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*Office of the Director  
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## MEMORANDUM

**TO :** Vice President, Instructional Affairs

**FROM :** Director, Learning Resources Center

**SUBJECT :** Monthly Report, November 2013

### VISITORS: (12)

National (5)

1. Yoshimi Iwamoto, JICA SV
2. Toshaki Sugiura, JICA SV
3. Christer Danielsson from Sweden
4. Lars Johansson from Sweden
5. Danko Taborosi from IREI office

Pohnpei (9)

1. Masuo (Security)
2. Winter George
3. Alicia Rosario
4. Alvinus Wilmar
5. Marmy Jacob
6. Jaceleen Jacob
7. Sandra Gallen
8. Maria Bergen
9. Phyllis Silbanuz

### PERSONNEL:

- Special contract for Neileen Rosario who worked at Pohnpei Campus LRC ended on November 30.

### ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Kosrae Campus LRC shared a list of new materials for library use with the campus community. Receiving reports for new acquisitions were submitted to Business Office. A total of \$8.70 was collected for printing.

- Yap campus librarian assisted Bob in setting-up PowerPoint presentations for SS 100 and PY 201 classes (used LRC laptop and multimedia projector in AV Room and Science Lab) and helped Alice at FMI library with the library plan. Re-entering missing records from July 2011-July 2013 into the Follett database is ongoing.

## TOPICS RESEARCHED:

### Chuuk (2)

1. American Samoa Economic
2. Chuuk population

### National (37)

1. Adaptation of plants in Micronesia'
2. Benefits of cars
3. Buddhism
4. Christianity
5. Chuukese love stick
6. Comparison between Catholicism and Judaism. What is the difference between these two religions?
7. Compensation
8. Curfews
9. Dating
10. Dependency and non-development in Micronesia
11. Divorce
12. Drug Abuse
13. Family
14. Family structure planning and organization
15. FSM loan \$22 million from Republic of China (Kaselehlie Press article)
16. Graffiti
17. How solar energy is being used in the Micronesia area
18. Hypothyroidisms. What is it? How does it effect our daily lives?
19. Importance of taxicab
20. Intimacy
21. Kiribati government compared to Fiji government
22. Labor market
23. Legalizing marijuana in Micronesia
24. Marijuana
25. Mormonism
26. Music in Micronesia
27. Picture and drawing image of Saudeleur
28. Pohnpeian culture
29. Protestant
30. Smoking
31. Stress
32. Teenage pregnancy
33. The Trobrian's legends
34. The Trobrianders of Papua New Guinea
35. Tobacco use in Micronesia
36. Trukese language and stories for young kids
37. Video games

### Pohnpei (5)

1. Crop Production
2. Education
3. Prefix and suffix
4. Torts
5. Volcano

### Yap (15)

1. Abortion
2. Ancient China
3. Bloom's taxonomy of educational objectives
4. Discipline in society
5. Educated citizenry/uneducated citizenry: effect in society
6. Greek civilization
7. Jewish culture

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| 8. Learning outcomes                      | 12. Movie theaters |
| 9. Loss of culture and traditions         | 13. Parenting      |
| 10. Marijuana use : legalization          | 14. Suicide        |
| 11. Modern technology: effects in society | 15. Teen pregnancy |

## STATISTICS:

### Programs/Services

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Patrons usage	6541	1948	17236	3268	1984
Reserve materials	18	0	49	1	22
Materials circulated	322	85	880	228	748
Visitor usage	34	0	5	12	27

### Computer Usage

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
TOTAL Use	349	930	5898	596	815
Computer Assists	11	5	120	86	13

### Reference Encounters

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Reference encounters	12	24	133	5	25

### Collection Development

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Total volumes	11309	1944	66962	6572	10005
New Acquisitions	0	1	8	7	122
Cataloged	245	49	110	41	188
Donations	0	0	2	0	2
Serials	0	31	59	7	0
Withdrawn	6	0	12	0	0

### Inter-Library Loan

	NC
ILL sent	21
ILL received	7

### MITC

Audiovisual materials cataloged	12
Audiovisual materials re-labeled	12
COM meetings/workshops in MITC Rooms	15
COM Video Coverage	2
Digital Photos	50
Equipment checked out	09

Graphic Productions	05
ID Cards re-issue due lost or damage	16
ID Cards Validated	16
ID or Cards Laminated	02
ID Photos Taken	16
Manual video check out (boots & MITC classrooms)	10
MITC documents filed	10
Non COM meeting/workshop in MITC Rooms	2
Number of classes held in MITC	27
Patrons provided with reference/research services	5
Photos uploaded in Follett	10
Poster & Big cards laminated	25
Print Productions	10
Scan documents for COM/PIALA	20
Setup Audio systems for activities/class	2
Total fees collected for ID cards	\$70.00
Video conversion	26
Video burned into DVD format	06
Video Production	1
Video Showing for classes in MITC Rooms	34
Viewing in Booths	10
Work-study hour	90:30 min.

## Library Instruction

### National

- 16 students were instructed on the use of electronic journals as requested by Leilani Biza, faculty for EN120b.

## Work Study

	<b>NC</b>
No. of wsty students	10
Total hrs. earned	195:04

## PROFESSIONAL and/or COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT:

- At the National Campus LRC, Julia Martin attended an HR Committee regular meeting where Assessment Coordinator and Assistant ALO Christopher Ross Perkins was invited to brief the committee on how to prepare its TOR, with the intention of reviewing and revising the current TOR for the committee. The committee meets every first Thursday of the month from 3-4. Select EBSCO fulltext articles have been cataloged for inclusion in the library database. Ms. Rempis participated in an ICT committee meeting on October 22 with discussions on the Technology Policy, in revising a Wi-Fi Use policy.
- Pohnpei campus librarian attended a meeting at the National Campus regarding this fiscal year's budget and a campus wide meeting regarding updates from each department.
- Yap campus librarian attended an all-campus meeting on November 27, 2013.

**CONCERNS, PROBLEMS, COMMENTS, SUGGESTIONS:**

- Chuuk campus library's major problem encountered by students is the heat. The three air conditioners in the LRC are not functioning properly. A copier is needed for students to make copies of whatever documents they may need from any books, journals or newspapers.
- Two computers are down at Pohnpei Campus library and have been reported to IT.

Respectfully submitted by,

  
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