AWARD

Mr. Şuayip Akpınar who has worked for the Library for 8 years is deemed worthy to the incentive award within the Turan Baskan Awards. His award will be presented to him on METU Day on 29 May 2009. We wish him success for all his lifelong.

New Subscriptions

ASME Digital Library The Library has subscribed to ASME Digital Library which includes ASME’s Transaction Journals and ASME’s Proceedings. The journals are accessible from 1990 to present; the proceedings are accessible from 2002 to present.

PAO 7th Collection is subscribed in addition to the 1-6th collections subscription. This collection covers 50 journals in social sciences, sociology, psychology, philosophy & religion/theology, history, literature, political science.

All databases we have subscribed can be accessed by clicking on the “e-resources” and “databases” headings on our web page at http://ww2.lib.metu.edu.tr/en/index.php

New Trials

American Medical Association (AMA) Journals will be on trial until 05 June 2009.

The collection includes JAMA (The Journal of the American Medical Association) and the specialty Archives Journals (Archives of Dermatology, Archives of Facial Plastic Surgery, Archives of General Psychiatry, Archives of Internal Medicine, Archives of Ophthalmology, Archives of Neurology, Archives of Otolaryngology-Head & Neck Surgery, Archives of Pediatrics & Adolescent Medicine, Archives of Surgery).

BioOne Online Journals will be on trial until 31 May 2009. The database covers over 150 e-journals in the fields of biology, ecology, and environment.

ChemWatch will be on trial until 05 June 2009.

ChemWatch is a material safety database, chemical-labelling and inventory system for chemical storage. ChemWatch provides full chemical management systems for any user of chemicals. ChemWatch is supplier of independently researched material safety data sheets (MSDS) and other related documents. This database covers over 3 million MSDS, over 50,000 suppliers, MSDS from more than 100 countries.

ChemWatch offers more than 30 language options. In order to use Turkish interface or another language interface, please use setting button.

Username: ankos
Password: qH1Phe

COS Scholar Universe which includes 2 million profiles of authors, researchers and scholars will be on trial until 31 May 2009.

Database helps researchers and academics connect with colleagues with shared interests while expanding their networks to include previously unknown people working in related fields or in other areas of the world. Profiles provide a snapshot of a scholar’s professional life, including affiliations, education, research interests, publications, awards and contact information to help make that important connection.

EIU Country Report and ViewsWire databases will be on trial until 31 May 2009.

Country Report covers nearly 200 countries and help you keep pace with how national, regional and global events will affect your business in the short to medium term. Country reports examine and explain in depth the issues shaping the countries in which you operate: the political scene, economic policy, domestic economy, sectoral trends, and foreign trade and payments. Detailed two-year forecasts complement the analysis and pinpoint political and economic developments and trends.

ViewsWire covers daily economic, political and market developments and summary analysis on 200 countries. When a major event occurs ViewsWire responds with an immediate analytical briefing.

Faculty of 1000: Biology, and Faculty of 1000: Medicine databases will be on trial access until 30 May 2009.

Faculty of 1000: Biology covers systematically highlights and reviews the most interesting papers in the biological sciences based on the recommendations of over 2.300 leading scientists.

Faculty of 1000: Medicine covers systematically highlights and reviews the most pertinent papers in all field of medicine based on the recommendations of almost 2.500 leading international researchers and clinicians.

The Foreign Broadcast Information Service (FBIS) Daily Reports will be on trial until 07 June 2009.
The Foreign Broadcast Information Service (FBIS) Daily Reports has been included the United States’ principal record of political and historical open source intelligence for nearly 70 years. The original mission of the FBIS was to monitor, record, transcribe and translate intercepted radio broadcasts from foreign governments, official news services, and clandestine broadcasts from occupied territories. Available in a single, complete online collection. FBIS Daily Reports, 1941-1996 constitutes an archive of transcripts of foreign broadcasts and news. Many of these materials are firsthand reports of events as they occurred.

I GI Global InfoSci-Journals and InfoSci-Books databases will be on trial until 30 May 2009.

These databases cover 60 e-journals and over 800 e-books in the fields of computer science, information technology, social sciences, sciences, education, economy, biomedical, medicine, and health sciences.

IMechE Journals Collection will be on trial until 31 May 2009.

The collection is a comprehensive resource that covers all aspects of mechanical engineering from nano-engineering to sports engineering; from rail to aerospace; from 1847 to the present day. IMechE Journals Collection not only gives you access to Proceedings of the Institution of Mechanical Engineering but also to other engineering journals published by Professional Engineering Publishing.

ISI Proceedings (Conference Proceedings Citation Index) will be on trial until 31 May 2009.

The database is accessed via Web of Science, helps researchers access the published literature from the most significant conferences, symposia, seminars, colloquia, workshops, and conventions worldwide. The resource offers a complete view of conference proceedings and their impact on global research, lets you use cited reference search to track emerging ideas and new research.

ISI Proceedings covers the sciences and social sciences and its content will be accessible from 1990 to present during the trial period.

Knovel database will be on trial until 06 July 2009.

Knovel is an online technical reference collection. Knovel provides access approximately 2,000 leading reference works and e-books from over 50 international publishers and professional societies through a single interface. The database covers in the field of radar technology, aviation and defence, machine, petrol, chemistry, electricity-electronic, ceramic, construction, structure and design, environment and textile engineering, material science, industrial security, biotechnology and medicines, medical instrument and equipment, cosmetics, geology, engineering management, paper and plastic industry, etc.

LWW Doody’s Core Title Collection 2008 will be on trial until 05 June
The collection covers 129 LWW (Lippincott Williams & Wilkins) titles in the field of medicine, nursing, and health professions. Each of these titles has been selected by academically affiliated healthcare professionals and medical librarians as must have resources for students in a given discipline.

McGraw Hill’s Access Medicine, Access Emergency Medicine, and Access Surgery databases will be on trial until 30 May 2009.

AccessMedicine provides students, residents, clinicians, researchers, and all health professionals with access to more than 50 medical titles from the best minds in medicine.

AccessEmergency Medicine allows users to quickly search the diagnosis and treatment of a broad range of emergency cases with videos.

AccessSurgery provides medical students, surgical residents, and practicing surgeons with quick answers to surgical inquiries from trusted sources.

Palgrave Macmillan Journals Online will be on trial until 31 May 2009.

Palgrave Macmillan Journals Online includes more than 60 e-journals in the field of business, economics, political science & international studies, marketing, finance, and education.

Palgrave Macmillan Online Reference Resources; The Statesman’s Yearbook Online, and The World Higher Education Database Online will be on trial until 31 May 2009.

The Statesman’s Yearbook Online contains the full text of the current edition of The Statesman’s Yearbook, regularly updated editorial team to reflect recent world events.

The World Higher Education Database Online (WHED) brings together data from the International Handbook of Universities 2009 and an additional 5,000 institutions that offer 3-year-degrees, to provide a fully cross-referenced and searchable database featuring information on over 17,000 institutions in more than 180 countries. Detailed information on the higher education system of every country is also included.

Proquest Central will be on trial until 15 June 2009.

ProQuest Central is a multidisciplinary database with over 11,000 titles, with over 8,000 titles in full-text. It serves as the central resource for researchers at all levels in all markets. Over 160 subject areas are covered extensively in this product including business and economics, health and medical, news and world affairs, technology, social sciences and more.

ProQuest Historical Newspapers will be on trial until 15 June 2009.

This database covers articles and news in the field of world history, Turkey and Ottoman history, international relations and politics, arts, literature, science, sports, actuality.

ProQuest Hospital Collection will be on trial until 31 May 2009.

ProQuest Hospital Collection provides the opportunity to access 2,630 e-journals and 20,185 full text dissertations in the fields of medicine, nursing, alternative and complementary medicine, sports injuries, women’s health, nutrition, eye care, dentistry, psychology and psychosomatic and much more from 1986 to present.

ProQuest Hospital Collection is comprised of five health databases given below:

• ProQuest Health and Medical Complete
• ProQuest Nursing & Allied Health Source
• ProQuest Health Management
• ProQuest Psychology Journals
• ProQuest Family Health

Reaxys database will be on trial until 31 May 2009.

Reaxys is a web-based search and retrieval system for chemical compounds,
bibliographic data and chemical reactions. It is built to support chemists in their daily work with focussed and relevant information in chemistry. Reaxys is based on the contents of CrossFire Belstein, Gmelin ve Patent Chemistry databases.

**SAGE eReference** will be on trial until 30 June 2009.

The database includes 82 electronic encyclopedias in many different subject areas like aging & gerontology, anthropology, business & management, communication & media studies, counseling & psychotherapy, criminology & criminal justice, economics, education, environment, family studies, geography, health & social welfare, history, politics, psychology, research methods & evaluation, social issues, social work & social policy, sociology, etc.

**The Scientist** journal will be on trial until 30 May 2009.

The Scientist journal covers latest developments in the life sciences including research, technology and business dating from 1986 to present.

**University of California Press (Caliber) journals** will be on trial until 11 June 2009. Caliber holds the content for most journals published by UC Press. Its collection of online journals, which includes 34 titles, spans topics in the humanities and social sciences, with concentrations in sociology, musicology, history, religion, cultural and area studies, ornithology, law, and literature.

University of California Press Journals (Caliber) content will be accessible from 2001 to present during the trial access period.

**Wiley Interdisciplinary Reviews: Nanomedicine and Nanobiotechnology**, which is the first title in the Wiley Interdisciplinary Reviews (WIREs) series, will be available from 2009 to 2010 as free of charge.

WIREs Nanomedicine and Nanobiotechnology, which is first published in 2009, will address key topics from the perspectives of medicine, biology, physics, chemistry, and engineering, and serve as an encyclopedic reference for nanomedicine and nanobiotechnology research.

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**USER TRAINING**

17 April 2009 – A user training seminar was arranged for the IHS Standards Expert database which we have access to ASTM and ISO standards through it.

**BOOK STACKS REQUEST FORM**

“Book Stacks Request Form” must be filled for the books in the stacks. The form can be accessed under the “forms” menu on the library’s website.