Database of the Month: WoS

WoSsup? I’ll tell you whassup. The Web of Science (WoS) is our Database of the Month! Why? Because it is soooo good-looking and rarely catches a cold because it washes its hands just like the science journals tell it to. It’s super-sleek, combining access to the Science Citation Index, Social Sciences Citation Index, and Biological Abstracts, so that you save precious time (which means you can conduct your lit review and still make it to Bridge!). In-Your-Face-XTreme-to-the-MaxTM, WoS indexes over 12,000 of the HIGHEST IMPACT journals worldwide! In addition, it lets you boogie, allowing you to navigate forward/backward and conga-line your way through the literature via cited reference searching. To recap: check it out, boyz and boogie woogie. Woogie.

Library (ours, e.g.) Receives Muslim Journey Bookshelf Grant!

We were recently awarded the Bridging Cultures Bookshelf: Muslim Journeys from the National Endowment for the Humanities (NEH) and the American Library Association (ALA). The program aims to familiarize audiences with the people, places, history, faith and cultures of Muslims in the U.S. and around the world. It includes approximately 30 book and DVD titles. Watch for book displayz and programming coming soon to a library near you (ours, e.g.)!

Edible Book Early-Bird Teaser!

We want you to prep and get your baking skillz in order, master the pun, and come for the fun. During National Library Week (April 14-20th), we will be conducting our Annual Edible Book Contest. Prizes! Eats! Books you can sink your teeth into! So, think about it. Details forthcoming!

It’s time to play What Kind of Panel Is It, Bob?

Is it a solar panel? Nope, it’s hotter than that. A blood panel? Less painful. One of jurors? Less convicting. Wood panelling? It’s not the 70s no more.* Ooh, ooh, Breaker!

Yes, it’s a breaker panel. You guessed it. The library is going to talk to you about breaker panels.**

No. It’s a discussion panel of faculty members. A faculty panel on the Common Read! Join us in the Music Hall in the Center for Fine and Performing Arts on March 4th from 4:00-5:00pm where faculty from across the disciplines will discuss The Immortal Life of Henrietta Lacks. There are unconfirmed rumors of food, to boot.

*Alas.
**Thanks for playing. At least there wasn’t a door number three with a donkey behind it. I almost typed Donkey Panel which is the name of my new band.

Cookie Night on Tuesday, February 19th

Send questions, comments, and rumors of the edible variety to Britt McGowan at bmcgowan@uwf.edu

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Students on Toilets!, or a thank you.

This is late but I’d like to thank everybody for some good runs here at the SSJ. We conducted a poster session on the SSJ at the ALA Annual Conference last summer. In the graphic, we included our friends, Meyer Levy(pictured) and Amanda Morrow, in-action reading the SSJ. I’d like to also thank them for good-sported-ness and Blythe Webster for her superb graphic help.