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Welcome to the eighth issue of The Benefactor. This issue includes acknowledgment of monetary and in-kind gifts.

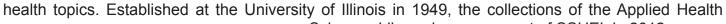
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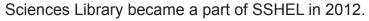
New Art Decorates Walls of SSHEL

SSHEL has gotten a major revamp! Seventeen new pieces of art now decorate the walls of rooms in SSHEL North and SSHEL South on the first floor of the Main Library.

Each piece was chosen to reflect just a few of the many subjects covered by the Social Sciences, Health, and Education Library. For example, SSHEL's expertise in Economics is reflected by a poster outlining the circular flow of goods.

A new piece showing the human body's muscular system demonstrate's SSHEL's collection of resources related to







A poster outlining the Library of Congress classification system exhibits SSHEL's expertise in Library and Information Science. The LIS Library also merged with SSHEL in 2012.

The remaining posters cover topics in Diversity, Anthropology, Education, Political Science, and many other subjects.

Feel free to stop by to admire these new additions to SSHEL.



Library Friends Donations

Thanks to the following donors for monetary contributions made through Library Friends from July 2014 - December 2015. Unless specified, these funds are typically used to purchase expensive new reference books or other costly items.

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Current Endowed Support

The **James E. and Sue E. Freytag Library Endowment Fund** was established to support acquisition and preservation of all formats of material appropriate for maintaining and improving the collections, programs, and services of the Education and Social Science Library.

The Fred E. Sweitzer Endowment Fund was provided by an alumnus to support the anthropology collection.

The James P. and Diane P. Staes Charitable Remainder Unitrust, established by Jim and Diane Staes as a deferred gift, will benefit the study of children's literature and support the School Collection by providing annual income for the acquisition and/or preservation of literature.

The **Merten J. Mandeville Endowment Fund** was established by a gift from a retiring Professor of Management at UIUC. It provides support to purchase works relating to parapsychology and the occult.

The **Mary Kathryn Bieniecki Memorial Endowment Fund** was established by Henry Bieniecki in memory of his wife. It provides support to the School Collection of literature for children and young adults.

The **Shirley and John Mahaffey Library Endowment Fund** was established to support the former Education and Social Science Library, now SSHEL.

The **Lambda Literature Endowment Fund** was established by Roger Clark, an alumnus, to acquire materials for the gay literature collection at the Library.

The **Ernest J. Reece Endowment Fund** was established to support innovations in library and information science library services in the former Library and Information Science Library, and continues to support LIS collections and services, and the LIS Virtual Library portal.

Celebrations and Memorials

Dr. & Mrs. Gerald Kuroghlian: In memory of Mrs. Sarah R. Herz

Professor Nancy O'Brien:
In honor of Sandy Wolf's retirement from SSHEL

Ms. Paula B. Schumacher and Mr. John C. Schumacher: In memory of Mr. William L. Johnston

In-Kind Donations

Thanks to the following donors for gifts of books, journals, and other items from July 2014 - December 2015.

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1 children's book

1 book on social work

23 French language children's books and school books

1 biography book

87 leisure, kinesiology & sports books 7 children's books, 1 young adult book

9 vintage children's books

1 book

22 books on education, 6 journal issues 21 Portuguese comic book issues

29 books on education

3 Chinese language books, 2 history books,

and 3 books on education

1 children's book

26 books on philosophy and education

The Library is Looking For...

The following items are needed to enhance our collections. To purchase an item, please contact the Office of Library Advancement at (217) 333-5682 or friends@illinois.edu.

\$1,000 to purchase and install 6 to 7 art prints for a large wall space to create a more welcoming atmosphere. Each print will represent one of the subject areas included in SSHEL. Each framed piece costs \$120; smaller donations are welcome!

\$3,000 to fund the hiring of a graduate student to take on a special project—scanning the Library's significant collection of historical public library annual reports. Scanning will allow these items to be more widely accessible and findable (due to enhanced cataloging taking place at the same time).

\$3,500 to purchase the 4th edition of the *Encyclopedia of Library and Information Sciences*, the major reference source for LIS topics used in several LIS courses. The 4th edition will be published this fall.