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Math Liaison



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We want to hear from you! You will soon be receiving an email from Tom McNally, Dean of Libraries, with a link to an important faculty survey. This survey focuses on research, teaching, and publishing, and it seeks your perspective on a range of topics, including how you engage with and perceive the library. In particular, the survey will help the library gain insight into how our faculty members work in a rapidly changing and increasingly digital environment.

We hope you will take a few minutes from your busy schedule to assist us!

Streaming video resources for Math

[Mathematics and Chess](#)

Arthur T. Benjamin Ph.D., Johns Hopkins University Originally produced by The Teaching Company/The Great Courses in 2013

Chess is more like doing real mathematics than almost any other game out there. You'll get a quick overview of how it's played; learn how to see connections between math and chess; explore some classic chess puzzles and problems; tap into strategies and tactics for the opening, middle, and end game; and get some tips that are sure to improve your game.

[The Joy of Mathematics](#) with Professor Ian Stewart of the University of Warwick

Ian Stewart a highly prolific writer, strongly disagrees with the common view that mathematics is uninteresting, and believes that much of its bad popular reputation is simply based upon a lack of understanding as to what it is really all about.

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The University Libraries is marking national [Open Access Week](#) with two events designed to help faculty and graduate students navigate the world of scholarly communications.

October 19, 2015, 9:30-11:00 am

How to maximize exposure of your published work: an in-depth look at open access

October 21, 2015, 12:00-12:50 pm

Author Rights Brown Bag: How to Increase the Impact of Your Research and Share Your Work by Retaining Your Rights



Etgar Keret

Tuesday, October 20, 6 p.m., Hollings Library

Israeli writer Etgar Keret is internationally acclaimed for his short stories.



Check out upcoming **WORKSHOPS** in the Library. Click [here](#) for the workshop calendar.

Do you have a group interested in a workshop? Contact us at tlrefbi@mailbox.sc.edu about scheduling a session for your group.
