

Timely Information to a Wide Audience at LIBRIS

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It is always necessary for LIBRIS to reach out to a wide campus audience whenever there is a new service or a new resource available or an announcement to be made.

LIBRIS therefore welcomes the introduction of the advanced Public Information Display System (PIDS) located on the 2nd and 4th floors of the library building. This system displays brief but significant information in a reliable and efficient way via the PIDS of two large plasma panels.

With this new system, a web interface is used to publish information that is propagated to all the screens. Information broadcast on the PIDS can reach the staff, student teachers and external members faster than other traditional modes of communication such as posters and flyers, and in a more ecological way. It is an important means of communicating timely information to a wide audience at LIBRIS.

Each PIDS screen is divided into four regions to display four different types of information simultaneously. You will be able to appreciate an animated slideshow of interior and exterior shots of LIBRIS presented in the first region and a list of facilities at LIBRIS in the second region. The third region has been programmed to display major announcements while an upward scroller unveils a

series of headlines along with the summaries of current and upcoming events at LIBRIS & NIE in the last region. In addition, the items posted on the PIDS are updated regularly so that the information displayed is always relevant to current and forthcoming events.

Most of all, LIBRIS intends to make use of the new system for all its crucial announcements, so do keep an eye on the PIDS whenever you are at LIBRIS.

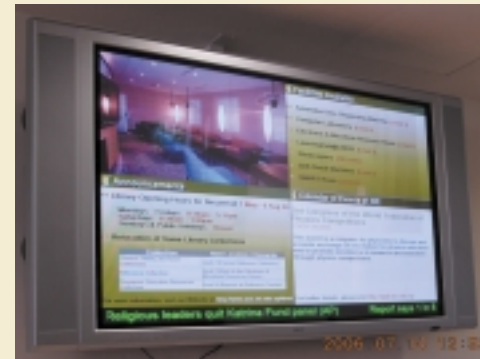


Photo slideshow of LIBRIS, a list of facilities, news & announcements, and calendar of events at NIE are displayed on the PIDS.