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MEMORANDUM

TO: Karen Simion, Interim Vice President of Instructional Affairs

SUBJECT: Monthly Report, September 2014

This report outlines activities for campus libraries at the College of Micronesia-FSM during the month of September 2014.

VISITORS: (11)

National (3)

1. Aya Kamakura, University of Reitak, Japan
2. Karen Kan-Lun Tu, Pacific studies, Australia National University
3. Miho Ueno, University of Reitak, Japan

Pohnpei (8)

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| 1. Adleen Shed | 5. Kathryn Maloney |
| 2. Cindy Pastor | 6. Michael Muller |
| 3. Edwin Sione | 7. Peter Cheida |
| 4. Jean Ranahan | 8. Phyllis Silbanuz |

ACTIVITY HIGHLIGHTS:

- Chuuk campus LRC received seven metal shelves purchased by National campus LRC. Maintenance staff assisted with the removal of the wooden shelves from the Pacific Room and replaced them with the new metal shelves.
- Director Heleisar visited the Kosrae campus LRC to test features in a web-based library management system called KOHA by importing patron and MARC records from Follett.

TOPICS RESEARCHED:

CHUUK (2)

1. Atomic Testing in Micronesia
2. Drugs

NATIONAL (50)

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| 1. Abortion | 3. Alcoholism |
| 2. Agriculture. How agriculture help develop FSM economy | 4. Algebra |
| | 5. Arthritis |

6. Asthma
7. Biology
8. Botany
9. Brain injuries
10. Business
11. Chemical change/chemical reaction
12. Climate change
13. Clinical anatomy
14. Comparison and contrast of product prizes in Micronesia against USA
15. Define justice and how it applies to policy making in the FSM
16. Deforestation in Micronesia
17. Discuss the evaluation of policy fairness and efficiency in FSM
18. Economics articles
19. Experiential learning in Micronesia
20. FSM National anthem
21. Gender & sex culture in Samoa
22. How does fisheries impact FSM economy
23. How does FSM Development Bank impact FSM economy
24. How does FSM PetroCorp impact FSM economy
25. How does FSM Telecommunications impact FSM economy
26. How does tourism impact FSM economy
27. Hydrocephalus

POHNPEI (4)

1. Alcoholism
2. Entrepreneur
3. Micronesian History
4. Writing Proposal

YAP (35)

1. Advantage and disadvantages of marrying young
2. Arranged marriages in Japan
3. Asthma and allergies
4. Child abuse and neglect in Micronesia
5. Climate change and rise of sea levels
6. CNMI : Politics and government
7. Cognitive psychology
8. Democrats vs. Republicans
9. Domestic violence against women in Micronesia
10. Environmental movement
11. Family influences in children
12. Fertilizers
13. FSM: Politics and government
14. Global positioning system (GPS)

28. Importance of local food and it's effect in Micronesia
29. Island Food Community of Pohnpei on local foods
30. Japanese language
31. Kosrae family, gender role, birth & population, death, marriage, sexuality, public authority, and social change
32. Local music in Micronesia
33. Maps of Kolonia area during Japanese time?
34. Marijuana in Truk
35. Micronesia, what it's history and where is it going?
36. Micronesian history during Japanese period
37. Musical instruments in the Caroline Islands
38. National Anthem
39. Nutrition
40. Pacific Islands music
41. Polio
42. Real estates
43. Science and Technology
44. Short stories
45. Sokehs, Nett, Madolenihmw, and U area maps
46. Teenage pregnancy
47. The 1880 Missionary deed to Mesenieng.
48. Tobacco use & its effects. Compare USA with Micronesia
49. Waterfalls in Pohnpei
50. Yap State Public Service Corporation

15. Idioms
16. Jokes
17. Kate Chopin's "A respectable woman"
18. Kiribati: political parties and voting
19. Lincoln's Gettysburg Address
20. Maps: types (physical, etc.)
21. Marshall Islands : Politics and government
22. Mental illness in Micronesia
23. Mirrors
24. Nursery rhymes; lullabies; acrostics
25. Overfishing in Micronesia
26. Pollution
27. Psychoanalytic theory
28. Rainforests: importance
29. Safety signs in the workplace
30. Shyness and fear

- 31. Sigmund Freud
- 32. Socratic method
- 33. Teaching philosophy

- 34. Vocabularies
- 35. Yap Island : people and culture

STATISTICS:

Programs/Services

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Patrons usage	7894	2104	24554	3848	1639
Reserve materials	0	0	40	0	9
Materials circulated	370	81	757	323	969
Visitor usage	1	4	3	8	39

Computer Usage

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
TOTAL Use	2346	744	6459	915	881
Computer Assists	13	2	58	56	36

Reference Encounters

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Reference encounters	22	3	76	1	29

Collection Development

	CC	KC	NC	PC	YC
Total volumes	11808	2157	67874	6754	10212
New Acquisitions	0	0	10	9	7
Cataloged	13	0	238	19	43
Donations	4	0	0	40	16
Serials	0	0	67	9	0
Withdrawn	0	0	0	0	0
Gov Docs			199		

Inter-Library Loan

	NC
ILL sent	16
ILL received	5

MITC National

Audiovisual donated	13
Audiovisual material duplication (COM activities)	35
Audiovisual materials cataloged	30
Audiovisual conversion	1
Audiovisual materials labeled	30
Audiovisual purchased	8
COM meetings/workshops in MITC Rooms	13
COM Video Coverage	1
Equipment checked out	17
Equipment repaired/maintained	1
Group study room	13
ID Cards issue for new comers	726

ID Photos Taken	726
Manual video check out (boots & MITC classrooms)	14
New Acquisitions (film)	30
Number of classes held in MITC	24
PDL files OCR Files OCR/edited Item files created for upload Page scanned	126
Scan student's documents	3
Setup Audio systems for activities/class	3
Video burned into DVD format	1
Video Showing for classes in MITC Rooms	22
Viewing in Booths	15
Work-study hour	75:09

LIBRARY INSTRUCTION:

- Chuuk campus LRC taught 42 students on accessing the OPAC and the Pacific Digital Library as requested by four faculty members.
- National campus reference librarian taught 111 students on the use of electronic journals and BibMe.
- Yap campus librarian taught 35 students on basic library orientation and library research as requested by two faculty members.

PROFESSIONAL/COMMUNITY SERVICE:

- Pohnpei campus librarian attended a campus wide meeting on September 26th.
- Yap campus librarian attended Budget Development presentations given by Danny Dumantay on September 8-9; a workshop on accreditation with Frankie Harris on Sept 15-16; and an all-campus meeting on September 17th.

Respectfully submitted by,



Jennifer Heliesar
Director, Learning Resources Center

cc : All campus librarians