# **Check It Out!**

Merritt College Library Newsletter

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Library Survey



### Faculty Updates



Have you visited our Faculty page lately? It's full of information on setting up your account, putting textbooks on reserve, and arranging orientation sessions for your classes. Click the picture above to check it out!

### **Professional Development Collection**

We are beginning to acquire books for a new Professional Development Collection! This collection will contain items to enhance your knowledge of hot topics, best practices, and more. Do you have any book recommendations for the collection? Submit a Purchase Request Form to merrittlib@peralta.edu

### Meet Cynthia!



Mrs. Alvarado-Lunar, interim Staff Assistant/Library, has joined the Library to handle business and financial matters. She received 2 Associate Degrees from Merritt and completed her

Bachelors degree at the University of California, Berkeley in rhetoric studies. Cynthia has more than 10 years of administrative support, accreditation research, and budgeting experience, and has worked at the Financial Aid Office, the Office of Instruction and Business Office here at Merritt.

# SURVEY

Faculty and Students, please take a moment to come to the Library or go to the library website and take our survey on Periodicals usage. Your responses will help us serve you better! If you

have already filled one out, thank you!



## Catalog Upgrades

The WebPac Pro catalog (http://webpac.peralta.edu/) now has several upgrades including book covers, reviews, and more! Check it out!

### LIS 85



Sign up or join the waitlist for LIS 85 today and learn to be a better researcher! LIS 85 will teach you more about library resources, how to use databases, and how to formulate a research topic. LIS 85 is a 2-unit, 8-week online class that fulfills the computer literacy requirement for graduation. It is a late start class and runs from 2/16/16 to 4/11/16.

Contact Adoria Williams (arwilliams@peralta.edu) for more info!

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