

## New and forthcoming books

The following books have recently been published and look relevant to members' interests. Please email the *eLucidate* editor if you are interested in reviewing one or more of them. If you notice a book or resource you feel would be of interest to UKeIG readers, let us know with a review or mention.

### **Personal Knowledge Management**

Individual, Organizational and Social Perspectives

Edited by David Pauleen and Gary Gorman

'This very interesting book provides a wealth of applicable ideas and practices that will benefit organizations in many and varied ways, from increasing effectively knowledge management and knowledge worker competences to raising productivity and performance levels... What is most impressive about this book is the numerous illustrations in terms of tables and figures which the authors use to illustrate concepts and processes...This is a well written book...'

Donavan A. McFarlane, *Jrnl of Business Studies Quarterly*

Ashgate, February 2011, 292 pages

Hardback 978-0-566-08892-6

### **Management Basics for Information Professionals**

G Edward Evans and Camila A. Alire

Ashgate, 3rd edition

Completely revised and expanded to reflect the rapidly changing sphere of information services, this comprehensive introduction to the management of libraries builds the basic skills good library managers must exercise. The authors offer an authoritative approach on the fundamental concepts of management while recognizing the diverse needs of different operating environments.

### **M-Libraries 4**

Mohamed Ally and Gill Needham, editors

A brand new edition of the highly successful *M-Libraries* series, this draws together cutting-edge international contributions from the leading authorities in the field. Based on the proceedings

of the Fourth International M-Libraries Conference, held in Milton Keynes in 2012, it explores the variety of work that libraries are doing across the world to deliver resources to users via mobile and hand-held devices.

September 2013; 256pp; paperback; 978-1-85604-944-3; £59.95

### **Building Mobile Library Applications**

Jason A Clark

"...recommended to anyone trying to get a grip on mobile technology and what is involved in bringing it to their library."

- *Australian Library Journal*

This complete handbook guides the reader through the process of planning, development, and launch of their own mobile library applications. In learning to build and use these applications, you can reach your users in locations where they need you the most.

Ashgate, 2012; 126pp; paperback; 978-1-85604-845-3; £34.95

### **Using Mobile Technology to Deliver Library Services: A handbook**

Andrew Walsh

"This book is a great starting point for anyone interested in using mobile technologies to deliver library services but not sure where to start. It's easy to read, the language used is jargon free, and the opportunities and challenges are fully explained. However it's not so simple that it wouldn't appeal to those who have a bit more knowledge and I can see myself consulting it regularly."

- *Refer*

Packed with easy to implement ideas, practical examples and international case studies, this provides you with the ultimate toolkit, exploring ideas as simple as renewals and reminders to the more complex such as access to ebooks and virtual worlds. Jargon-free coverage of the background and context to mobile delivery will enable you to fully understand the challenges and embrace the opportunities, getting to grips with critical issues such as what sort of services users really want.

Ashgate, 2012; 192pp; paperback; 978-1-85604-809-5; £49.95