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Evolutionary Medicine: Evolution In Human Health and Disease BIO 482

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LIBRARY IMPACT STATEMENT (New Course Proposal)
LIBRARIAN'S ASSESSMENT

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Program: BIO482

Department, College: Biological Sciences

Faculty Member: Professor Janelle Couret

Date returned to Faculty: August 31, 2017

Librarian Completing Assessment: Michael A. Cerbo II

Collection Management Officer: Professor Joanna Burkhardt

This new 3 credit grand challenge course is titled "Evolutionary Medicine: Evolution in Human Health and Disease" and the Professor expects the students to conduct some research, including a research paper using at least 5 peer reviewed current resource in the subject area.

We are able to add whatever appropriate monographic needs might arise for the instructor. Our monographic holdings in health, science and medicine are good and any additional materials can be garnered though our Inter-Library Loan office.

Access to journals in this field meets the needs of the course. Our online indexes and abstracts in health and medical sciences specifically and the sciences generally should more than meet the demands of this course. In particular, access to reference databases such as ScienceDirect, and Scopus, as well as the more general Academic Search Complete are available. There are many online journals such as Evolution, Medicine & Public Health, New England Journal of Medicine, Nature and many others in the field that are also available online through the Library. We are unable to add any new journal titles except through a drop/add policy that requires the department to identify a journal title (of equal value) it would like to drop from its serials list to permit the addition of another. However, our current holdings in this field seem sufficient.

Therefore, the librarian believes that the Library can support, bibliographically, the needs of the students to be able to acquire the most out of this course.

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