Accessing Library

E-Resources

Resources at a glance…

- Library Website
  http://library.ku.ac.ke

- Library Catalogue
  http://maktaba.ku.ac.ke

- Institutional Repository
  http://etd-library.ku.ac.ke/ir

- Digitized Past Examination Papers
  http://digital-library.ku.ac.ke/h

Library Website

Kenyatta University Library

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Library Boosted by Sabre Foundation, Again: Staff and Students of KU welcome the trucks carrying the second consignment of books from the SABRE Foundation

Monday, September 26, 2011

NOTICE BOARD

POST MODERN LIBRARY OPENED
Library Services to all students & staff have resumed in the Post Modern Library. Welcome..

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Online Journals & E-books

Library e-Resources links:

1. K.U. Subscribed e-journals & databases
2. e-Books
3. Open Access Databases, Journals & e-Books
4. K.U. In-house & Offline Databases

1. Kenyatta University Subscribed Journals & Databases:

Kenyatta University subscribes to a number of worldwide electronic databases, which give access to thousands of electronic journals. Arranged alphabetically....

Database Name	Subject Strength
Agora	Subject strengths: Agriculture, Biology, Biotechnology/Applied microbiology, Chemistry/Biochemistry /Biophysics, Economics, Entomology/pest control, Environment/Ecology/Natural Resources, Fisheries/Aquatic science and Food science.
Africa Journals Online	Subject strengths: Biomedical Research, Life Sciences, Complementary, Engineering, Informatics, Law, Economics, Medicine, Surgery, and Nursing

Library News

Change of Library Opening Dates:

The library will be open to students and staff from Monday – 19th September 2011 [...]

Education in the Corporate Arena: KU hits the Mark!!

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FIRST YEAR STUDENTS REGISTRATION & ORIENTATION

First year student registration with the library is currently ongoing in the Post Modern Library.

Orientation for **Social Sciences & Humanities First Year Students Group** will be taking place **today afternoon (Friday - 23rd September, 2011)** and on **Saturday - 24th September, 2011** for **Science & Technology** at the Post Modern Library.
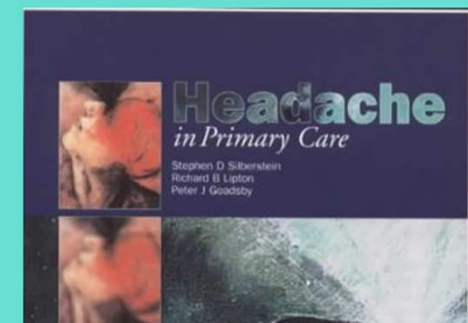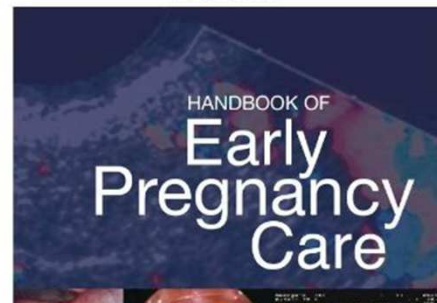
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Online Resources   Available through the Internet

Offline Resources

Stored in Secondary Storage

❖ CDS / DVDS

❖ Hard Disk

❖ Institutional/Department Computer Servers

❖ Other Storage e.g. Flash Disk

Require no internet connection but sometimes may require KU Wide Area Network

ONLINE RESOURCES

Mainly full text journal articles
Include e-books and reports

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a national consortium
Kenya Library and Information Services Consortium Programme for
Enhancement of Research Information

The consortium negotiates for discounts in subscriptions

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     IP Address range

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     JSTOR
     Emerald
     EBSCO
     Research4life.org(HINARI, Agora, OARE, ARDI), Wiley Interscience, Oxford Journals, etc

ONLINE E-BOOKS

SPRINGERLINK

Books, journals, reference works

URL: http://www.springerlink.com

EBRARY

Provides access to e-books only

URL: http://site.ebrary.com/lib/kenyatta

E-Resources Cont…

Index of Kenyan Theses and Dissertations (KIPS)
- Contains a listing of over 20,000 theses and dissertations from Kenyan Universities and Research Institutions
- Managed by KIPS (Kenya Information Preservation Society)
- Kenyatta University submits records with abstracts

URL: http://www.researchkenya.org

Other E-Resources sites Includes

- AJOL http://www.ajol.info

- TEEAL (The Essential Electronic Agricultural Library, locally hosted)

- World Bank Collections http://www.worldbank.org

Please consult our E-resources list available from the Library Website ; passwords are available at the Post Modern Library or Campus Libraries.

Thank you