

WorldCat Local Release Notes – August 5, 2012

Integrated Link Resolver and A-Z List

Always display fulfillment within OpenURL link resolution

Libraries now have the option to always display ILL fulfillment options for WorldCat knowledge base holdings discovered via the OpenURL link resolution. This includes resources for which full text links are available. Please note: this feature requires OpenURL 1.0 resource sharing configuration. To find this configuration option within Service Configuration, go to My WorldCat.org and then Full Text OpenURL Resolvers (incoming requests) to make your display selection.

Link Resolution Page for Incoming Requests:

You must have a WorldCat Local subscription and have your holdings set in the WorldCat knowledge base in order for this open URL resolver page to display properly.

Copy and paste this URL into your databases in order to generate your library's OpenURLs to find full text links.

Base URL:

Bypass Landing Page

Automatically take the user to the best full text link found and skip the resolution page.

On
 Off

Always Display ILR Fulfillment

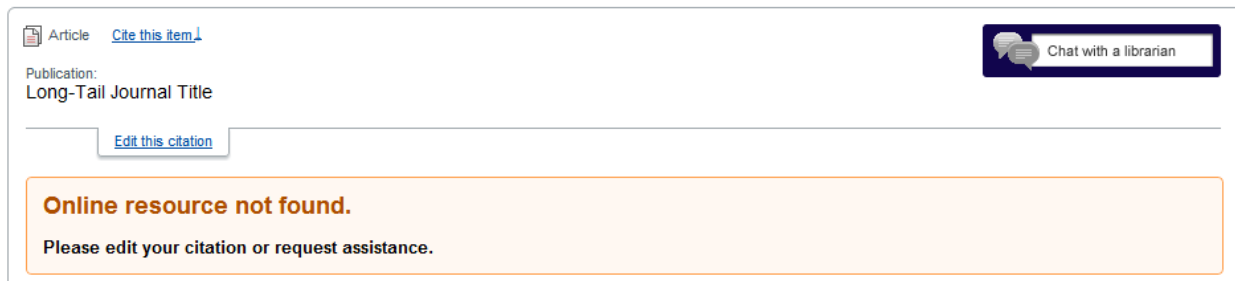
Always display a fulfillment button Yes No

Note: If you select yes, then the fulfillment button will display if you have selected OpenURL 1.0 or when there is enough information provided to create a fulfillment request.

Improvements

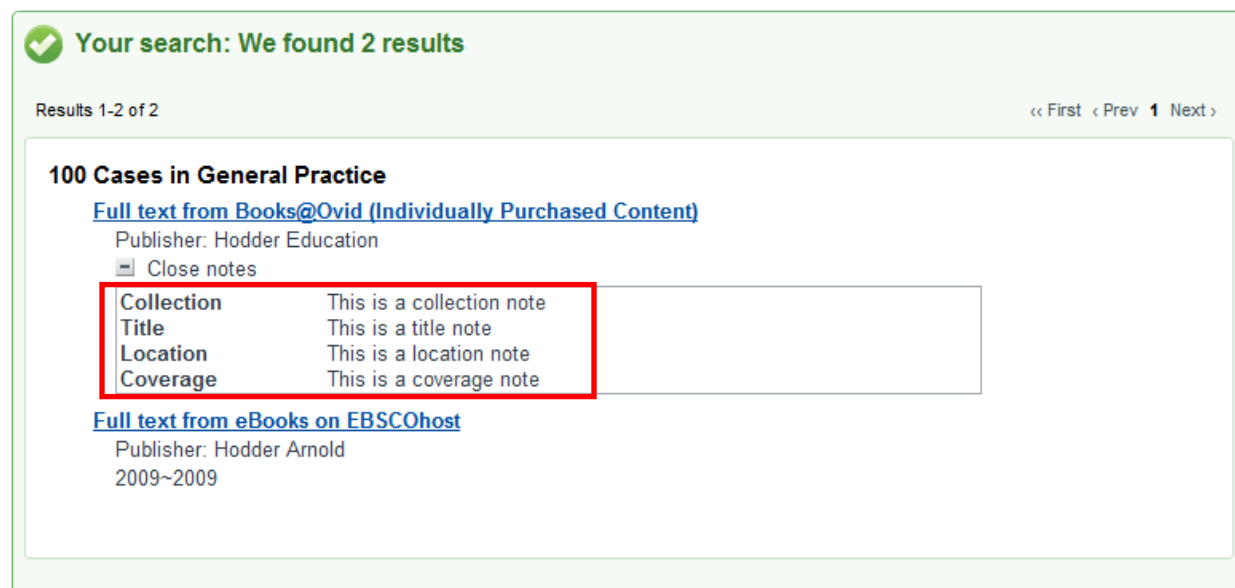
- “Resource not found” message updated, according to member library feedback, to “Online Resource Not Found. Please edit your citation or request assistance.”

Screenshot of new message



- Notes fields now display in the eBook A-Z list display. Fields affected include Location, Collection, Title, and Coverage notes.

Screenshot of notes display



Bug Fixes

- Redundant OpenURL volume parameters removed from ILL requests to enable compatibility with Relais ILL.
- Fixed an incorrectly resolving journal title name when ISSN requested is not found.
- Optimization of article “the” in journal titles for OpenURL link resolution. Specifically, a bug was occurring when the WorldCat knowledge base returned a title, e.g. “The Journal Title” instead of “Journal Title, The”, preventing the title from appearing in some searches.
- Fixed broken OpenURL requests resulting from journal titles which include certain diacritic characters.

Emailing of search results problem

The problem of emailing an item from the detailed search results page to an email address has been resolved. In the past, this feature was becoming unreliable where search results selected for emailing would not arrive to the intended email address provided. This problem has been fixed in advanced of the release. Please help test this feature to confirm the fix is working for you.

The screenshot shows the University of Alberta Libraries website interface. At the top left is the logo and name 'UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA LIBRARIES'. Below it, there's a search bar with 'Libraries to search' set to 'Libraries Worldwide' and an 'Advanced Search' link. A green notification bar states: 'Your request to send this item has been completed.' Below this, there's a link to '<< Return to Search Results'. The main content area displays search results for 'Earthquakes'. It includes a book cover, the title 'Earthquakes', author 'Franklyn Mansfield Branley; Megan Lloyd', publisher 'New York : HarperCollinsPublishers, ©2005.', series 'Let's-read-and-find-out science, Stage 2', and edition/format 'Book ; Primary school : English : Newly illustrated ed'. A summary follows: 'Read and find out about one of nature's most mysterious forces-the earthquake. Some earthquakes are so small that you don't e earthquakes happen, where they are most likely to occur, and what to do if one happens near you.' Below the search results is a section 'Find a copy in the library' for 'University of Alberta Libraries'. It shows '1 of 1 available' and a table with columns 'Location', 'Status', and 'Call number'. The table entry is: Location: University of Alberta HT Coultts Education, Status: Curriculum (with a green checkmark), Call number: QE 521.3 B72 2005. At the bottom left of this section is the 'WorldCat' logo. On the right side of the search results, there are icons for 'Cite/Export', 'Print', and 'E-mail'. The 'E-mail' icon is highlighted with a red arrow. An 'E-mail' dialog box is open, showing a form with fields for 'Enter recipient e-mail address(es):' (containing 'jdoe@myuniversity.edu'), 'Enter your name:' (containing 'Sally Smith'), 'Subject:' (containing 'A library item you might like from 65567.wd'), and 'E-mail Message:' (containing a pre-written message about the item). The dialog box has 'Send e-mail' and 'Cancel' buttons at the bottom.

General Performance Enhancements

In addition, several performance enhancements were introduced. These improvements are primarily 'behind the scenes' but overall, you should see improved response times for displaying search results and the loading of web pages in general.

New Content Additions

Since our last quarterly install, the following new content has been added to the Central Index.

Collection	Publisher
<i>Royal Society of Chemistry Journals</i>	Royal Society of Chemistry
<i>World Bank eLibrary</i>	World Bank
<i>Philosophy Documentation Center E-collection</i>	Philosophy Documentation Center
<i>ASABE Technical Library</i>	The American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers

Gale Virtual Reference Library	Gale Publishing
<i>Beacham's Guide to the Endangered Species of North America</i>	Gale Publishing
Counseling and Psychotherapy Transcripts, Client Narratives, and Reference Works	Alexander Street Press
Romantic Era Redefined	Alexander Street Press
Sixties Primary Documents and Personal Narratives 1960-1974	Alexander Street Press
Institute of Physics eJournals and Archive	IOP Publishing

As always, thank you for your continued commitment to and support of WorldCat Local, your webscale discovery service.

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