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ABOUT ME

Hello, everyone! My name is Diamond Williams; I am a second-year double-majoring in Criminal Justice and Writing & Rhetoric.

Welcome to the seventh installment of **Diamond's Hidden Gems**, a blog series in which I introduce you to the University of Central Florida's library services that you may not have known about!



Knight Reads & New Books

Considering the majority of titles you can grab off of the shelves in the UCF John C. Hitt Library are academic journals and articles, it can difficult to find current, popular titles and YA novels.

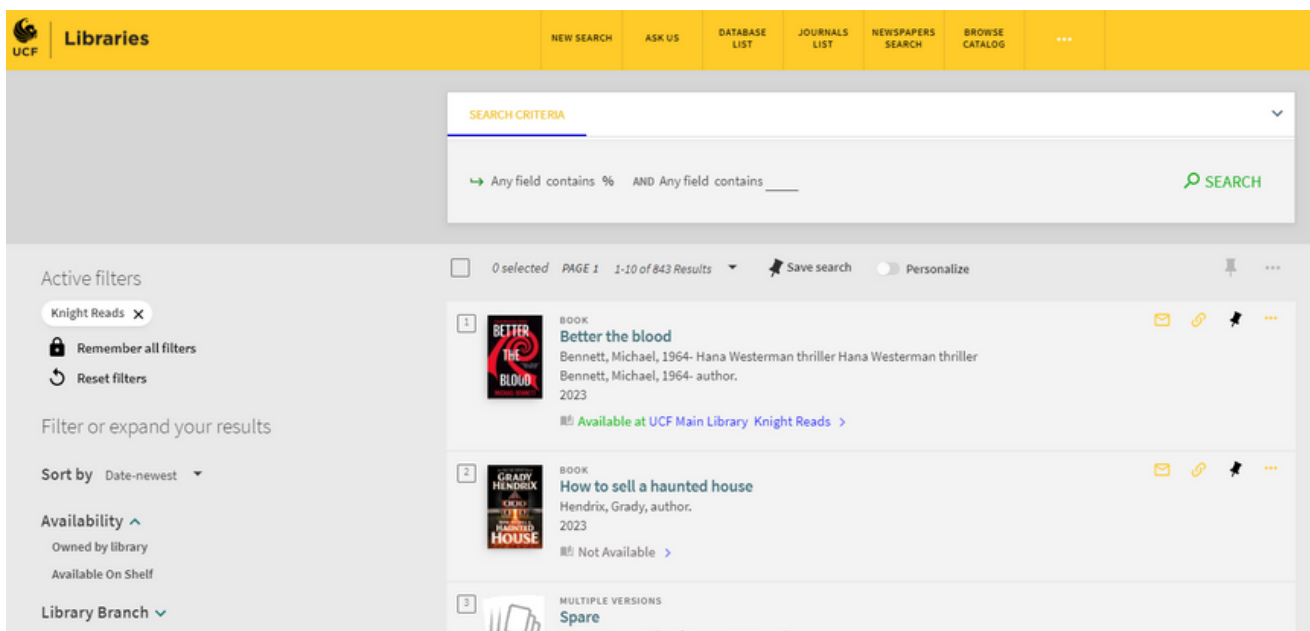
While physical access to these novels may seem impossible, UCF actually has two sections in which you can find popular titles.

Read on below to learn about Knight Reads, New Books, and how to access the catalogs for popular titles!



Located on the 2nd floor of the John C. Hitt Library, across from the Java City, the Knight Reads collection is a featured display of some of UCF's popular fiction and nonfiction collection. The collection includes some of the newest fiction, non-fiction, graphic, and YA novels.

Rather than locating this section physically, you can also [browse the entire catalog for titles](#). (click to follow the links).



If you'd rather navigate from the UCF Libraries website, you can locate Knight Reads titles by making use of the filters on the left-hand side bar. Open the "Library Section/Area" dropdown menu and select "Knight Reads".



New Books at John C. Hitt

New books enter UCF Libraries on a regular basis. At the John C. Hitt Library, the novels with the most interesting titles or timely topics are selected to feature on a display. The books range in subject from photography, science, and history to poetry and biographies.

The display is located next to the Circulation Desk, towards the Student Union entrance of the library. These books are displayed for about a week before being stored in the Automated Retrieval Center (ARC) (more on that soon!).



To browse the full catalog of new books, navigate [here](#).

If you'd rather navigate from the UCF Libraries website, you can locate New Books by making use of the filters on the left-hand side bar. Open the "Library Section/Area" dropdown menu and select "New Books 2nd Floor".



Please note that New Books specifically by UCF Faculty Authors are located on the 4th floor in the Reading Room

The John C. Hitt library is not limited to the gigantic academic journals on the 4th floor, or the CDs, microfilm, and government documents on the 1st floor.

You have access to two collections located on the 2nd floor: Knight Reads and New Books. Both of these library sections/areas house current, popular titles.

If you are looking for some of the newest fiction, non-fiction, graphic, and YA novels, please browse the catalogs and visit the displays to pick out a title!



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