

## APRIL 2021 NEWSLETTER

**NEWS****Elsevier Big Deal**

[UC](#) and [CRKN](#) are apparently competing for best “North American Elsevier big deal”. The CC is hoping to benefit from their negotiating experiences.

**PRODUCT NEWS****EBSCO SportDiscus**

The CC offers discounts on index and full text versions, at different SimUser levels, including unlimited. With 43 subscribers, this is one of our most popular deals.

[More info.](#)

**NEWS****Price Freeze**

IEEE announces a price freeze on its Computer Science Digital Library package. We hope other publishers are taking note!

[More info on CSDL.](#)

**FEATURED - DIGITAL CAMPUS**

**SWANK<sup>®</sup>**  
**MOTION PICTURES, INC.**

Swank Digital Campus provides colleges and universities with the largest academic streaming collection of its kind. With over 25,000 films, documentaries and TV shows, Swank Digital Campus simplifies film distribution by providing faculty and students a legal streaming resource both on and off campus.

Digital Campus offers a DDA model that provides access to their entire catalog of films, with the ability to purchase heavily used titles at the end of each year. They also offer a database model that is less expensive, but provides more limited access and no ownership.

Both models include

- Unlimited access
- Permission to project in classrooms

**Available movies**

Pricing is available on request. This is a DIY deal, so remember to tell them that you get the CC discount.

Contact Mike Eyler ([meyler@swankmp.com](mailto:meyler@swankmp.com)) for pricing, trials, demos, and questions.

## CC Library Spotlight-

Founded in 1887, Campbell University enrolls more North Carolinians than any other private university in the nation. Campbell has the greatest CC cost avoidance (over \$13 million).

[Website](#)

## CAMPBELL UNIVERSITY WIGGINS MEMORIAL LIBRARY



### Events

The CC NC “big school” Elsevier deal subscribers will hold a discussion April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 11:00.

The 2021 CC Annual Meeting will be held via Zoom, May 11, 9-11:00 am, with a social event 1-2 that afternoon.

For a current list see

[CC Events Web Page](#)

In 2020, 1642 Carolina Consortium subscriptions were held by 143 institutions in North and South Carolina.

### Upcoming Renewals and Expirations

Most of our journal “big deals” expire at the end of this year. Because of the uncertainty surrounding library budgets, and the turbulence within the big deal environment, our negotiations are proceeding at a slower pace than usual and it is difficult to predict what the 2022 renewals might look like.

CC EBSCO Academic and subject e-book packages expire 6/30/21. Renew/cancel decisions should be made by April 30<sup>th</sup>.

## CC MEETING NEWS AND UPDATES

The May 11th, 2021 CC Annual Meeting will be open to all CC library personnel; there will be no limits on the number of attendees from each school. We will begin with the business meeting, where we will review and make any needed changes to strategies, goals, processes, and priorities. Next, we will discuss new deals and deals of special interest to the membership. We will conclude the meeting with a presentation, “Emerging from the Pandemic: Challenges and Opportunities”. The presentation will enumerate several major themes, each of which will be the subject of additional CC webinars to be held later in 2021.

On the afternoon of May 11th, we will hold a CC coffee hour. Bring your favorite afternoon beverage to this networking and socializing time. Greet old CC friends and make new ones. Join a breakout room on a collections-related topic of your choice. Lightly moderated by the CC team.

## VENDOR/PUBLISHER PARTNER WEBINARS

Our CC vendor and publisher partners will be offering a series of webinars beginning on June 7<sup>th</sup> and running through mid-August, with 2-4 sessions per week. We are allowing partners the freedom to present on any CC related product or topic, but we have limited them to 30 minutes. We will advertise the sessions to the membership through the newsletter, website, and listserv.

## NEED MORE CAROLINA CONSORTIUM INFO?

This newsletter does not contain confidential details like CC pricing, inflation rates, or usage stats for individual schools. For that reason, it is fine to share this newsletter with colleagues within or outside the CC.

CC members can request access to the CC’s detailed confidential information by sending an email request to [bucknall@uncg.edu](mailto:bucknall@uncg.edu)

If any CC library staff member would like to join the CC listserv and get more frequent and detailed updates via email, please email a request to [bucknall@uncg.edu](mailto:bucknall@uncg.edu)