literature review, with a focus on the thesis or dissertation review. A Survival Skills for Graduate Students Workshop.

Introduction to Zotero

February 22, 2 pm (Online)

Zotero is a free cloud-based citation management system that captures journal articles, books, webpages, and newspaper articles, to seamlessly save them for citations and bibliographies. It comes with a MS Word plug-in to easily manage citations while writing.

Questions or Suggestions?

- Email us at dmarshall@library.msstate.edu, call 662-325-1256 or visit the CVM Library [webpage](#).
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Friday	7AM– 5PM
Saturday	10AM– 6PM
Sunday	2PM– 10PM

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