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Today’s Session!

1. What is MAGNOLIA?
2. Uses of MAGNOLIA at the Desk?
3. Using MAGNOLIA from Home!
4. Where to find more info!
MAGNOLIA

- Mississippi
- Alliance
- for Gaining
- New
- Opportunities through
- Library
- Information
- Access
MAGNOLIA

Established in 1997 by the Mississippi Legislature.

Covers all publicly funded K-12 schools, public libraries, community colleges and the IHL universities.

Core information databases from EBSCO, OCLC, and Credo.
Continued support through the Mississippi Legislature.

Additional support provided by MELO (MS Community Colleges), participating libraries, and the Mississippi Library Commission (through a LSTA grant).

Your support is vital!
Useful Resources

- MAGNOLIA Website
  - http://library.msstate.edu/magnolia

- MAGNOLIA Training Guide
  - http://guides.library.msstate.edu/magnolia

- Today’s Presentation

- 2011 Mississippi Library Association Annual Meeting
WELCOME to MAGNOLIA, the Mississippi Alliance for Gaining New Opportunities Through Library Information Access.

MAGNOLIA is a statewide consortium funded by the Mississippi Legislature which provides online research databases for publicly funded K-12 schools, public libraries, community college libraries, and university libraries in Mississippi.

MAGNOLIA began in 1997 when Mississippi legislators appropriated $568,000 to purchase online databases for publicly funded libraries in Mississippi. Senator Grey Ferris of Vicksburg was instrumental in bringing this project to the legislature. The legislature continues to fund MAGNOLIA even after 10 years. With funding now exceeding $1.2 million, MAGNOLIA databases are being used by libraries and the citizens of Mississippi.

The MAGNOLIA databases have been of great benefit to Mississippi residents since August 1997. In addition to searching the databases in libraries across the state, individuals can also access the electronic resources available through MAGNOLIA from their home or office computers. Interested individuals should contact their local library for the necessary location ID and/or password.

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MAGNOLIA News

07/6/2010: MAGNOLIA Update --

Previously the MAGNOLIA Steering Committee reported that MAGNOLIA had suffered a decrease in its budget from the Mississippi Legislature. Since that time, the Committee has been working with several libraries and entities around the state to identify funding to maintain some of the MAGNOLIA resources.

OCLC WorldCat: We are very fortunate that Sherman Smith, Executive Director, Mississippi Library Commission, proposed to the MLC Board (and they accepted the proposal) that LSTA funding be used to pay the subscription to OCLC WorldCat. Therefore, all libraries will continue to have access to the OCLC WorldCat resources through MAGNOLIA.

CREDEN REFERENCE: Likewice, several libraries and entities provided the necessary funding to keep the CREDEN Reference database.

Contributors include:

- MELO (the Community College Virtual Library),
- Mississippi Library Commission,
- Mississippi State University,
- University of Southern Mississippi,
The 2012 MegaResource School Librarian workshop will be held at the Mitchell Memorial Library in February 2012. Check back for more details!

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The Library Instructional Services Department of the MSU Libraries actively works to promote and support the MAGNOLIA (Mississippi Alliance for Gaining New Opportunities Through Library Information Access) project through workshops, online training sessions, and training materials. Please feel free to use any of the materials or tutorials provided in this guide when working with MAGNOLIA databases or training!

If you have questions about any of the resources provided in this guide, please feel free to contact the Library Instructional Services Department at (662) 325-0810.

Look for additional Magnolia training opportunities at the 2011 Mississippi Library Association conference!

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Credo Reference continues to update it's content. When new materials are added, we'll highlight some of the new reference titles you have available to your library.

CredoReference provides an online ready reference collection that includes hundreds of

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Subjects:
Economics, Business, Agricultural Economics, Library Science, Research Methods
Recent Training Sessions

PowerPoint slides (as pdf files) from recent MAGNOLIA training sessions, provided by the MSU Libraries faculty and staff. Please feel free to use any materials that may help with your training. Additional training information can be obtained by contacting the MAGNOLIA Training Committee.

- MAGNOLIA for Everyone! Session for the First Regional Library System
  Presented August 5, 2011

- Training Session for the Columbus-Lowndes Public Library
  Training Session, April 18, 2011

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2010 MLA Presentation

The following PowerPoint presentation was made at the 2010 Mississippi Library Association. For more information about the presentation, please contact Dr. Deborah Lee.

- 2010 MLA MAGNOLIA Workshop (pdf)

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MS Association of Career and Technical Education Presentations

The following presentations were made at the 2009 Mississippi Association of Career and Technical Education. All files are in pdf format.

- Incorporating Information Literacy into the Workforce
  PowerPoint slides. Presented by Elizabeth Downey

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MAGNOLIA: Public Libraries

In order to comply with the license agreements with various database providers we have implemented a new method of verifying that only patrons from Mississippi public and community college libraries have access to the Magnolia databases.

Please enter your Library's username: [ ] submit

If you do not know the username, please contact the First Regional Library at (662) 429-4439.

If you are denied access and the library is a member of Magnolia please contact us.
MAGNOLIA is funded by the Mississippi Legislature and partially funded under the federal Library Services and Technology Act administered by the Mississippi Library Commission for the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

**RESOURCES**

**Database A-Z List:**  [Click here](#) for a complete list of databases by title.

A | B | C | D | E | F | G | H | I | J | K | L | M | N | O | P | Q | R | S | T | U | V | W | X | Y | Z

Databases by Subjects:

- Agriculture & Life Sciences
- Animals
- Architecture, Art & Design
- Biography
- Biological Sciences
- Business & Industry - Economics
- Chemistry
- Communication
- Education
- Encyclopedias
- Engineering
- English
- Environment
- Foreign Languages
- Geosciences
- Health / Medicine
- History
- Law / Government Documents
- Library Science
- Mathematics & Statistics
- Music
- Other Databases
- Philosophy & Religion
- Physics & Astronomy
- Political Science and Public Administration
- Psychology
- Sociology, Anthropology & Social Work

Databases by Provider:

- Ebsco
- Credo
- OCLC
I’m planting a garden and have heard about heirloom seeds. Where can I find more information?
1. **GLORIOUS HEIRLOOM FRUITS & VEGETABLES.**
   Subjects: UNITED States; HEIRLOOM varieties (Plants); VEGETABLES; FRUIT; PLANT varieties; APPLES; MELONS; SEED Savers Exchange (Organization)
   Database: MasterFILE Premier
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2. **Golden Oldies.**
   "Harvest wreath: Country life (110342), Apr 2007, Vol. 37 Issue 4, p.72, 47p
   Subjects: HEIRLOOM varieties (Plants); LIVESTOCK; SEEDS; RECIPES (Cooking); AGRICULTURAL exhibitions
   Database: MasterFILE Premier
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3. **Seed saving hobby grows into an international business.**
   Subjects: NOVA Scotia; BRITISH Columbia; HOBBIES; SEEDS; ANnapolis Seeds (Company); SEED exchanges; JASON, Dan
   Database: MasterFILE Premier
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GLORIOUS HEIRLOOM FRUITS & VEGETABLES.
Title: GLORIOUS HEIRLOOM FRUITS & VEGETABLES. By: Cressey, Rosalind, Mother Earth News, 00271535, Dec 2009/Jan 2010, Issue 237

Database: MasterFILE Premier

GLORIOUS HEIRLOOM FRUITS & VEGETABLES

From the SEED SAVERS EXCHANGE

Celebrating its 50th anniversary in 2010, the Seed Savers Exchange is a nonprofit network of gardeners dedicated to preserving and sharing heirloom seeds. Since 1973, Exchange members have passed on approximately 1 million samples of rare seeds to other gardeners.

The organization, permanently maintains several thousand endangered vegetable varieties on its 890-acre Heritage Farm in Decorah, Iowa, and the bounty of the Exchange’s seed preservation efforts lives in countless gardens, kitchens and markets across the country.

You can support the Seed Savers Exchange by becoming a member, or by purchasing one of its splendid 2010 calendars, which feature elegant photos of heirloom fruits, vegetables and flowers, as well as mouth-watering, garden-fresh recipes. This celebration of garden diversity makes a perfect holiday gift. 2010 calendars are $13.95 each and are available at www.seed savers.org, or by calling 563-382-5990. (The heirloom varieties featured here are also available from the Seed Savers Exchange.)

Here is an exclusive sampling of pages from previous Seed Savers Exchange calendars, featuring photos from edible-landscaping expert Rosalind Cressey. (To find recipes that use the heirloom varieties shown on these pages, look up this article at www.MotherEarthNews.com.)

A Bountiful Harvest
This vibrant spread includes tomatoes, peppers, cranberry beans, 'Tromba' squash, and 'Rouge Vif d'Etaples,' also known as the Cinderella pumpkin. Tailing down from the basket of peppers are Brussels sprouts, which originated in Belgium more than 400 years ago and were introduced to the United States by Thomas Jefferson.

Apples Aplenty
At the beginning of the 20th century, North America was home to 7,000 named apple varieties. Less than a quarter of that number exist today. The
I planted the garden and am drowning in squash! Help!
1. Butternut **Squash** Ravioli
   Good Housekeeping, Mar 2009, Vol. 248 Issue 3, p147-147, 5p; Reading Level (Lexile): **1210**
   Subjects: RECIPES (Cookery); COOKING (**Squash**)

Database: MasterFILE Premier

2. Cajun Meatloaf with Yellow **Squash** Casserole
   By: Steven, Bryan. Texas Fish & Game, Jan 2010, Vol. 25 Issue 9, p44-447, 2p
   Subjects: RECIPES (Cookery); COOKING (Meat); COOKING (Beef); COOKING (**Squash**); COOKING (Pork)

Database: MasterFILE Premier

3. (Almost) Vegetarian
   Good Housekeeping, Feb 2010, Vol. 250 Issue 2, p179-188, 9p, 14 Color Photographs; Reading Level (Lexile): **950**
   Subjects: RECIPES (Cookery); COOKING (**Squash**); COOKING (Broccoli); COOKING (Sausages); COOKING (Beans)

Database: MasterFILE Premier
I just read the New York Times bestseller *Dead Reckoning* by Charlaine Harris. How can I find other books in the series? Other works like this that I might like?
Search For...

dead reckoning

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1. Dead reckoning: a Sookie Stackhouse novel (May 2011)
   By: Harris, Charlaine
   "With her knack for being in trouble's way, Sookie Stackhouse witnesses the firebombing of Merlotte's, the bar where she works. Since Sam Merlotte is now known to be two-natured, suspicion falls immediately on the anti-shifters in the area. Sookie suspects otherwise, but her attention is divided when she realizes that her lover, Eric Northman, and his "child" Pam are plotting to kill the vampire who is now their master. Gradually, Sookie is drawn into the plot which is much more complicated than she knows. Caught up once again in the politics of the vampire world, Sookie will learn that she is as much of a pawn as any ordinary human—and that there is a new queen on the board..."--.
   Series: Sookie Stackhouse novels. 11
   Popularity: 5
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2. Dead reckoning (Dec 2005)
   By: Castillo, Linda
   While trying to prosecute a case that could make her career, assistant D.A. Kate Megason receives threatening messages regarding a brutal attack from the past that left her sister brain damaged, and turns to P.I. Frank Matrone for help.
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Book Appeal Terms: Definition of Appeal Terms

Genre: Adult books for young adults; Fantasy fiction; Mystery stories; Occult fiction

Storyline: Plot-driven

Pace: Fast-paced

Tone: Upbeat

Writing Style: Engaging

Persistent link to this record: http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=nle&AN=50534944

Database: NoveList
With the fourth season of True Blood about to debut on HBO, the pump should be well primed for another print installment of Sookie Stackhouse’s supernatural southern adventures. The excitement kicks off when someone sets fire to Merlotte’s Bar and Grill while Sookie is working, but that plotline isn’t the focus of the story; instead, vampire politics rear their ugly head once again as the regent of Louisiana does his best to provoke Eric and Pam. With a vampire-on-vampire showdown looming, Sookie tries to deal with her increased concerns over her blood bond with Eric, to understand the real reason her fee cousins, Claude and Dermot, are living with her, and to plan a baby shower for best friend, Tara. While the series has become much more about fantasy than mystery, it still has always drawn fans across genres, and this fast-paced and fun entry will be no exception. HIGH DEMAND BACKSTORY. Sookie mania shows no sign of abating any time soon, and with nicely timed release dates for the latest book and the new season of the TV series, the feeding frenzy is sure to continue. --Moyer.

Jessica (Reviewed 05-01-2011) (Booklist, vol 107, number 17, p13)
Series Title: Sookie Stackhouse novels

Also Known as: Southern vampire series

Series Author: Harris, Charlaine

Genre: Fantasy fiction; Mystery stories; Occult fiction

Description: (First book in series) Sookie Stackhouse is a cocktail waitress in small-town Louisiana, but she keeps to herself and doesn't date much because of her "disability" to read minds. When she meets Bill, Sookie can't hear a word he's thinking. He's the type of guy she's waited for all of her life, but he has a disability, too--he's a vampire with a bad reputation. When one of Sookie's coworkers is killed, she fears she's next.

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I have children in the first, third and sixth grades. How can MAGNOLIA help them?
Is lightning found on other planets?

Lightning is an electricity that you can see. It happens during thunderstorms and
### Periodic Table of the Elements

The periodic table arranges the chemical elements in two ways. The first is by atomic number, starting with hydrogen (atomic number = 1). In the upper left-hand corner and continuing in ascending order from left to right. The second is by the number of electrons in the outermost shell. Elements having the same number of electrons in the outermost shell are placed in the same column. Since the number of electrons in the outermost shell in large part determines the chemical nature of an element, elements in the same column have similar chemical properties.

The arrangement of the elements was devised by Dmitri Mendeleev in 1869, before most of the elements were known. To maintain the overall logic of the table, Mendeleev allowed space for undiscovered elements whose existence he predicted. This space has since been filled in, most notably by the addition of elements 104–112. Elements 115–117 have been isolated experimentally but not yet definitively named.

Five horizontal series (elements 58–71) and the actinide series (elements 90–103) are composed of elements with Group 8b chemical properties. They are placed below the main body of the table to make it easier to view.

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I’m doing a paper on *The Color Purple* in my English class. Where can I find some helpful information?
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- **Image Quick View**
A new allele of flower color gene W1 encoding flavonoid 3′5′-hydroxylase is responsible for light purple flowers in wild soybean Glycine soja.


Subjects: ANTHOCYANINS; FORAGE plants; PLANT genetics; SOYBEAN; Soybean Farming

Database: Academic Search Premier

Rare white-flowered morphs increase the reproductive success of common purple morphs in a food-deceptive orchid.


Subjects: FLOWERS -- Odor; RESEARCH; POLLINATORS; ORCHIDS; BIOLOGICAL assay; PLANTS, Ornamental; POLLINATION by insects; FERTILIZATION of plants; BOTANY -- Research; POLYMORPHISM (Zoology); Research and Development in the Physical, Engineering, and Life Sciences (except Biotechnology); Landscaping Services; Horticulture Production
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   Subjects: CRITICISM; AMERICAN Literature -- Study & teaching; ETHICS in Literature; SIN in Literature; GARDEN of Eden, The (Book); COLOR Purple, The (Book); HEMINGWAY, Ernest, 1899-1961; WALKER, Alice, 1944-
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Abstract: The article profiles author Alice Walker. The author characterizes Walker as a womanist, a black feminist, and comments on how Walker became an author partly to cope with the isolation caused by a childhood injury. She discusses how racism and inequality she experienced as a child in the U.S. South came to influence her writing such as in the book "The Color Purple." Walker's depiction of men in her books is discussed.

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