Library Newsletter

Civil Engineering

The Library Newsletter in Civil engineering is a new media of information, and will be sent 3-4 times per year to keep you informed on Library activities and [new] services in your domain.

- **NEW LIBRARY WEBSITE AND NEW CIVIL ENGINEERING WEBSITES**

  New Domain Specific Web pages

  At the end of the summer, the library has launched its new website: [http://library.epfl.ch/en](http://library.epfl.ch/en)

  The new discipline webpages, developed and updated by your liaison librarian, give increased visibility to the services provided for you: [http://library.epfl.ch/civil-engineering/en](http://library.epfl.ch/civil-engineering/en)

  ➔ Key contents: News, key resources selected to suite your needs such as general bibliographic or domain specific databases, datasets or websites, and new acquisitions or subscriptions.

  We hope you will find these pages useful. Do not hesitate to forward your comments and feedback on the content you would like to find on these pages.

- **2014 LIBRARY ANNUAL REPORT – CIVIL ENGINEERING SERVICES AND COLLECTIONS**

  The Annual Report of the resources, activities and services provided by the Library to Civil Engineering in 2014 is now available in Infoscience [French Only]

  [infoscience.epfl.ch/record/213456](http://infoscience.epfl.ch/record/213456)

  Designed as a concise overview of the academic support services provided for your section in 2014, this report includes several chapters: key figures, academic support services such as training sessions, teaching collection development via IS-Academia, Infoscience support...

  An overview of domain specific budget and collections is also provided.
**WELCOME WEEK – FLASHBACK**

With the new academic year, the EPFL Library welcomed around a thousand new students. Induction sessions presenting the Library’s services and website, information stands, guided tours, treasure hunts were organized to introduce them to the resources, services and facilities provided by the Library.

With reference to the section of civil engineering, two presentations were made on September 11th during the GC Section Welcome Session, to both Bachelor and Master’s students. The number of students who attended the liaison librarians’ presentation for GC was 126 (170 in 2014).

The Library resources are now up and ready to accompany you through this new academic year.

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**HAVE YOU HEARD ABOUT...**

**Open Science Workshops 2015**

EPFL Library is pleased to invite you to the “Open Science Workshops 2015” in November (details in Agenda above). The goal of these events is to promote Open Science, Open Access and Open Data movements and support their sustainability. During the workshops, participants will discuss about Open Science evolutions, challenges and stakes. After a short theoretical introduction, participants will experiment software & applications through practical exercises.

Web page of the event: [library.epfl.ch/open-sciences-workshops](http://library.epfl.ch/open-sciences-workshops)

Registration form [questions.bib@epfl.ch](mailto:questions.bib@epfl.ch) or [+41] 21 693 21 56

**SIA standards at EPFL**

In collaboration with the ENAC IT, SIA standards are available online for ENAC employees: [http://enacvm.epfl.ch/Soft/Sia](http://enacvm.epfl.ch/Soft/Sia)

For other faculties and students, request should be made at the library.

As we have to face a huge amount of request at the beginning of each semester, we usually check each civil engineering courses on IS-Academia to see if any standards are mentioned.

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