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## Notes in the margin...

### Answers to your questions. . .

#### I.D. card Book check-out/renewal

Olga Nilova x8904

#### Getting an article or book not in the library

Angela Matthews x8916

#### Locating information

Beverly Gordon x8915

#### Need an article photocopied

Alisa Jackson x8957

#### Ordering a book, subscription or membership

Wilma Jacobs-Dowden x8944

#### Customized information services in your lab

Holly Miller x8905

#### E-journal access

Paula Desko x8911

#### Other questions...

Carol Feltes x8909

### New Resource ALERT

**BioMedProtocols online**  
**Methods in Molecular Biology**  
**Methods in Molecular Medicine**



## Library Responds to Need for Greater Electronic Access to Journals

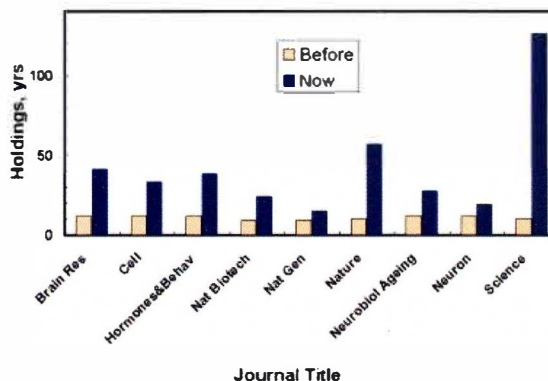
Electronic access to online journals makes access to scientific articles fast, effective, and easy. It eliminates trips to the library and time consumed locating, retrieving, and copying articles from paper-based journals. Faculty, post docs, and students made it clear that broader access to electronic resources was essential to efficient research.

A special allotment of funds made it possible recently to greatly expand the library's holdings of electronic journals. A large purchase of archival files from several major publishers now provides nearly 700 journal titles to the RU community back to vol. 1, issue 1, whenever that might have been for each title.

Nature Publishing Group (NPG) is working on completion of their digitization project. The Nature archives project will be complete back to 1950 this year, and we have already contracted for access to these volumes. We will continue to expand this important resource as the digitization project proceeds, and electronic formats become available. We also have from NPG: Nature Biotechnology, Nature Genetics, Nature Medicine and Nature Structural & Molecular Biology.

ScienceDirect (from Elsevier) is one of the library's largest collections of science journals. Now the majority of these titles in the life sciences are available in their complete runs. Collections from other notable publishers such as Oxford University Press, The Royal Society, and Wiley InterScience were also enhanced.

Among notable high impact journals added are *Science* (beginning with the first issue in 1880), *Cell*, *Molecular Cell*, and *Neuron*. There is expanded access to many of the journals in which RU scientists frequently publish: *Hormones and Behavior*, *Neurobiology of Ageing*, and *Brain Research*.



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