A Small Academic Library and the Power of EDS

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About Whitaker Library

Chowan University - 1,400+ students, 66 faculty, 3 Librarians

Significant growth in the last 10 years

Open 84 hours per week

- Volumes - 170,000 physical, 250,000 + ebooks
- Databases - 113
- Journal Titles - 450,000 access, 250 subscription
Population Needs

Underprepared Students

First Generation College Students

Need help with everything

*Whitaker Library - A Tool for Your Success!*

So we are a little busy...
“Because there was no significant difference in the search performance of Summon and EDS, any decision to purchase one product or the other should be based upon other considerations (e.g., technical issues, cost, customer service, or user interface).”

Why Ebsco Discovery?

Reviewed 3 other Discovery products before selecting EDS

Factors we considered:

- Journal titles are not in our library catalog - (no Serials or Electronic Resources Librarian)
- Ease of implementation / training available
- Price
- Our holdings were heavy on Ebsco Databases
Weighted the Library Catalog
JSTOR easier to find

8. African American Literature and Legal History
Subjects: legal history; literary history; natural law; positive law; constitution; declaration of independence; African American; novel; Reconstruction; Taney; romanticism; race

9. For Where Two or Three (Thousand) Are Gathered in My Name! A Cultural History and Ethical Analysis of African American Megachurches

10. LET’S GO, LET’S SHOW, LET’S RODEO:: AFRICAN AMERICANS AND THE HISTORY OF RODEO
By: Tracy Owens Patton; Sally M. Shedlock In: THE JOURNAL OF AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY, Fall 2011, Vol. 96, Issue 4, p. 503-521; The Association for the Study of African-American Life and History Language: English Database: JSTOR Journals
Then Big Changes...

NCLIVE announced their Ebsco resources would become Proquest resources

We asked and EDS Support delivered

- Support turned on custom linking for Proquest that Fall so our students only needed to learn the one system

We activated ILL linking in EDS
1. Bacterial keratitis in a tertiary eye centre in Iran: a retrospective study.

2. Experimental study on cryotherapy for fungal corneal ulcer.

3. Orthokeratology-associated infectious keratitis in a tertiary care eye hospital in Hong Kong.
Your search for ISSN(1471-2415) AND PD(2015) AND PAGE(29) found 0 results.
Please modify your search and try again. Search tips
• Provided by your library
• NCKnows: Ask a Librarian

Related searches: There are no related searches for your search.

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LibGuides V2

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What we learned

Responsive

Helpful

Asking saves us time

Our students get better service from our library because of this partnership
Questions we have for you...

What is your library using for discovery?
How long have you been using discovery?
What would you change? What would your public change?
Suggestions/ Questions you have for us...

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