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1. Research and Publications

Research librarians are partnering more often with teaching faculty in collaborative research projects, providing support to students and scholars whose research work depends on the collections available in the library and the specialized expertise of librarians. Examples of such activities at McGill are:


- What are the key processes associated with outcomes of Participatory Research with Health Organizations (PRO). A participatory knowledge synthesis. 2011. (Henderson, J. et al). Funded by the Canadian Institutes of Health research (CIHR) ($99,992).

- Digging into Data Challenge. 2011. (Cumming, J., Principal Investigator, Leive, C.) Funded by the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) ($125,000.00)

2. Teaching and Learning

The raison d'être of the McGill Library is to provide excellent collections, and to hire and train the best staff members to support the teaching, learning and research needs of the University community of teachers, learners and scholars.

The Library continued to expand the MyResearch program for graduate students across all disciplines. Liaison librarians are embedded in departments and provide information literacy classes throughout the year and intensively during the fall and winter orientation programs. The Humanities and Social Sciences librarians introduced a tailored MyArtsResearch program for Arts Undergraduates in 2011. A successful iPad lending project was launched and will be further expanded in the Humanities and Social Sciences Library.

In 2011, the Library focused on securing journal backfile packages, research databases and e-books to support the University’s teaching, learning and research priorities. Several major acquisitions included material published by ProQuest to date, and for the next five years. A similar arrangement was made with Gale Publishing. The Library joined the HathiTrust, a resource of over 10,000,000 e-books, e-journals and other resources digitized in the Google project from major library collections including those from the University of Michigan and Columbia University.

The 13 branches of the McGill Library welcomed over 5 million visitors in 2011.
3. Involvement in the Community

The Library played a significant role in McGill’s 190th anniversary, launching the McGill Yearbooks digital collection site in October 2011. A lunch and learn series, “190 Years Young: McGill and its History” was hosted by Christopher Lyons, Osler Library of the History of Medicine and Professor Peter McNally, School of Information Studies. The Education Library offered story hours to children who attend Centre de la Petite Enfance de McGill (CPE). Work continued on the Inventaire des imprimés anciens au Québec (IMAQ) project, which is charged with cataloguing all pre-1800 books held in Quebec. McGill Library’s extensive holdings of 16th century imprints in Greek, Latin and French were a major contribution. The Library, in collaboration with members of the Faculty of Medicine’s Physicianship undergraduate medical programme, established the Osler Fellows’ Library, a collection of books selected by participating physicians as inspirational reading for students. The Library welcomed students from l’École de bibliothéconomie et des Sciences de l’information from the Université de Montréal, librarians from Kyoto University Library and collaborated with Concordia University on designing an e-Learning project. The Library has loaned several valuable items to organizations outside of the University for use in academic and non-academic exhibitions (Appendix A).

4. Partnerships

The Library collaborates with library partners, nationally and internationally, including the Conference des recteurs et des principaux des universités du Québec (CREPUQ), the Canadian Association of Research Libraries (CARL), the Association of Research Libraries (ARL), Bibliothèque et archives nationales du Québec (BaNQ) and HathiTrust. The Library was the first Canadian University Library to join the HathiTrust, a partnership of major research institutions which works to ensure that the cultural record is preserved and accessible in the future through digitization.

5. Milestones

The year began with the arrival of the new Trenholme Dean of Libraries, Dr. C. Colleen Cook, Ph.D. from Texas A&M University. The Library appointed four new tenure track assistant librarians; three assistant librarians were granted tenure and promoted to associate librarian, and 13 assistant librarians were reappointed for an additional term. The Library also hired two programmer/analysts, two documentation technicians, one senior library clerk, one senior human resources advisor and one communications officer. Two assistant librarians, two associate librarians and one document technician retired. Eight staff members resigned. The Howard Ross Management Library staff and collection were successfully merged into the Humanities and Social Sciences Library with minimal disruption to clientele or personnel (Appendix B).

The unusually large reappointment and tenure cohort is a direct result of the 2007 revision of the “Regulations Relating to the Employment of Librarian Staff.” A Librarians’ Council was established in 2011 and excellent progress made in addressing outstanding concerns of academic staff following a series of collegial discussions throughout 2010 and 2011.
Phase I of the Safdie Archive Re-Organization Project was completed. The reorganization project was a major initiative to re-organize and make more accessible the Moshe Safdie Archive held at the John Bland Canadian Architecture Collection with the objective of tailoring the holdings to support the research and teaching mission of the University, create a more secure archive in terms of housing and standards, and to represent more accurately the achievements of Moshe Safdie and Associates up to 2001.

The major personnel event of the year was the work disruption of 113 MUNACA Library staff throughout the Fall 2011 term. Thanks to the excellent support of academic and management staff, and the outstanding cooperation of McGill Security, the Library was able to provide continuous service to its users. During this time, three branches opened for 24 hour study from September throughout the year for the first time.

Facilities

The Humanities and Social Sciences Library, housed in the McLennan-Redpath complex experienced a severe flood in September 2011 when a city reservoir pipe burst at the top of the campus. The water infiltrated the basement of the McLennan Library Building which houses Rare and Special collections and the McGill Archives. Extensive damage occurred requiring freeze drying and repair of both material and the physical space. Relocation of this material and the 300,000 volumes housed in the Redpath basement is an urgent priority for the upcoming year. All branches are stretched in terms of both user and collection space. The most important strategic priority for the Library’s foreseeable future is restoring and creating optimal physical spaces for collections, users, and staff.

As well as the major repairs that were undertaken after the flood, the Library has undertaken other facilities projects, including Phase I of the McLennan-Redpath Terrace renovation. The heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems were also replaced and updated.

The Gelber Law Library renovation project was finalized in 2011, increasing critical study space and expanding natural light exposure on the ground floor. The Marvin Duchow Music Library and the Schulich School of Music collaborated in converting space to new smart classrooms.

Three study areas of the Islamic Studies Library were refurbished. Seminar rooms on the 5th and 6th floors of the McLennan Library Building were converted into two group study zones. The study zone on the main floor of the Redpath Library Building opened and through the allocation of funds by the Arts Undergraduate Society (AUS) the Library refurbished the quiet zone located on the 3rd floor of the McLennan Building, renovated two group study rooms on the 2nd floor of the same building, and enriched the DVD and graphic novels collections. Through funds allotted by the Students’ Society of McGill University (SSMU), two group study rooms in the McLennan Library were renovated.

6. Budget

The figures below represent the Library’s sources of income, allocations and the breakdown of the collections budget for 2011.
As shown in Figure 2, it is important to note that the Library spends significantly more money on collections than staffing. The collections budget, as shown in Figure 3, is dominated by the journal budget in accordance with the University’s status as Canada’s top ranked research intensive institution and the concomitant user demand for journal literature.

7. Honours, Awards and Prizes


The Penfield Archive was declared a collection of outstanding significance and national importance by The Canadian Cultural Properties Export Review Board in June 2011.

The William Weintraub Papers were received by the Library in 2011, and certified as Cultural property by The Canadian Cultural Properties Export Review Board.
8. Fundraising

Annual philanthropic support by parents of current and past McGill students and McGill Graduates continues to make an important impact on the life of the Library. Parents and Graduates each contributed almost equal amounts, totalling $600,000.

The past year featured a number of notable gifts to the Library including the establishment of the Mary Louise Nickerson Fellowship in Neuro History with a gift of $250,000 from Dr. Granville Nickerson Med’45. In addition, Professor Ethel Groffer DCL’72 established the Raymond Klibansky Collection Fund with a gift of $100,000. Both gifts will help to offset the costs of scholars and graduate students for travel to Montreal to access and use two unique Library collections. The Class of Medicine’61 has raised $45,000 for the production of a facsimile edition and companion volume of essays on the Herbal of al-Ghafiqi, a unique 13th century manuscript housed in the Osler Library. A donation of $175,000 was made to the Marvin Duchow Music Library. The Wainwright Trust renewed an annual $25,000 contribution towards the purchase of Civil Law materials. The Principal financially supported the restoration of four rare law books (with the Dean of Law) and 17 books from Rare Books and Special Collections.

The Library also acquired pieces of importance to the Osler Library of the History of Medicine and to the Library’s Rare Books and Special Collections (Appendix C).

Student support of the Library is a very important source of funding. The SSMU support, with matching funds from the university, totalled $650,000. Similarly the Post Graduate Students’ Society (PGSS) contributed $160,000. The AUS donated $105,000.

The Osler Library’s Board of Curators set a goal to raise $2.5 Million of unrestricted funds to enhance the Osler endowment.
SECTION II

1. Mission Statement

The McGill University Library advances teaching, learning, and research and community service by providing outstanding collections, access to the world of knowledge, excellence in service and an appropriate library environment, all of which are client-focused and responsive to the needs of the McGill community.

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SECTION III

1. Grants and Awards

Buckland, Amy
- Librarian Excellence Award, McGill University

Fitzgibbons, Megan
- New Academic Librarian of the Year Award from the Canadian Association of College and University Libraries (a division of the Canadian Library Association)

Martinek, Peter
- Library Staff Excellence Award, McGill University

Miller-Nesbitt, Andrea

Kochkina, Svetlana
- American Association of Law Libraries scholarship to attend the AALL annual meeting.
- American Law Library Association (AALL) New Members Grant

2. Scholarly Publications

Monographs


Articles


**Conference Proceedings**


**Edited Works**


Newsletter of the IFLA Section on Acquisition and Collection Development. (2011) J. Hafner & R. Scholling (Vol. Ed.): *Vol. 43 (October).*

**Presentations**


Librarians Association, Washington, D.C.


**Poster Sessions**

Henderson, J. (2011). *Access to the best evidence for all Canadian health professionals: The Canadian Virtual Health Library / Bibliothèque virtuelle canadienne de la santé. If we build it: can they access?* Poster presented at the Challenges for Biomedical Research Fall 2011 Conference in Research Ethics, Montreal, QC.


**Reviews, Book Chapters, and Contributions to Reference Sources**


Kloda, L. A. (2011). Searching the literature to create a literature review. In B. J. Harvey, E. S. Lang & J. R. Frank (Eds.), The research guide: A primer for residents, other health care trainees and practitioners (pp. 41-49). Ottawa, ON: Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada.


**Exhibits**


Digital Exhibitions

Art Deco and the Decorative Arts in the 1920s and 1930s (July 2011)


Tower of Babel or Universal Understanding? The Art of Translation in the Eighteenth Century (May 2011)

Winter Olympics 1924-2006 June 2011

The Devil’s Art: Selections from the William G. Colgate History of Printing Collection July 2011

Pulling the Strings: Marionettes and Puppets from the Rosalynde Stearn Puppet Collection September 2011

Digital Collections Projects


3. Academic and Community Engagements

Boyer, Daniel
Alumni Association of the Swiss Institute of Comparative Law, Canadian Chair 2003

Buckland, Amy
Journal of Librarianship & Scholarly Communication, Founding editorial board member
Practical Academic Librarianship, Editorial board member
Library Student Journal, Publisher
Pan-Canadian Documentary Heritage Network, Library & Archives Canada “Out of the Trenches: Linked Open Data of the First World War”, McGill representative in partnership project
Special Libraries Association, Academic Division, Annual Conference Co-planner, Communication & Social Media Chair
Special Libraries Association, IT Division, Communication & Social Media Chair Canadian Library Association
Emerging Technologies Interest Group, Co-convener
CREPUQ, Groupe de travail sur l’organisation et la diffusion de la production intellectuelle des universités, Member
Cai, Heather
Visible Minority Librarians of Canada Network (ViMLoC), Canadian Library Association, Founding member & Co-moderator
Chinese American Librarians Association (CALA, an affiliate of the American Library Association) Mentorship Committee, Member
ELUNA (Ex Libris Users of North America) 2012 Conference Program Planning Committee, General/Strategic Track, Coordinator

Canuel, Robin
Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) / Western European Studies Section (WESS) Executive Committee July 2011 – June 2012
Association of College and Research Libraries (ACRL) / Western European Studies Section (WESS) Membership Committee, Co-Chair, July 2011 – June 2012
Library Working Group, Canadian Inter-professional Health Collaborative (CIHC) Member 2008 –
ABQLA Annual Conference Planning Committee 2011, Member
ABQLA College & Research Libraries Section, Vice President 2011-2012

Cook, Colleen, C.
Canadian Association of Research Libraries (CARL), Member, Library Directors 2011-
Canadian Association of Research Libraries, Member, Scholarly Communications Committee, 2011-
Association of Research Libraries (ARL), Task Force to Assess the International Engagement of ARL
and ARL Libraries, 2010-
Association of Research Libraries, LibQUAL+® Steering Committee,
Institute of Museum and Library Sciences, Lib Value Return on Investment Study, 2010-

Duffy, Eamon
L’Association des bibliothécaires du Québec/Québec Library Association, President, College &
Research Section January to June 2011, Director June to December 2011

Fitzgibbons, Megan
Public Services Quarterly journal, L’Association des bibliothécaires du Québec /Quebec Library
Association (ABQLA) Co-Editor, Reviewer, Peer

Garland, Jennifer
Art Libraries Society of North America (ARLIS/NA). Strategic Planning Committee Member, 2010
Art Libraries Society of North America, Canada (ARLIS/NA Canada), Melva Dwyer Award
Committee, Jury Member, 2011
Art Libraries Society of North America, Montreal-Ottawa-Quebec Chapter (ARLIS/NA MOQ)
Newsletter Editorial Committee, 2010-

Côte, Maryvon
Montréal Association of Law Libraries, Vice-President, June 2011 –
Montréal Association of Law Libraries, 25th Anniversary Organization Planning Event Committee,
September 2010 – December 2011
Canadian Association of Law Libraries, Vendor Liaison Committee, May 2011 –
Canadian Association of Law Libraries 2013 Conference Planning Committee, Sponsorship Committee, August 2011 –

**Gore, Geneviève**
Association pour l’avancement des sciences et des techniques de la documentation (ASTED) Section santé et services sociaux, Executive Member

**Hafner, Joseph**
Canadian Association of Music Libraries, Archives and Documentation Centres, Board Member
International Association of Music Libraries, Cataloguing Commission, Chair
International Association of Music Libraries Conference Montreal 2012, Co-Chair
OCLC Americas Regional Council, Member
OCLC Canada Council, Board Member
International Federation of Library Associations (IFLA), Acquisitions and Collection Development Section Standing Committee, Chair

**Holder, Sara**
American Library Association - New Members Round Table (NMRT), Resume Review Service Committee, Member
American Library Association - New Members Round Table (NMRT), Liaison Coordination and Support Committee, Member
American Library Association - Library Instruction Round Table (LIRT), Conference Planning Committee, Member
Association of College & Research Libraries - Education and Behavioral Sciences Section (EBSS), Psychology Committee, Member
Association of College & Research - Libraries Instruction Section (IS), Membership Committee (Intern, Jan.-June; Member, June-Dec.)
L’Association des bibliothécaires du Québec/Québec Library Association, Annual Conference Planning Committee, Member

**Houle, Louis**
Corporation des bibliothécaires professionnels du Québec (CBPQ). President, November 2010 -
Corporation des bibliothécaires professionnels du Québec, Board of Directors, Member
Corporation des bibliothécaires professionnels du Québec, Executive Council, Member.
Table Permanente de Concertation des Bibliothèques Québécoises. Reporting to Ministère de la Culture, des Communications et de la Condition Féminine, Fall 2010- Member.
NetLibrary Advisory Council. May 2010- Member
Books24x7, Library Advisory Board, September 2010- Member
Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC), Library Advisory Board. February 2011 -
Congrès des milieux documentaires du Québec 2011, Organizing Committee
International Association of Scientific and Technological University Libraries (IATUL), Board of Directors
CREPUQ Développement Concerté des Collections des Bibliothèques Universitaires Québécoises (DCBU). November 2009 –
Canadian Research Knowledge Network (CRKN), Negotiations Resource Team
Table des milieux documentaires et archivistiques du Québec (TAMDAQ), Member

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International Federation of Library Associations (IFLA) Continuing Professional Development and Workplace Learning Section (CPDWL): Member of the Standing committee and Newsletter Editor

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Special Libraries Association, Sci-Tech Division, Membership Committee,

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Evidence Based Library and Information Practice, Associate Editor, Evidence Summaries
Canadian Journal of Information and Library Science, Editorial Board member

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CLA Montreal Interest Group, Co-moderator
CLA Professional Partner

**Lannon, Amber**
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Archivists and Librarians in the History of the Health Sciences, President-Elect
*The Watermark*, Chief Editor

**Martin, Cathy**
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Association des bibliothécaires du Québec/Québec Library Association (ABQLA) Conference Planning Committee 2012
International Association of Music Libraries (IAML) Archives and Documentation Centres Organizing Committee, Montreal 2012
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CREPUQ, Groupe de travail sur la gestion concertée des opérations de prêt et d'emprunt entre bibliothèques (GCPEB), Member

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International Association of Music Libraries (IAML) Member, Programme Committee 2010- Newsletter Editor 2010-2011
Canadian Association of Music Libraries (CAML), member
IAML Montreal conference organization committee, 2008-
Member, Financial oversight committee 2009-
Music Library Association (MLA), Instruction Subcommittee of the Reference and Public Service Committee Chair, 2011-

Murray, Susan
Montreal Neurological Institute and Hospital Neuro-Patient Resource Centre, Board of Advisors

Oliver, Chris
L’Association des bibliothécaires du Québec/Québec Library Association (ABQLA). Board of Directors, Member.
Canadian Library Association. Selection Committee for CLA/3M Canada Award for Achievement in Technical Services, Member.
Canadian Committee on Cataloguing (CCC), Chair.
*Resource Description and Access*, Copy Editor 2011-

Rankin, Sharon
Saint Columba, Board Member 2011 - 2014
Saint Columba House Library and Learning Centre Project, Team leader and weekly librarian volunteer for the creation and operation of a library to support the After-school program. 2007 - 2012

Salamon, Anaïs
Aldebaran Associate Editor, 2004-
Middle East Librarians’ Association, Atiyeh Prize Committee Member 2011-
Middle East Librarians’ Association’s (MELA) Mentor Program, mentor 2011-

Smith, Sonia
Association of Jewish Libraries. Executive, Montreal Chapter. Sydney Taylor Manuscript Award Committee Member.

Swanick, Sean
Middle East Librarians Association, Chair of the George Atiyeh Prize committee
Iraqi Libraries Committee, Member
L’Association des bibliothécaires de Québec/Québec Library Association (AQBLA), Conference Committee Member
Urbain, Carole
CREPUQ, Développement Concerté des Collections des Bibliothèques Universitaires Québécoises (DCBU). November 2009 – Member
CREPUQ – Comité coordonnateur de la réalisation du plan de communication du Sous-comité des bibliothèques. October 2010 – December 2011, Member
Association pour l’avancement des sciences et des techniques de la documentation (ASTED), 1984-Member

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International Association of Agricultural Information Specialists, Member
American Society for Engineering Education, Member

Zheng, Macy
Chinese American Librarians Association (affiliate of the American Library Association, Mentorship Committee 2011-2013
Junior Japanese Studies Librarian Training Taskforce (Canada), Member 2010-2012
Society of Chinese Studies Librarians of North America, Committee for Overseas Visits, 2010-
Chinese Studies Librarians of North America, Committee for International Conferences 2010-
Judge. Chinese Speech Contest of University Students in Eastern Canada. (Université de Montréal, March 10, 2011)
APPENDICES

Appendix A. Loaned Items

Three vintage quarantine posters loaned to the Canadian Centre for Architecture for the exhibition Imperfect Health.

Five artefacts loaned to the Canadian War Museum for its exhibit on medicine and war.

Six items were loaned from the Gordon Webber Archive to the “Photographes rebelles à l’époque de la grande noirceur” exhibition at the Ville de Quebec Gallery, Ste-Foy.

Loan of one item for an exhibition on historical objects in pewter at Maison Saint-Gabriel, Historic Site Museum (Montreal): “L’étain, de l’art quotidien”.

Loan of one early work on fortifications printed in Venice for the Canadian Centre for Architecture Montreal: “Palladio at Work”.


Loan of more than 50 items for a large exhibition on Renaissance era books held in Montreal repositories. Bibliothèque national de Québec, (Montréal): “Livres de la Renaissance à Montréal”. Dr. Richard Virr, co-director.

Loan of one item for an exhibition on Riopelle and his graphical work. Centre d’archives de Montréal, (Montreal): “Riopelle – Séries graphiques” (March – Sept. 2011).
## Appendix B. Human Resources Report

### New Hire

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Appendix C. Acquisitions

Osler Library of the History of Medicine

Reproduction of a 12\textsuperscript{th} Century Arabic medical treatise, the Kitab-al-Dirvaq, also known as Thériaque de Paris, by Muhammad ibn Abi-alFath. The original manuscript is a highly illustrated treatise on ancient medicine that includes illustrations of the medicinal plants used for the recipes of a number of classical Greek physicians such as Galen. The facsimile is printed on vellum in full colour and includes essays by five important scholars.

Charles Nicholas Jenty’s \textit{Demostratio uteri praegnantis mulieris cum foetu ad partum maturi in tabulis sex}, printed in Nuremberg in 1761. This is a very rare obstetrical atlas known for its stunning illustrations by Jan van Rymsdyk – a Dutch artist working in England famous for his work in the obstetrical atlases of William Hunter and William Smellie as well as Jenty. The atlas is very rare – this is the only known copy in Canada. Only three copies seem to have been offered on the market in the last 30 years. $37,000 was donated by Dr. Milton Leong to purchase this in the memory of Dr. Robert A. H. Kinch.

\textit{Catoptrum Microcosmicum}, a 1619 anatomical atlas by Johann Remmelin with paper flaps to show different layers of the body. Sir William Osler collected the text for this work (BO 3791) but didn’t have the atlas.

The American Gentleman’s \textit{Medical Pocket Book and Health Advisor} (1833) was gifted to the Library. The donor claimed that the book belonged to Dr. Andrew Fernando Holmes, one of the founders of McGill’s Faculty of Medicine.

David Hume Collection


Pratt, Mr. (Samuel Jackson), 1749-1814. Curious particulars and genuine anecdotes respecting the late Lord Chesterfield and David Hume, Esq., with a parallel between these celebrated personages and an impartial character of Lord Chesterfield, London: Printed for G. Kearsley, at Johnson's Head, No. 46, in Fleet Street, 1788.


Ogilvie, James, 1760-1820. Philosophical essays: to which are subjoined, copious notes, critical and explanatory, and a supplementary narrative; with an appendix / by James Ogilvie. Philadelphia: John Conrad, 1816.

**Canadiana Collection**

The papers of Robert Abraham (1804-1854), owner and editor of the Montreal Gazette


**Frances Burney Collection**

Five letters of Fanny Burney were acquired as was one letter from her father to her brother.

**William Blake Collection**