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L. Maximilian Buja, MD. Named Executive Director of the Library

L. Maximilian Buja, MD., Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs at The University of Texas Health Science Center at Houston, has been named Executive Director of the Houston Academy of Medicine–Texas Medical Center (HAM–TMC) Library by its Board of Directors, effective December 1, 2009. Dr. Buja has served on the Library’s Board for the last nine years and served as Board Chair in 2005-2006.

For more information visit the Library website:

<http://resource.library.tmc.edu/blog/index.cfm/2009/11/12/L.-Maximilian-Buja,-M.D.-named-Executive-Director-of-the-HAM-TMC-Library>

PubMed Redesign

The new PubMed interface was introduced two weeks ago. When you access PubMed, you will notice the **Search Bar** has been moved to the middle of the page. Using the pull-down menu it is possible to search all databases simultaneously. Links to Advanced Search, Help and Feedback are located to the right of the **Search Bar**.

Access to the tools previously found on the PubMed homepage’s blue sidebar can now be found under **Using PubMed**, **PubMed Tools** and **More Resources** in the middle of the page. At the bottom are links to other NCBI resources.

For an overview of PubMed’s new features, see the [NLM Technical Bulletin](http://www.nlm.nih.gov/pubs/techbull/so09/so09_pm_redesign.html): http://www.nlm.nih.gov/pubs/techbull/so09/so09_pm_redesign.html

To access PubMed, go to the [Library website](#) and click on the [PubMed link](#).

Cancelled Resources Update

Due to yearly price increases and cuts in funding, during a time when all libraries are feeling the brunt of an economic downturn, the HAM-TMC Library has been forced to make the difficult decision to cancel a number of electronic resources, including these two major databases:

UptoDate- Access for The University of Texas Health Science Center-Houston will end November 29, 2009.

Web of Science access will end on December 31, 2009. The Library will continue to subscribe to Journal Citations Reports (JCR) for 2010.

To check the complete list of [database cancellations](http://resource.library.tmc.edu/resources/CancelledAnnouncement.cfm) go to:
<http://resource.library.tmc.edu/resources/CancelledAnnouncement.cfm>

For a current list of [journals being cancelled](http://resource.library.tmc.edu/resources/CancelledJournals.cfm) for 2010, go to:
<http://resource.library.tmc.edu/resources/CancelledJournals.cfm>

For questions or comments please contact: eresources@exch.library.tmc.edu

Book Sale@ the HAM-TMC Library

Medical titles, leisure reading duplicates and out-of-scope books are on sale on the first floor of the Jesse H. Jones Library Building. The sale will end December 4th. Proceeds of the book sale will benefit the Library's historical collections.

For more information call: 713-799-7139.

Thanksgiving Holiday Library Hours

The HAM-TMC Library will be closed on Thursday November 26 in observance of Thanksgiving Holiday. The Library will be open on Friday November 27, from 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. No reference services will be available on Friday.

Regular hours resume on Saturday November 28.

December 2009 – January 2010 Library Classes

Public Health Information on the Web

Tuesday, December 1
8:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Excel 2007 – Basic

Tuesday, December 8
2:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Word 2007

Wednesday, December 9
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

PubMed

Tuesday, December 15
6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Excel 2007 – Intermediate

Tuesday, December 15
2:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.

SCOPUS

Tuesday, January 12
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Word

Wednesday, January 13
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

PowerPoint 2007 – Basic

Thursday, January 14
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

RefWorks

Thursday, January 14
1:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Easy-to-Read Material for Consumers

Friday, January 15
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Super Searcher

Friday, January 15
1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Grants and Proposal Writing

Saturday, January 16
8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

PubMed

Tuesday, January 19
6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.

Finding Electronic Resources

Thursday, January 21
10:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Classes are free and are offered in the Library classroom.

To view the complete schedule and to register, check the Library web site:

<http://resource.library.tmc.edu/cls/>

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