



Architecture Library News

Hours

Architecture Library

Mon.-Thurs. 8am—10pm

Friday 8am—6pm

Saturday 9am—5pm

Sunday 1—10pm

Visual Resources Center

Mon.-Fri. 8am—5pm

Sat.-Sun. Closed

Fall Semester 2006 Holiday/Break Closings

Oct. 29th, Sun.

Nov. 23-25, Thurs-Sat.

Dec. 17, Sun.

Dec. 23-26, Sat.-Tues.

Dec. 30-Jan. 1, Sat.-Mon.



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From the Librarian's Desk

Welcome to the Fall issue of the *Architecture Library News*. Among the newsworthy items highlighted in this issue are several new endeavors for the library including a video collection test pilot and the newly redesigned web sites for the library and the Visual Resources Center.

You'll also find some updates on library resources like the *Avery Index* and ongoing services like e-reserves in this issue.

Best wishes for a good semester.



Architecture Library, VRC Web Sites Redesigned

The newly redesigned Architecture Library and VRC web sites are now available online. Here are some highlights of the new sites:

Architecture Library

<http://www.bsu.edu/library/collections/archlibrary/>

- Links to *Avery Index* and CardCat on main page.

- Links to article databases beyond the *Avery Index*.
- Students may schedule a Reference Appointment with the librarian using an online form.

Visual Resources Center

<http://www.bsu.edu/library/collections/archvrc/>

- Links to the Digital Media Repository (DMR);

home of the Architecture Images Collection) and CardCat on the main page.

- Links to more online image resources.
- Ask the Visual Resources Curator online form.

Comments, questions about the new sites? Contact Amy Trendler, Architecture Librarian (AETrendler@bsu.edu, 285-5858).

E-Reserves Increasingly Popular

E-reserves are increasingly popular among both students and faculty. Since the beginning of fall semester in August, 166 items have been placed on e-reserve in the Architecture Library

Have a reading to go on e-reserve? Library staff will scan items for electronic re-

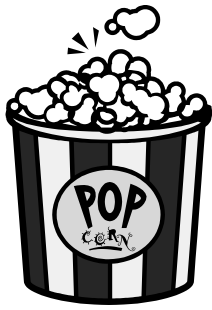
serve and return the original to you or to the library stacks. Copyright restrictions and University Libraries guidelines limit each e-reserve item to one article from an issue of a journal and one chapter or 10% of a book.

As with print reserves, be

sure to submit reserve materials and requests to the library 3-7 days before the reading is assigned so that the item will be available in time.

For more information, contact Helen Ulrich, Architecture Library Coordinator (HUlrich@bsu.edu, 5-5857).

Video Collection Now in Architecture Library



Videos are now available for checkout in the Architecture Library. The 45 DVDs and VHS tapes in the collection check out for 3 days. They may also be booked at the Circulation Desk for specific class viewing dates. In-class showings of videos may also be scheduled with VIS (Video Information Systems).

As part of a pilot project to

house videos in the branch libraries, heavily used titles in architecture, landscape architecture, planning, and historic preservation have been transferred to the Architecture Library from the Educational Resources Center in Bracken Library.

A new TV and VCR/DVD player with two sets of headphones was installed in the Ar-

chitecture Library this summer for convenient video viewing. Library computer workstations also offer DVD drives.

Want to suggest video titles for purchase? Contact Amy Trendler, Architecture Librarian (AETrendler@bsu.edu, 285-5858) or use the "Materials for Purchase" form on the newly redesigned Architecture Library web site.

The Avery Index to Architectural Periodicals

New Look for the Avery Index

The Architecture Library now subscribes to the *Avery Index to Architectural Periodicals* through the CSA Illumina interface. The design and some of the searching capabilities are different, but the article cita-

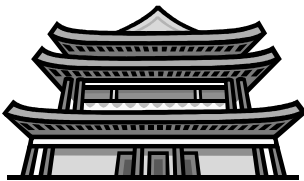
tions that make up the *Avery Index* are the same.

One of the features of the CSA Illumina interface is a notification system. Set up an "Alert," and the *Avery Index* will email you when new records on

your search topic are added to the database.

Questions about the new interface or the *Avery Index*? Contact Amy Trendler, Architecture Librarian (AETrendler@bsu.edu, 285-5858).

CAPAsia Digital Images in the DMR



This fall you'll find more than 400 images from CAPAsia 2005 in the Architecture Images collection in the Digital Media Repository (DMR; <http://libx.bsu.edu>). Donated by recent graduate Lindsay Bacurin, these 400 images are soon to be joined by more im-

ages of the trip from Nihal Perera's collection.

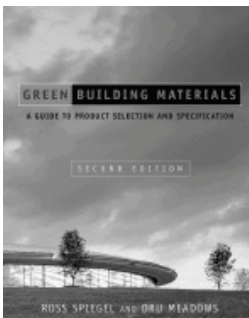
In addition to images of historic sites in Asia, the collection includes images of tsunami damage in Kalametiya and elsewhere in Sri Lanka.

To view the CAPAsia im-

ages, simply search for "CAPAsia" in the DMR.

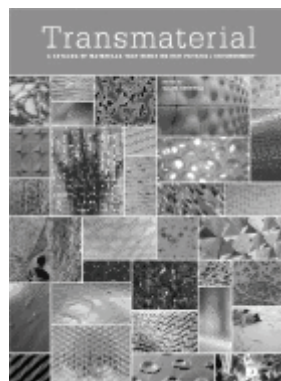
Interested in donating images from study trips to the collection? Contact Cindy Turner, Visual Resources Curator (01LKTturner@bsu.edu; 285-5865).

New Titles in Reference



Spiegel, Ross and Dru Meadows. *Green Building Materials: a Guide to Product Selection and Specification*. 2nd ed.

Call number: Arch. Library Reference
TH455.S65 2006



Brownell, Blaine. *Transmaterial*:

Call number: Arch. Library Reference
TA403.6.T735 2006

Marley, David. *Historic Cities of the Americas: an Illustrated Encyclopedia*.

Call number: Arch. Library Reference
HT121.M37 2005

