

# Library Newsletter

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## Because Libraries Transform

Like in any academic libraries, BUiD Library plays a central role in research and education to support the University mission in contributing to a world-class research.

Over the years, BUiD Library has significantly improved its resources and services. From a single database in 2009 to 23 databases today. From on-campus access to off-campus access. From one print book to a multi-user electronic book. From a card catalog to online catalog and many more significant changes. This reminds us that the library is an indispensable resource that transforms people's lives and the community itself.

Because there are hundreds of reasons why libraries transform, we want to showcase the Library's elevating role in this digital age through our Library's month theme 'Libraries Transform' – an international campaign in promoting libraries.

## Welcome Note

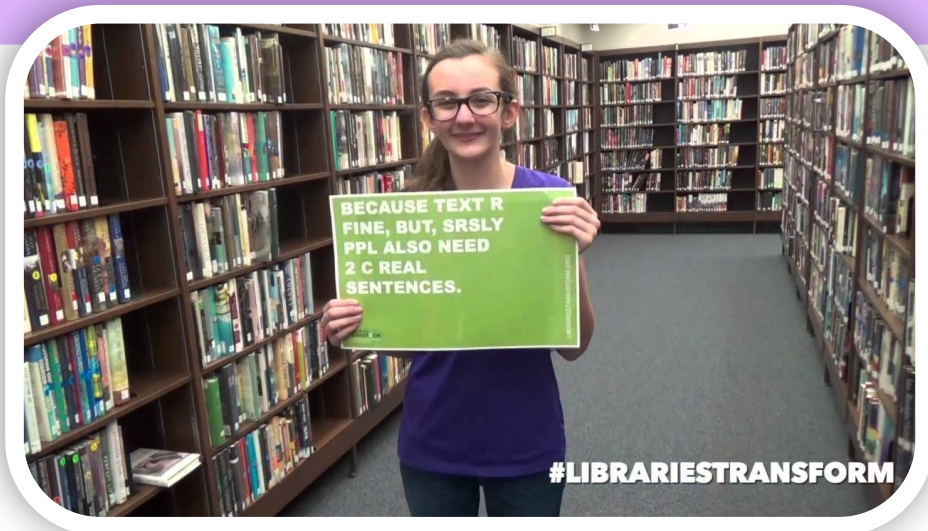
A warm welcome to all new and continuing students and faculty. Our last issue highlighted the changes we made to improve our services and the different tools available to assist our users in finding information resources. This year, as we continue to transform our library from an integrated library system to a new library services platform, we are committed to providing you the value, impact and services of your library. Because libraries want to distinguish a web search to research, there are more changes are on its way. We are excited for these changes because libraries transform!

All the best!

- *Marisol Sulit Leonen*,  
*Head of Library Services*

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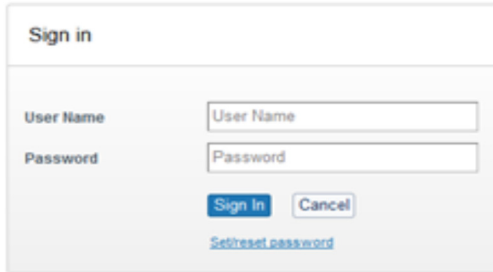
## Library Services — a year of changes

There are still several ways we want to improve to offer you a different library experience.

1. One library account details to access resources and our services
2. Integrated online catalog and electronic resources
3. Improved quality of search facets with online access links
4. Clientless and the cloud system
5. Electronic reserves list
6. Interlibrary loan service
7. A powerful discovery tool that allows to search other libraries worldwide
8. Self-management password link
9. Database groupings for single search
10. A-Z journal list

As BUiD library transforms, library staff are working very hard to fulfill these

### GET YOUR LIBRARY ACCOUNT ACTIVATED!



Go to <https://buid.on.worldcat.org/discovery>

Click 'Sign in' on the top right of the page then click 'Set/reset password'

You will be directed to a page to enter your BUiD username then click request new password. A link will be sent to your BUiD email account to create a new

### The Library Needs You!

BUiD Library needs a few students to participate in a Focus Group to gather feedback on our Library services. The focus group will meet one time for about two hours to discuss different issues and concerns regardless of your own experience in the Library. Kindly confirm your participation by sending an email to [library@buid.ac.ae](mailto:library@buid.ac.ae)

As a thank you, all focus group attendees will receive lunch and gift certificate.

# Academic Works: BUiD Institutional Repository

## DOCTORAL THESIS (2017 submissions)

- Al Ali, W. [Diffusion of ICT Innovations in UAE Public Schools and The Role of Stakeholder Engagement](#)
- Al Falasi, S. [Project Managers' Competencies in Managing the People Elements of Change within the United Arab Emirates](#)
- Al Marzooqi, L. [Exploring differences in work values among multigenerational workforce: Leadership approaches in selected higher educational institutions in the UAE](#)
- Al Naqbi, S. [Emirati Women's Leadership Development: Biographical Narratives of Culture and Learning](#)
- AlHumairi, A. [Determinants of Employee Resistance to Change for Optimised Organisational Performance in the UAE](#)
- AlObeidli, A. [An investigative study of the factors affecting the attitudes of female Emirati teachers toward the inclusion of students with intellectual disabilities in the government primary schools in Dubai, the United Arab Emirates](#)
- Assaf, M. [The Perspectives of Emirati Grade 12 Students on Writing Challenges in the English Language in the UAE Public Secondary Schools](#)
- Rashid, A. [The Influence of Managers' Personality Traits on Taking Project Risky Decisions](#)

## MASTERAL DISSERTATIONS (2017 submissions)

- Al Remeithi, A. [Insights into the Leadership Styles and Their Influence on Projects' Success - A Case Study within the Emirate of Abu Dhabi](#)
- Alkuwaiti, S. [Information security strategy for Smart Government in United Arab Emirates - Investigating future effectiveness, threats and vulnerabilities](#)
- Al-Maqbali, W. [Exploring the Understanding and Practices of Learner Autonomy by Students and EFL Teachers at Boys' Secondary Schools in Oman](#)
- AlMansoori, A. [Impact of practice teaching on student-teachers teaching skills: A study from Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates - A Study conducted in a Higher Education Institute level in the UAE](#)
- Al-Nassir, I. [A Design Study for a Multivariable Feedback Control System for Controlling the Air Gap of Maglev Train Suspension System](#)
- Al-Qaiwani, O. [Employee Engagement and Leadership in a UAE Governmental Organization](#)
- Al-Tayeh, T. [The New Role of the Client in Adopting Innovation in Construction Projects](#)
- Badr, H. [Investigating the Influence of Two Memory Strategies on Long-Term Vocabulary Retention: Semantic Mapping versus Wordlists](#)
- Bhuptani, N. [Parental Reports on the Efficacy of Applied Behavior Analysis based intervention for children with Autism Spectrum Disorder in UAE](#)
- El Hariry, Y. [Attitudes of Parents of Children with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities towards Diagnosis and Intervention in Dubai and its Implication on Education](#)
- Ghubash, A. [Maternity Leave and the Rights of Pregnant Women](#)
- Ibrahim, M. [A Comparative Study of Colour Metaphors in English and Arabic: Implications for Second Language Acquisition and Translation](#)
- Megdadi, E. [A Comparative Design Study for Gas Turbine Regulation using Least Effort Control](#)
- Saleh, F. [Risks Allocation in PPP Projects According to Cost of Risk, Partners' Attitude and Partners'](#)

## New Engineering Titles

### [Planning and design criteria to make urban transport more sustainable : the case of Baku](#)

by Gülnar. Bayramoğlu Call Numbers: 388.4 BAY 2012 - BUiD Library General Collection

### [Moving people : sustainable transport development](#)

by Peter Cox Call Numbers: 388.04 COX 2010 - BUiD Library General Collection

### [Sustainability and the design of transport interchanges](#)

by Brian Edwards Call Numbers: 711.7 EDW 2011 - BUiD Library General Collection

### [Sustainable transport, mobility management and travel plans](#)

by Marcus Enoch Call Numbers: 388.4 ENO 2012 - BUiD Library General Collection

### [Automobility in transition? : a socio-technical analysis of sustainable transport](#)

by Frank W. Geels Call Numbers: 388.321 AUT 2012 - BUiD Library General Collection

### [Environmental issues in automotive industry.](#)

by Paulina Golinska Call Numbers: 629.222 ENV 2014 - BUiD Library General Collection

### [Transforming urban transport : the ethics, politics and practices of sustainable mobility](#)

by Nicholas Low Call Numbers: 388.40286 TRA 2013 - BUiD Library General Collection

### [Maintenance, replacement, and reliability: theory and applications.](#)

by Andrew K.S. Jardine Call Numbers: 621.20424 JAR 2013 - BUiD Library Course Reserve

### [Practical reliability engineering.](#)

by Patrick P. O'Connor, Andre. Kleyner Call Numbers: 620.00452 OCO 2012 - BUiD Library Course Reserve

### [Reliability engineering](#)

by Elsayed A. Elsayed Call Numbers: 620.00452 ELS 2012 - BUiD Library General Collection

### [System reliability theory : models, statistical methods, and applications](#)

by Marvin. Rausand, Arnljot Høyland Call Numbers: 620.00452 SYS 2004 - BUiD Library General Collection

### [Reliability engineering : probabilistic models and maintenance methods](#)

by Joel A. Nachlas Call Numbers: 620.00452 NAC 2017 - BUiD Library General Collection

### [Reliability, maintainability and risk : practical methods for engineers](#)

## Resource Focus

**Passport** is an online market research database used by the world's top universities, graduate schools and Fortune 500 companies to understand the global business environment in a time of rapid change and increased globalization. It features millions of statistics and in-depth reports on 28 industries across 80 markets worldwide, with demographic, macro-and socio-economic data and analysis on consumers and economies in 210 countries.

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