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LIBRARY HOURS

MARCH 6 - APRIL 11, 2019**M-T | 7:30 AM - MIDNIGHT****F | 7:30 AM - 4:30 PM****S | 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM****S | 2:00 PM - 11:00 PM**

Hours subject to change.
 Check Hours & Directions or
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ANNOUNCEMENTS



News Events

Off-Campus Access to Library Resources

Unavailable Tonight Mar 12, 2019

Off-campus access to online library resources, such as databases and electronic journals, will be interrupted temporarily tonight, Tuesday, March 12, from approximately 8:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. while our servers undergo maintenance.

Sorry for any inconvenience.

Annual Caffery Competition: Submission Deadline

Feb 28 Feb 25, 2019

The annual Caffery Competition recognizes outstanding scholarly research utilizing primary source materials held in the Special Collections areas of Edith Garland Dupré Library.

Students entering an original research paper by the February 28, 2019 deadline are eligible to win the \$500 Jefferson Caffery Research Award.

For more info, visit our [Annual Caffery Competition Guide](#).

Mardi Gras Holiday Library Hours Feb 25, 2019

March 1 - 6, 2019

Friday, March 1

7:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Saturday, March 2 – Tuesday, March 5

CLOSED

Wednesday, March 6

7:30 a.m. – Midnight

All public service departments, including Circulation/Reserve, Reference & Research Services, Microforms, the STEP and Reference Online Center Computer Labs, close 15 minutes before the building closes.

Regular hours resume Wednesday, March 6

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ANNUAL CAFFERY COMPETITION

Call for Student Papers



\$500 Award for the best scholarly paper using primary research materials from the Special Collections at Dupré Library.

GUIDELINES: This award is based on competitive review of original research papers submitted to Edith Garland Dupré Library.

TOPIC: No restrictions are placed on the topic or subject matter of submitted papers; however, all papers must cite or directly investigate primary source materials held in the Special Collections Department of Dupré Library (University Archives and Acadiana Manuscripts Collection, Louisiana Room, Rare Book Collection, Ernest J. Gaines Center, Cajun and Creole Music Collection, and U.S. Government Information).

FORMAT: All papers must be typed in a standard non-script font no smaller than twelve characters per inch, double spaced, unbound and adherent to the style manual recommended in the author's discipline. Text of papers should not exceed thirty pages.

ABSTRACT: All papers are to include an abstract of no more than 250 words. Please identify the style manual being followed.

GENERAL: All papers must be in English and must be the work of a single author.

PROCEDURE: The competition is open to both undergraduate and graduate students of the University of Louisiana at Lafayette who are not full-time continuing faculty or staff. The students must be currently enrolled or have completed the submitted paper during the previous two academic semesters. A judging panel consisting of the University Library Committee, Head of Special Collections, and referees designated by the panel will evaluate all submissions using the Caffery Award Rubric, louisiana.libguides.com/cafferyrubric. The winning candidate should meet the "exceeding expectations" elements of the rubric.

SUBMISSIONS: Papers are to be submitted electronically, with all contact information, no later than February 28, 2019 to duprelibrary@louisiana.edu. Winner will be announced in May 2019.

CONTACT: Edith Garland Dupré Library, Jefferson Caffery Reading Room, Third Floor, 400 E. St. Mary Blvd., Lafayette, LA 70503. Phone: 337.482.8031 • Email: lar@louisiana.edu

VISIT: louisiana.libguides.com/caffery



More information can be found on our [Call for Student Papers Guide](#).

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Off-Campus Access to Library Databases

Remote access

Most of the databases can be accessed from off-campus. If prompted, enter a UCS CLID and password to access a database. To obtain a UCS CLID and password, faculty, staff, and students may visit the University of Louisiana at Lafayette Help Desk.

Having trouble accessing library databases from off-campus?

If you are unable to access the library databases remotely, please call the Reference Desk at (337) 482-6030. When the library is closed and multiple databases from different providers (for example, JSTOR and Academic Search Complete) are unavailable from off campus, the University's Help Desk may be able to help you. Please contact them at ithelpdesk@louisiana.edu or (337) 482-5516.

In addition, you may try the following steps:

Text: (337) 205-7558

In Person: 1st floor of the library

Phone: (337) 482-6030

Email: reference@louisiana.edu

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NOTE: Our chat and email reference services are intended primarily for University of Louisiana at Lafayette students, faculty and staff.

In addition, you may try the following steps:

- Clear cookies and cache
- Try using the Chrome browser. Firefox has known issues with remote access
- Make sure you are not using old bookmarks that lead to legacy library web pages whose URLs no longer function
- Try opening a new window
- Try rebooting your computer
- Try using another device, if possible

University of Louisiana at Lafayette – Help Desk



Credo Reference



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Titles added to the Credo collection in March:



Study Cubicles

You asked. We listened. Individual study cubicles are now available to undergraduate students on the second floor of the library.

Cubicles are assigned on a first come, first served basis, and will be subject to a two hour time limit as demand requires.

Stop by the Circulation Desk to get a key.

Find more information:

[Dupré Library – Circulation Services – Other Services](#)

Collaboration Stations

The library now offers three student Collaboration Stations on the second floor of the library across the hall from the STEP Lab.

- Large screen monitors and white boards allow groups to view information, work together on projects and create group presentations.
- Data drops ensure Internet access
- Students can check out data cables and HDMI cables to connect laptops/tablets to monitors at the Circulation Desk.

The Collaboration Stations are funded by a STEP (Student Technology Enhancement Program) grant.

For more information, contact Susan Richard at smr@louisiana.edu.



Edith Garland Dupré Library is centrally located at the heart of the University of Louisiana at Lafayette's main campus. The library is open to students, faculty, staff, and the public. Here, you have access to resources spanning more than 1.5 million bound volumes, 2 million microform units, 6,000 serial titles, print and non-print back files, over 200 databases, 500,000 e-Books and an array of special collection items from the Cajun & Creole Music Collection (CCMC), the Louisiana Room (which includes the Jefferson Caffery Reading Room), the Rare Book Collection, the University Archives & Manuscripts Collection, U.S. Government Information, the Ernest J. Gaines Center collection and Blanco Public Policy Center collection.

Most of the library's collections are available online through the Library Catalog. Affiliated libraries include the Instructional Materials Center and Reading Center, both located in located in Maxim Doucet Hall, Room 101B & 104, the William S. Patout III Sugar Library in Patoutville, LA and the Hilliard University Art Museum located on campus.

The library is home to several high traffic student computer labs on the first and second floors and Jazzman's Café & Bakery located in the back of the building on the first floor.

The librarians at Edith Garland Dupré Library are eager to help prepare students by providing them with the resources they need for their education.

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