## The Future of Libraries

after the book?



## **Continuous Partial Attention**

"To pay continuous partial attention is to pay partial attention — CONTINUOUSLY. It is motivated by a desire not to miss anything and to be a live node on the network — in touch and seen by others. Another way of saying this is that we want to connect and be connected. We want to effectively scan for opportunity and optimize for the best opportunities, activities, and contacts, in any given moment. To be busy, to be connected, is to be alive, to be recognized, and to matter. "

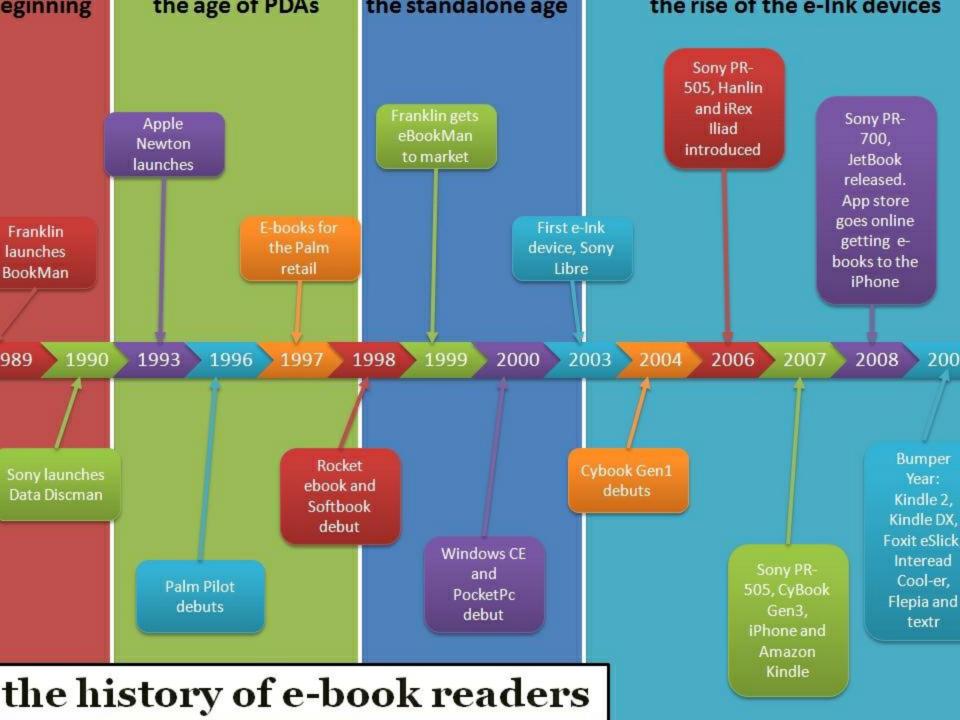
## Is CPA a disorder?

"in large doses, it contributes to a stressful lifestyle, to operating in crisis management mode, and to a compromised ability to reflect, to make decisions, and to think creatively. In a 24/7, always-on world, continuous partial attention used as our dominant attention mode contributes to a feeling of ... over-stimulation and to a sense of being unfulfilled. We are so accessible, we're inaccessible. The latest, greatest powerful technologies have contributed to our feeling increasingly powerless."







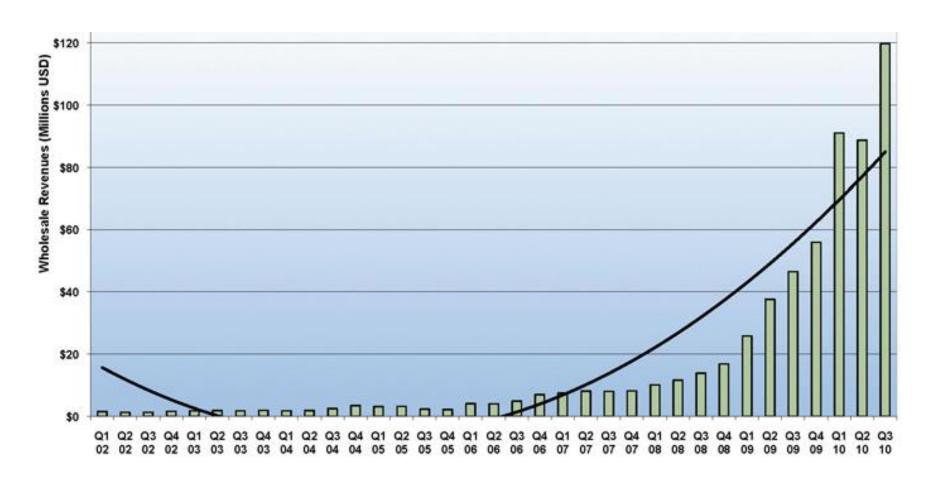






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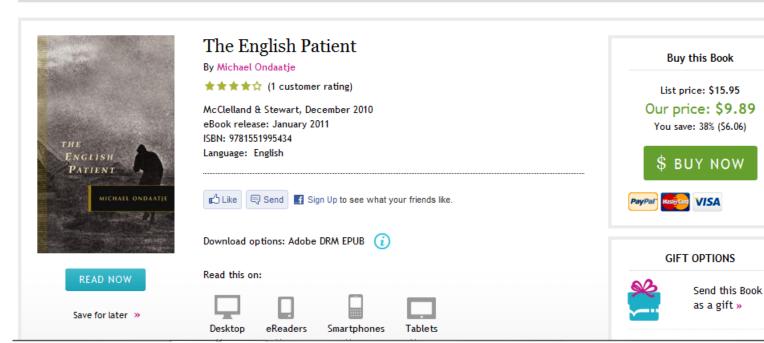
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### Random House of Canada eBooks Coming to Canadian Libraries

Titles from popular Canadian authors Margaret Atwood, Judy Fong Bates and more to be available via OverDrive

(Toronto, Ontario - Ontario Library Association (OLA) Super Conference) - February 2, 2011 - Canadian libraries, schools, and colleges will soon have access to thousands of eBooks from Random House of Canada through OverDrive (www.overdrive.com). With this new distribution agreement, eBooks from McClelland & Stewart and Random House of Canada will be added to OverDrive's catalog for Canadian libraries. Libraries will be able to offer their customers digital books from McClelland & Stewart and Random House of Canada's list of award-winning authors including Margaret Atwood, Mordecai Richler, Judy Fong Bates, and Vincent Lam, as well as international best-selling authors such as P.D. James and Salman Rushdie.

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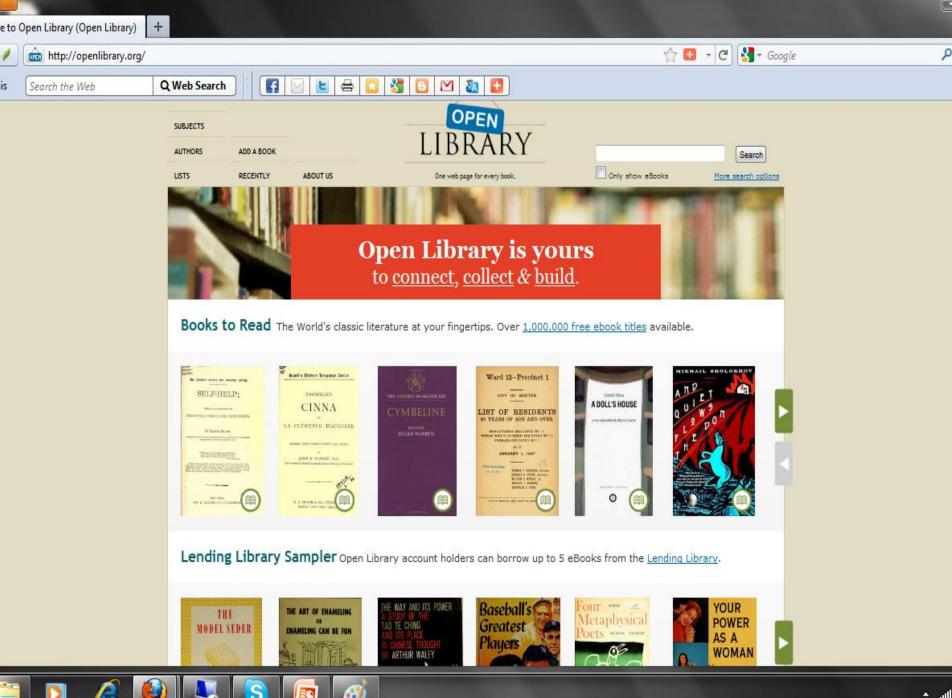
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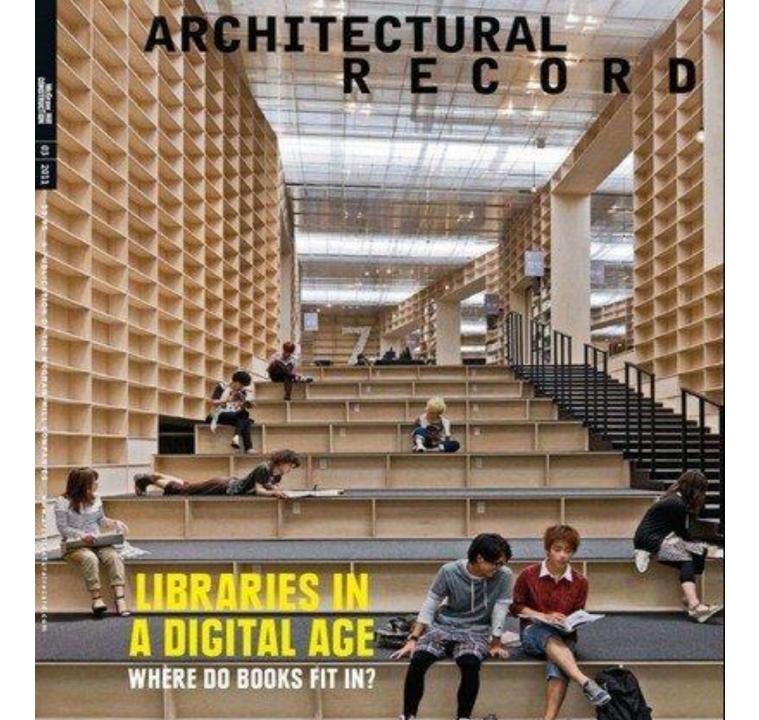
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# The future of the SFU Library

# SFU Burnaby W.A.C. Bennett Library

Est.1965

2.4 million volumes
Alumni Information Commons
Student Learning Commons
Rare Books and Special Collections
David Lam Graduate Research Centre
Media Centre



### SFU Vancouver Belzberg Library

Est.1989

16,000 books and several hundred journal titles, as well as microform collections and electronic sources. Wosk Student Learning Commons Group Studies
Information Commons



### SFU Surrey Fraser Valley Library

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28,500 books, 130 journals,
1,950 DVDs and videos,
3300 games
Equipment collection
Wosk Student Learning Commons
Information Commons



## **Strategic Directions**

- 1. Enable a welcoming & successful library experience
- 2. Create a vibrant hub of research and learning
- 3. Build responsive & enduring collections
- 4. Develop & promote user-driven services
- 5. Establish leading-edge scholarly communication support
- 6. Refresh and engage staff competencies

## SFU Library Services

- Student Learning Commons (2006-2011)
- Ask-Away (2007)
- Open Access Fund (2010)
- Scholarly Digitization Fund (2010)
- Fast Search (2010)
- Research Commons (2011)
- Free Journal Hosting for Faculty (2011)
- Mobile Web (2011)
- Write-Away (2012)

## **SFU Library Collections**

- E-journals
- Special Collections
- Digitized collections (Multicultural Canada, Canadiana dot org, Komagata Maru)
- Current Fiction Collection, SFU-B/Burnaby Public
- E-books
- On-demand acquisitions
- Focus on research data
- Digital preservation strategy

# SFU Library Space

- Bennett Library:
  - 2<sup>nd</sup> floor comp lab, group study, thesis defence
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> floor IC & Student Learning Commons
  - 6<sup>th</sup> floor silent study
- Surrey, Wosk Student Learning Commons
- Belzberg Student Learning Commons
- Bennett Library Third Floor Renewal (cafe, entrance)
- Research Commons (2<sup>nd</sup> floor)
- Special Collections enhancements (7<sup>th</sup> floor)
- "eBranch" SFU's virtual campus library

# Thank you!

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