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### Garden of Stone: A Selection of Sculptures

*from Père-Lachaise Cemetery in Paris* is the photo exhibit with which the **Art Space @ JWU Library** will kick off the 2013-2014 academic year. The photographs by **Steve Soper**, JWU digital services department, will be on display on the second floor of the Downcity library in the Yena Center from September 3-November 25.

In addition to having the exhibit on display for viewing whenever the library is open, all students, faculty and staff are invited to the opening reception for the exhibit, which will take place in the Yena Center on **Thursday Sept. 26 from 4-6 p.m.** In a salute to the Parisian locale where the photos were taken, refreshments from *The French Tarte Patisserie* in Providence will be served ([www.frenchtarte.com](http://www.frenchtarte.com)).

**The Art Space @ JWU Library** is an initiative intended to offer unsung artists in the Johnson & Wales community a gallery-like setting for their work. An effort is made to encourage amateur artists who may never have had the opportunity previously for a public showing. JWU Library hosts three art exhibits a year. For more information on how to be a featured artist, contact librarian Ariela McCaffrey, [amccaffrey@jwu.edu](mailto:amccaffrey@jwu.edu)



Photo by Steve Soper – Sculpture of Auguste Blanqui lying on his grave by Jules Dalou (1885)



Jiehan Chen, '14 and Aarthi Sampath, '14 pose with their handiwork. Truck #2 was the winner and truck #1 the close runner up.

### Student Employees Go Wild!

... with construction paper, crepe paper and a little adhesive, that is. As the summer sessions were winding down, Harborside Library staff **Fred Brown, Lisa Spicola, and Dr. Barbara Janson**, decided to sponsor a contest for their student employees, challenging them to compete to see who could come up with the most decorative book truck. Two students took the challenge and set about decorating two different trucks. The trucks were displayed in the Friedman Center for three days so that anyone who wanted to could cast a ballot for their favorite truck. Truck #2 was the winner by four votes out of 50 ballots cast, so the margin was slim, resulting in two very attractive book trucks, plus a few laughs for Harborside Library's dedicated and hard-working students.

To create a cheerful and welcoming atmosphere for the new academic year, the book trucks are on display at the entrance to the Harborside Library. Congratulations, **Aarthi and Jiehan!**

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# Filmmaker Joins Library Reference Team

**Sarah Naomi Campbell** recently graduated with a Master's of Library & Information Studies from the University of Rhode Island and is also pursuing a master's in history at URI. Should the planets align auspiciously, she will defend her history thesis in the spring of 2014.



Sarah's interests include the ways in which librarians can help to reduce library anxiety and 'the digital divide' with respect to content creation, filmmaking, integrating digital media into the learning process, and finding ways to keep students *raucously* engaged in classroom instruction. She is absolutely thrilled to join the team at **Johnson & Wales University**, particularly as her passion lies in serving diverse communities as well as encouraging students of all backgrounds and experience to take full advantage of the opportunities available through the library.

Prior to accepting the position as reference librarian, Sarah explored reference services and digital media in information literacy at both Providence College and Brown University. Originally from Portland, Oregon, she completed her undergraduate work at UC Berkeley in English and Native American Studies, and she enjoys exploring New England year-round via her bike, *Cornelius*.

Best ways to meet Sarah: stop by the reference area of the Downcity Library after 4:30 p.m. Sundays-Wednesdays.



Take a look at this list of new additions to **JWU Library** online research databases which provide access to a rich range of information resources:

### Accounting & Tax

Numerous U.S. and international scholarly and trade publications on accounting, auditing, taxation, financial advising, governance and law

### Choice Reviews Online

For curriculum and collection developers, reviews of scholastic information resources suited to higher education

### Chronicle of Higher Education Online

Daily news, blogs, job listings and more from academia

### Communications & Mass Media

Articles and abstracts from significant scholarly publications on communications and related fields

### Morningstar

Financial information on thousands of stocks traded on the major exchanges

### PsychiatryOnline with DSM-V

Diagnostic & Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders, 5<sup>th</sup> edition.

### Statista

Thousands of statistical reports, graphs and tables on a broad range of countries, industries and topics

### VentureLine

Financial and ratio analysis for business professionals

NEW & NOTEWORTHY

#### DOWNCITY

Sun	11:00 am-12 midnight
Mon	7:30 am-12 midnight
Tue	7:30 am – 12 midnight
Wed	7:30 am – 12 midnight
Thu	7:30 a.m. – 12 midnight
Fri	7:30 a.m. – 9:00 pm
Sat	10:00 am – 8:00 pm

#### HARBORSIDE

Sun	11:00 am-12 midnight
Mon	7:30 am-12 midnight
Tue	7:30 am – 12 midnight
Wed	7:30 am – 12 midnight
Thu	7:30 a.m. – 12 midnight
Fri	7:30 a.m. – 10:00 pm
Sat	8:00 am – 7:00 pm

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