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Library Home

Your link to all of the Libraries' resources

The Clarion University Libraries newsletter is published weekly when classes are in session. Through *INSIDE*, we share information about our services and resources with the campus community. *INSIDE* is best viewed with Microsoft Outlook. However, you can read a PDF version of *INSIDE* online through the [Libraries' homepage](#).

Jumpstart Your Research With LibGuides



Getting started on a research project is sometimes the most difficult step. To help you, our librarians have compiled subject-based guides to get you on your way.

[LibGuides](#) point you to reference materials, books, e-books, journals, and links to web-based resources. Some have also been created in collaboration with professors to

support specific classes. Topics covered include:

- Advertising & Marketing
- African-American Resources
- American Literature
- APA Style Guide
- Asian-American Resources
- Art & Artists
- Biology
- Business
- Career Resources
- Chemistry
- Chinese Digital Archives
- Chinese Language (Mandarin)
- Clarion Online Resources
- Clarion University Archives
- Clarion University Archives: Digital Collections
- Collection Development
- Communications
- Communication Sciences & Disorders
- Company Information Sources
- Creative Commons & Public Domain
- Crime, Politics, & Public Policy

PILOT

Search the Libraries' online catalog

Databases A-Z

Search the Libraries' extensive collection of electronic journals and e-books

Contact Us

*Dr. Terry Latour
Dean of Libraries*

- Criminology
- Databases, By Subject
- Disabilities-Related Resources
- Early Childhood Education Information Literacy
- E-Books & E-Readers
- EBSCO Discovery Service (EDS)
- Economic Development
- Education
- E-Z Borrow Tutorial
- English
- Geography
- Geospatial Resources
- Global Environment of Business
- Google Scholar & Google Books
- Hip Hop
- Hispanic-American Resources
- Human Development & Education
- Human Services
- InterLibrary Loan (ILLiad) Tutorial
- Information Literacy
- International Economic Relations
- International Programs
- Interpersonal Communication
- Journals & Magazines A-Z
- Library Login Tutorial
- Linking to Clarion University Libraries Resources
- (The) Literary Experience
- Middle Grade Literature & Literacy
- Modern Languages
- Native-American Resources
- Newspapers & News Sources
- Nursing
- Open Access Journals
- Physics
- Online Catalog (PILOT) Tutorial
- Psychology
- Religion in Latin America
- Renewing Books Online Tutorial
- Scholarly Publishing & Open Access
- SciFinder
- Sociology Research Methods
- Special Education & Rehabilitative Sciences
- Studies in the African American Novel
- Theatre
- Women & Gender Studies
- Zotero

If you have questions or need assistance, stop by the Libraries or call Carlson Library at 393-2490, Suhr Library at 676-6591, or Clarion Online distance education students may call toll-free at 866-272-5612,

(press #5 for Library). Our Chat and other online services are available at the [Ask a Librarian! / LibAnswers!](#) link on our Website.

What Is CQ Researcher?



[CQ Researcher Online](#) is an in-depth, unbiased information resource with coverage on topics relating to health, social trends, criminal justice, international affairs, education, the environment, technology, and the economy.

Each single-themed, 12,000-word report is researched and written by a professional journalist. It provides the reader with an introductory overview; background and chronology on the topic; an assessment of the current situation; tables and maps; pro/con statements from representatives of opposing positions; and bibliographies of key sources.

CQ Researcher is available through the [Libraries Homepage](#). In the green "Research" box click on the [Databases](#) link, then scroll down the alphabetical list or use the link to jump to the "C" section of databases.

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Library Tip: Lean On Me



Do you need an easel for a special presentation or display?

Carlson Library has light-duty, fold-up easels available for short-term loans.

Check them out at the Circulation Desk.

The Minion's Master Moves: Scan That



The S.W.A.T. Minions remind you...

Flatbed scanners are available at the S.W.A.T. Desk! The easy-to-use instructions are posted next to the scanning units.

Scan and print, or save your documents, photos, etc. to a USB drive (*never* to the computer's hard drive – it *will* disappear). If you don't have a USB drive handy, email the scanned files to yourself.

The S.W.A.T. Team is here and ready to assist you, if you have questions!

Cranial Candy: Word Of The Week



solicitude

PRONUNCIATION:

(suh-LIS-i-tood, -tyood)



MEANING:

noun: Care or concern for another.

ETYMOLOGY:

From Latin *sollus* (whole), ultimately from the Indo-European root *sol-* (whole), which brought us *solid*, *salute*, *save*, *salvo*, *soldier*, *catholicity*, *salutary*, and *salubrious* + *citus*, past participle of *ciere* (to arouse), ultimately from the Indo-European root *kei-* (to set in motion), which also gave us *cinema*, *kinetic*, *excite*, and *resuscitate*. Earliest documented use: 1412.

USAGE:

“We also meet ‘Little’, a 19-year-old on death row for robbing and kidnapping, whom the other inmates treat with tender *solicitude* after he wakes up in the middle of the night screaming and in tears.”

Jenna Fisher; *For a Song and a Hundred Songs*; *The Christian Science Monitor* (Boston, Massachusetts); Jul 3, 2013.

Tech Term: Softphone



A Softphone is a software application on a user's computer that allows them to make "voice over IP" (VoIP) telephone calls as long as they have the appropriate peripheral hardware on hand.

Often a softphone is designed to behave like a traditional telephone, sometimes appearing as an image of a phone, with a display panel and buttons with which the user can interact. A softphone is usually used with a headset connected to the sound card of the PC, or with a USB phone.

Although we do not "repair" computers, the **S.W.A.T. Team** (the **Students Who Assist [with] Technology**) on Level A of Carlson Library is always happy to help. Having an issue? Let us take a *swat* at it!

Something To Think About:



*I believe our true nature
IS kindness and that when
we are not acting out of fear
we act out of love.*

~Glinda