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Dear Emory graduate students,

As we shared last spring, the Emory Libraries embarked on a negotiation with the publisher Elsevier for a smaller and less expensive collection of journals that is better tailored to Emory's research and teaching and meets current budgetary reductions. We have completed the negotiation for a more sustainable collection which consists of [590 journals](#) and represents a cost savings of approximately \$655,000 for the Libraries. Thank you to all who provided us with input during this process.

Starting January 2026, Emory faculty, staff, and students will no longer have direct access to discontinued Elsevier journals. We are committed to providing efficient and quick access to needed articles from these discontinued Elsevier journals for Emory faculty, students, and staff at no cost to you. We will retain access to a significant number of discontinued Elsevier journal articles by way of other subscriptions, such as Clinical Key, purchased backfiles, and open access articles. Our new [Expedited Article Delivery](#) service has now been integrated with [Libkey](#) and will continue to allow for quick access to articles from selected discontinued journals.

Journals were reviewed by subject librarians and informationists using a variety of use, citation, publication, and open access metrics, along with community input during the 2025 spring semester. We encourage you to read these [Elsevier Journal FAQs](#) for more detail on how titles were chosen, what access we will maintain, and how we are managing alternative access to Elsevier journals.

As always, we appreciate [your input](#) and will continue to share and respond to feedback about collections needs and decisions.

Sincerely,

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