

11-2014

## The Thinker 2.11

Amy Thompson

*Kennesaw State University*, [athompso@kennesaw.edu](mailto:athompso@kennesaw.edu)

Follow this and additional works at: [http://digitalcommons.kennesaw.edu/lib\\_news](http://digitalcommons.kennesaw.edu/lib_news)



Part of the [Library and Information Science Commons](#)

---

### Recommended Citation

Thompson, Amy, "The Thinker 2.11" (2014). *Library Newsletters*. Paper 32.  
[http://digitalcommons.kennesaw.edu/lib\\_news/32](http://digitalcommons.kennesaw.edu/lib_news/32)

This Article is brought to you for free and open access by the Horace W. Sturgis Library at DigitalCommons@Kennesaw State University. It has been accepted for inclusion in Library Newsletters by an authorized administrator of DigitalCommons@Kennesaw State University. For more information, please contact [digitalcommons@kennesaw.edu](mailto:digitalcommons@kennesaw.edu).

# The Thinker



November  
2014  
Vol. 2  
Iss. 11

May the sun bring you new energy by day,  
 May the moon softly restore you by night,  
 May the rain wash away your worries,  
 May the breeze blow new strength into your being,  
 May you walk gently through the world and know it's beauty all the days of your life.

— Apache Blessing



**November is...** Native American Heritage Month. The first American Indian Day in a state was declared on the second Saturday in May 1916 by the governor of New York. Several states celebrate the fourth Friday in September. In Illinois, for example, legislators enacted such a day in 1919. Presently, several states have designated Columbus Day as Native American Day, but it continues to be a day we observe without any recognition as a national legal holiday. In 1990 President George H.W. Bush approved a joint resolution designating November 1990 "National American Indian Heritage Month." Similar proclamations, under variants on the name (including "Native American Heritage Month" and "National American Indian and Alaska Native Heritage Month") have been issued each year since 1994.

~ www.http://nativeamericanheritagemonth.gov

## MEET THE STAFF - CHRIS SHARPE

**What I Do:** I am the Government Documents librarian. I manage the U.S. government depository collection and assist people with questions related to government information. I also teach library instruction sessions and work at the research clinic.

**About Me:** I'm married with one son (5 years old) and one daughter (2 years old). We also have one cat. I have a B.A. in History and a Master of Public Administration from KSU.

I was an assistant English teacher in Japan for 3 years.

**My Best Book Memory:** In middle school my friends and I were constantly reading fantasy and techno-thrillers (e.g. Tom Clancy). It was a great time of talking about the characters or plot and recommending other books to read.

**Fun Facts:** My favorite team is the Braves. I've practiced Tai Chi, Hapkido, and Shorinji Kempo. I was on a bowling team in high school. I attended Pope High School in Marietta. Go Greyhounds!



## Featured Database



Emerald Insight offers articles and case studies from Emerald's international portfolio of journals. As one of the leading publishers of management research, many of these scholarly journals focus on putting theory into practice. Our Emerald e-journal collection features journals in the areas of management, information science, engineering, and technology. Need assistance? Ask-A-Librarian!



According to the USDA

# \$2,375,000,000

Total US Spending on Thanksgiving Dinner Food



Join us Saturday, November 15th at 1 PM to 5 PM for **International Games Day** here in the Sturgis Library, OwlSpace2. We will have board and card games and light snacks. Please feel free to bring your own games. Southern Polytechnic's Johnson Library is also hosting Games Day Event on November 15th from 11 AM to 6 PM. They will feature board and card games as well as video games and LARP. See their website for more information: <http://www.spsu.edu/igamesday/>



Be the first to answer this question by messaging our Facebook page to be eligible for a prize.

*"What was the name of the elementary school that the first KSU librarians worked from until the campus library opened in the 1960s?"*

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Kennesaw-State-University-Sturgis-Library>

Have a question or comment about this newsletter?  
Email [libraryreference@kennesaw.edu](mailto:libraryreference@kennesaw.edu)