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Recognition & Recommendations

This semester the Library has three U.S. work study students. We will present one each month along with their book choices.

Olivia Simeon has been a student at PIU since 2012 and is a Bible Studies major with an elementary education minor. She is currently a class representative in the Student Council

Olivia had previously worked in the Library for a year, so we are fortunate (and happy) to have her back.

When asked to name five books in the Library that students should know, she recommends these:



- 1. My Favorite Book that gives so much hope and inspiration to any believer is: *Hind's Feet on High Places* by Hannah Hurnard
- 2. Best Book You Cannot put down: The Scarlet Thread by Francine Rivers
- 3. This is my book for class, but so far it is very interesting, if you're interested in learning more about relationships and marriage/dating advice. This is a must read.

 I Married You by Walter Trobisch
- 4. This Book is NOT in the Library, but is worth the buy. If you want to learn how to declutter, organize your room/home, basically organize your life forever, this book contains the secret. *The Life-changing magic of tidying* up by Marie Kondo
- 5. MUST HAVE Book for Christians looking to grow more in the LORD and also for those who mentor and disciple others. This book is for you: *How People Grow* by Dr. Henry Cloud and Dr. John Townsend

Turabian Writing and Citation Style

"The standard format for student papers at all PIU colleges and sites is commonly referred to as Turabian. Specifically, we use the style outlined in the most recent edition of A Manual for Writers of Term Papers, Theses, and Dissertations by Kate Turabian. "Faculty & Staff Handbook 2014-2015 p.16

The Writing Center at the Utah Valley University has produced a good concise 8 page quick guide on the basics of Turabian style. https://www.uvu.edu/writingcenter/docs/handouts/turabian.pdf

A link has been added to the "Citation Resources" section of the Library webpage www.piu.edu/library along with other citation helps.

The Library has two copies of the latest (8th) edition of the A Manual for Writers of Research Papers, Theses, and Dissertations that can be borrowed.



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Show support by becoming a **Friend of the Library** and be able to borrow books from the largest theological collection available to the public in Micronesia.

Application form available on the Library's webpage: http://www.piu.edu/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/PIU-Friends-application-form.pdf

Community members are most welcome to come at no charge to the Library and use its resources for study.

PIU Library's Mission Statement:

To support the academic programs of the school with books, media, research materials, and online access;

To help students develop effective research and information gathering techniques using a variety of traditional and electronic resources;

To serve as a resource to the local supporting church community and Christian school teachers.



The Library received a mini-grant from the Asian/Pacific American Librarians Association to purchase Micronesian-themed children's books and to provide story talks and readings. Sessions were given by the Library Director and three PIU students to a third grade class at Adacao Elementary School and a third grade reading time at the Price Elementary School Library. This photo is an adult reading and children coloring at the concluding Talk Story two-hour program at the Library in December.

Some New Books & WAR ROOM dvd in the Library

The Library collection continues to grow in large part to generous **donations**.

The Library maintains a **wish list** of titles requested by faculty and staff. To make a donation or possibly give a book on the Wish List, contact Library Director Paul Drake at pdrake@piu.edu

War Room [DVD] 2015

The Lost history of Christianity; the thousand-year golden age of the church in the Middle East, Africa, and Asia – and how it died, by Philip Jenkins, 2008.

Utahong 50 selected derrebechesiil; Japanese-influenced Palauan songs. {Note: has accompanying cd "15 favorite Japanese-influenced Palauan songs derrebechesiil" by Junko Kunisji and Howard Charles.}

Mountains of spices, by Hannah Hurnard, 1977. {Note: sequel to *Hinds feet on high places* that Olivia recommended on the front page!}

Intermediate English grammar for ESL learners, 2nd edition, by Robin Torres-Gouzeth. 2016.