

Stanley L. Ring Memorial Library: New acquisitions

Note: A few videos are available in both VHS and DVD format. New videos will generally be in DVD format.

The library recently began using the U.S. Postal Service for sending orders. This change will result in important savings for CTRE, but ordered materials will not arrive as quickly. If you have an urgent need for library materials, please let us know when you place your order so we can arrange for faster delivery.

DVDs

DVD57 Who Moved my Cheese?

This 90-minute animated video is based on the book of the same name and shows the need for adapting to change in your work and your life.

DVD58 Jacqueline

This 15-minute video was made by the Ames Police Department to raise awareness of the dangers of drinking and driving. It shows the devastating impacts of an OWI crash on the driver and the innocent victim.

DVD63 Chain Saw Safety, Maintenance, and Operation

This one-hour video provides information on how to properly use and care for a chain saw. Multiple chapters cover protective apparel and chain saw features, maintenance, sharpening procedures, and proper operation.

DVD67 Highway Safety and Trees: The Delicate Balance

This 12-minute video explores the issue of safe placement of trees along roadsides. It stresses that the design of highway projects should be a cooperative effort involving the highway agency, concerned communities, organizations, and individual citizens that provides opportunities for all parties to recognize the benefits and risks associated with trees.

DVD95 A Snowplow Operator's Guide to Snow and Ice Equipment

This interactive DVD contains short video clips and interactive elements for snow plow operators to learn about or review snow and ice fighting equipment types, maintenance, inspection, and operation. Operators can review individual equipment and techniques at their own pace and then test their knowledge using the included interactive quizzes. Reviewing the entire DVD takes about four hours and requires a Windows-based computer with a mouse.

CD-ROM

CR83 High Performance Materials Training

This set of two CDs contains PowerPoint presentations from these seminars on high performance materials:

- Corrosion Resistant Rebar
- Fiber Reinforced Polymer (FPR) Composite Bridge Technology
- High Performance Concrete (HPC)
- High Performance Steel
- Accelerated Bridge Construction/Prefabricated Bridge Element

Order LTAP library materials in three ways:

- Order online, www.ctre.iastate.edu/library/search.cfm.
- Contact Jim Hogan, library coordinator, 515-294-9481, hoganj@iastate.edu, fax 515-294-0467.
- Mail or fax the order form on the back cover of *Technology News*.

Conference calendar

February 2007

7-9	Iowa Concrete Paving Association Annual Workshop	Des Moines	ICPA Office 515-963-0606
16	District No. 3 Workshop	Sioux City	Denise Wagner 515-294-5798 aleopold@snyder-associates.com

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2	District No. 4 Workshop	Council Bluffs	Denise Wagner 515-294-5798 aleopold@snyder-associates.com
16	District No. 5 Workshop	Ottumwa	Denise Wagner 515-294-5798 aleopold@snyder-associates.com
30	District No. 6 Workshop	Iowa City	Denise Wagner 515-294-5798 aleopold@snyder-associates.com

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