

# URBE UNIVERSITY

## LIBRARY NEWSLETTER

### JANUARY / FEBRUARY 2022

#### DID YOU KNOW THAT?

URBE University Library has a Webpage with relevant information for your courses. You can access this page thru this link: <https://library.urbe.university/>

The library webpage has different sections such as: **Catalog, Academic Repository, Databases, Training and Docs, About us** and even a chance to **Ask a Librarian**.

The **DATABASES SECTION** includes: Free access to different Open Access Databases such as: DIALNET, Directory of Open Access Books( DOAB) , Directory of Open Access Journals (DOAJ), etc., also you can find: LIRN (URBE Virtual Library) and Florida Electronic Library (Open Virtual Library for Floridian Residents)

#### FLORIDA ELECTRONIC LIBRARY (FLE)

<https://www.flelibrary.com/>



The Florida Electronic Library is funded under the provisions of the Library Services and Technology Act from the Institute of Museum and Library Services.

Florida's LSTA program is administered by the Florida Department of State's [Division of Library and Information Services](#).

Since 2003, the FEL has provided over 90 million **Articles, Ebooks, Videos and other Electronic Resources** to the citizens of Florida.

The access to Virtual Library is free.



#### How to use the URBE Library Resources

**DATE:** Thursday, January 20, 2022

**TIME:** 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM

**WHERE:** BB Virtual Session

#### How to use the URBE Library Resources

**DATE:** Tuesday, January 25, 2022

**TIME:** 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM

**WHERE:** BB Virtual Session

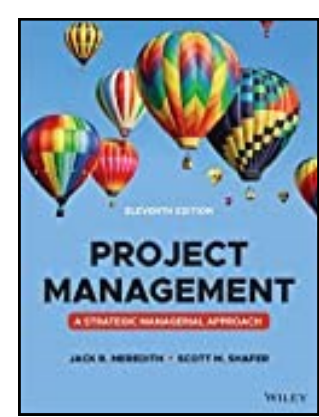
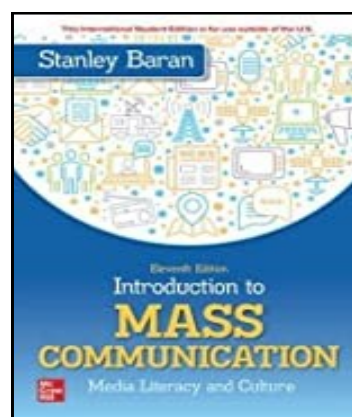
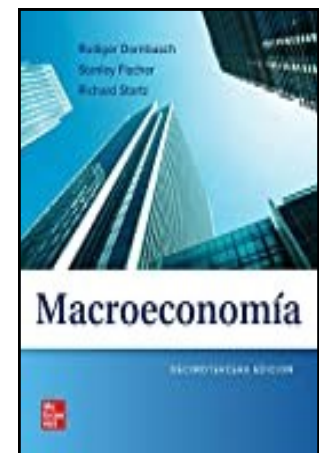
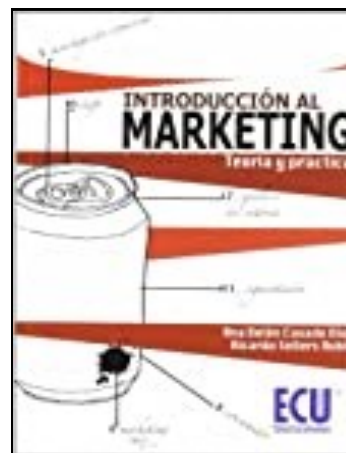
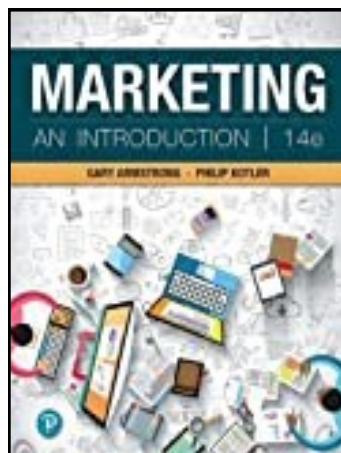
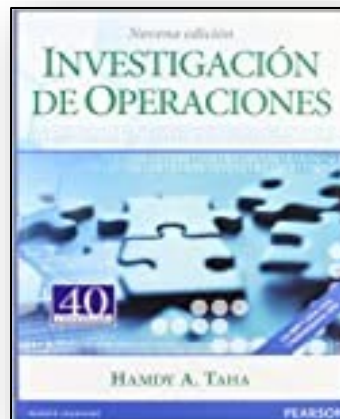
#### How to use PROQUEST Ebook and Books 24/7 Databases

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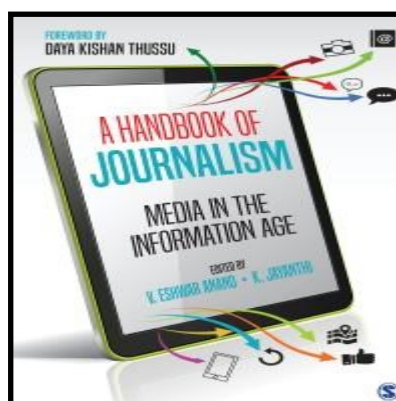
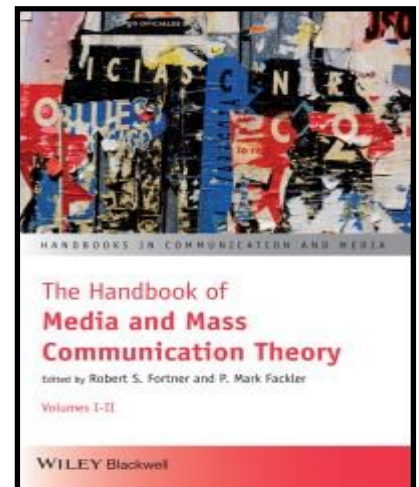
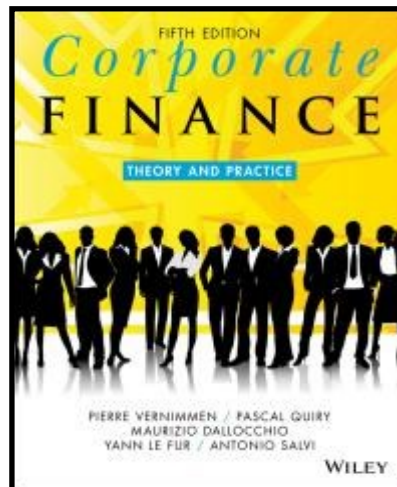
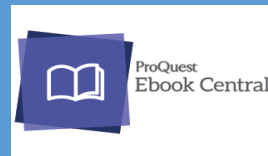
**TIME:** 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM

**WHERE:** BB Virtual Session

# NEW ADDITIONS PRINTED BOOKS



# NEW ADDITIONS ELECTRONIC BOOKS





"Open-access (OA) literature is digital, online, free of charge, and free of most copyright and licensing restrictions. What makes it possible is the internet and the consent of the author or copyright-holder."

## Business & Management OA RESOURCES



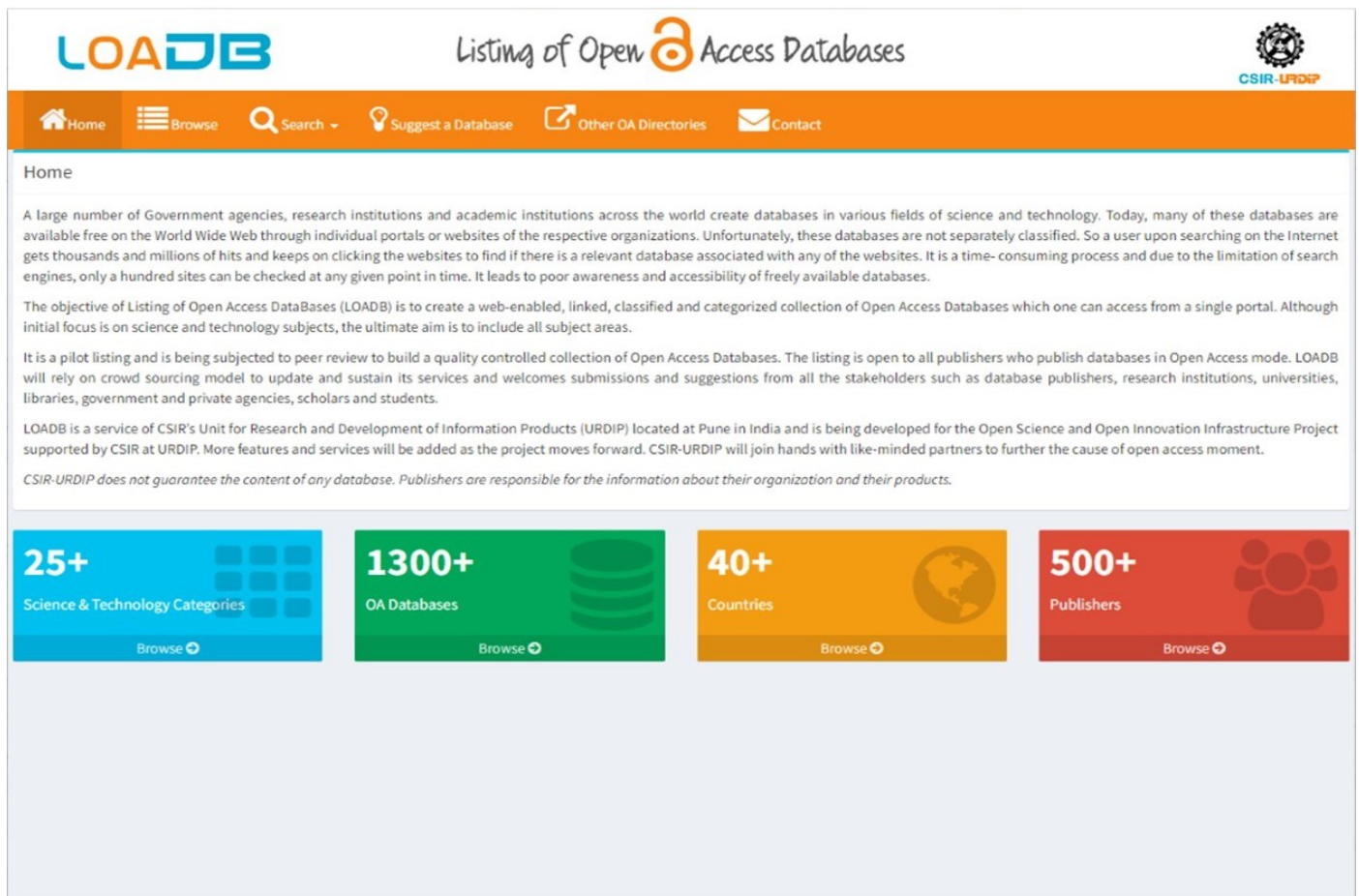
## FREE MANAGEMENT LIBRARY



Listing of Open  Access Databases

LOADB

<http://www.loadb.org/>



The screenshot shows the homepage of the Listing of Open Access Databases (LOADB). The header features the LOADB logo, the site title, and the CSIR-URDIP logo. A navigation bar includes links for Home, Browse, Search, Suggest a Database, Other OA Directories, and Contact. The main content area is titled 'Home' and contains several paragraphs of text explaining the project's purpose and goals. Below the text are four colored boxes with statistics: 25+ Science & Technology Categories, 1300+ OA Databases, 40+ Countries, and 500+ Publishers. Each box has a 'Browse' button with a right-pointing arrow.

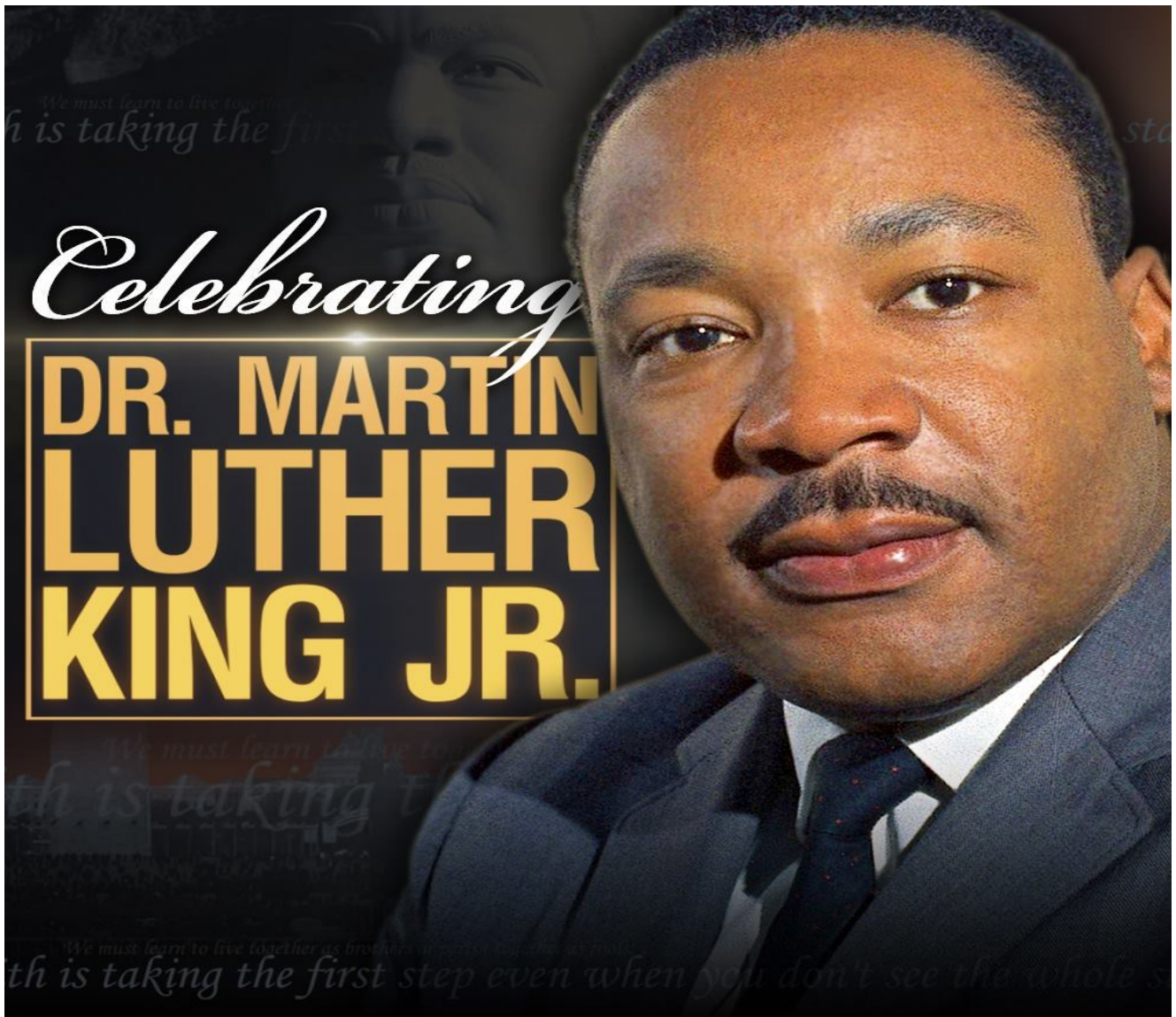
This is a pilot listing and it is being subjected to peer review to build a quality controlled collection of Open Access Databases. The listing is open to all publishers who publish databases in Open Access mode. LOADB will rely on crowd sourcing model to update and sustain its services and welcomes submissions and suggestions from all the stakeholders such as database publishers, research institutions, universities, libraries, government and private agencies, scholars and students.

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## HISTORY OF MARTIN LUTHER KING JR. DAY

Martin Luther King Day 2022, a **federal holiday**, is commemorated on **Monday, January 17**. The day honors King, a civil rights leader and minister, who was assassinated in 1968. The holiday was first observed in 1986 but was not celebrated in every state until 2000.

On August 28, 1963, in front of a crowd of nearly 250,000 people spread across **the National Mall in Washington, D.C.**, the Baptist preacher and civil rights leader Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. delivered his now famous “I Have a Dream” speech from the steps of the Lincoln Memorial



# FEBRUARY 14

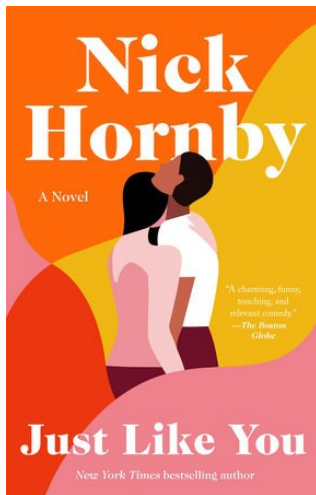
## Valentine's Day A Day of Romance

Valentine's Day occurs every **February 14**.

Across the United States and in other places around the world, candy, flowers and gifts are exchanged between loved ones, all in the name of St. Valentine.



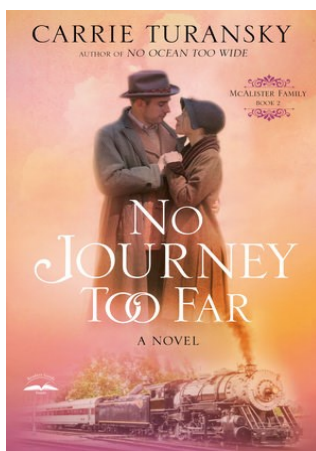
## Suggested Romance Books



### Just Like You

by Nick Hornby

*Just Like You* is a brilliantly observed, tender, but also brutally funny new novel that gets to the heart of what it means to fall surprisingly and headlong in love with the best possible person—someone you didn't see coming.



### No Journey Too Far

by Carrie Turansky

A family long divided, a mysterious trunk, and a desperate journey across the ocean—all in the name of love. The epic saga of the McAlisters continues in this riveting sequel to *No Ocean Too Wide*.

<https://www.penguinrandomhouse.com/the-read-down/romance>

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# February 21

Presidents' Day is celebrated every year on the **Third Monday of February** — **February 21 of this year**. All the presidents in American history are remembered and honored for their exemplary work in making America the great country it is today.

Washington's Birthday didn't officially become Presidents' Day until the late 1960s. Senator Robert McClory of Illinois concocted a plan that moved key bank holidays to Mondays to increase the number of three-day weekends for workers in what's known as the Uniform Monday's Act. The hope was that it would increase productivity and decrease employee absenteeism. Unsurprisingly, the labor union agreed with this idea and so did the private sector.

In 1971, Richard M. Nixon made the executive order to pass the Uniform Monday Holiday Act, which shifted Washington's Birthday, Columbus Day, Memorial Day, and Veterans' Day to Monday. With the date landing in the middle of Lincoln's and Washington's birthday, it became known as Presidents' Day, while having a simultaneous benefit for retail stores as they advertised their special sales events during this time. By the mid-1980s, Presidents' Day became the common term and continues to be called as such to this day.



# GUEST WRITER COLUMN

## 6 SKILLS YOU LEARN IN SCHOOL AND HELP YOU IN REAL LIFE

Posted on January 7, 2022 by [Jesus Alberto Fuenmayor](#)

### - Teamwork

During your time in school or college, there will probably be a time when you will need to work as a team to complete an assignment or project. Students often complain about group assignments due to the responsibility placed on each individual member. No one wants a lazy student dragging their team down. However, this is part of real life that you will come across on a regular basis.

This will teach you how to motivate and encourage others, how to integrate into a team, and how to understand people's emotions, moods, strengths, and weaknesses.

In the real world, these teamwork skills are invaluable to companies, especially in project management and other supervisory jobs.

### - Budgeting

This skill is more limited to college days; nonetheless, it is still an amazing skill that you will learn throughout your study time. One of the main reasons you learn to budget in college is because you have no other choice.

### - Personal strengths and motivation

One of the advantages of the strenuous work days of school and university is that you will have to learn your strengths and motivations.

Most people don't get excited about working on assignments, but they somehow figure out how to do it.

**Learning to identify your personal strengths and motivate yourself will continue to be important throughout your life**, as you must be motivated to get up to work every day, clean your house, and even socialize, to name a few.

### - Inventiveness

When difficulties arise during class, you will learn the extent of your personal strengths, when to ask for help, or when to use any other options available to you.

An expert understanding of how to be resourceful is a highly desirable trait for almost everyone. When you find yourself in a difficult situation that you need to get out of, whether at work or at home, understanding how things work or how to get help through means other than your own is something you will certainly use in real life.

### - Organization

In school and college, you likely have a full set of assignments, classes, and small tasks to complete each day, so you'll need to learn to prioritize tasks based on their importance.

You may even have to develop efficiency skills and think of new ways of working that will allow you to complete all your tasks on time.

### - Think Differently

Lastly, one of the most appreciated skills you will learn in school will be the ability to think differently. You're in a space with thousands of other students with different thought processes and world views, and that means there are plenty of opportunities for you to learn a whole new way of thinking.

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Having an open mind is key to learning new skills and taking on new and foreign ideas. Being taught different ways of thinking and applying critical thinking to different concepts will be as important during your studies as it is throughout your life.

Remember that in addition to sharing with friends every day, you are also learning skills outside of academic work. The activities on the playground and the skills you use to complete schoolwork will certainly give you skills that will be valuable for the rest of your life.

## GUEST WRITER COLUMN

### Plagiarism

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Plagiarism is an illegal act that people carry out when they present an idea or information or a complete work, passing it off as their own to obtain recognition at the expense of others, plagiarism only has legal repercussions since it is considered a violation of rights that are considered a moral and ethical offense.

People who plagiarize are seen not only as dishonest but also as incompetent, unable to carry out a research project and express original ideas.

When professionals or students commit plagiarism they can suffer catastrophic consequences as professional writers can be prosecuted and are likely to lose their work and suffer public embarrassment, diminished prestige and loss of credibility in the future.

The accusation of plagiarism is serious because it calls into question the writer's work since he previously passed off a work as his own.

If you want to participate, send your work to:

**Librarian. Karely Carrion**

**[karely.carrion@urbe.university](mailto:karely.carrion@urbe.university)**