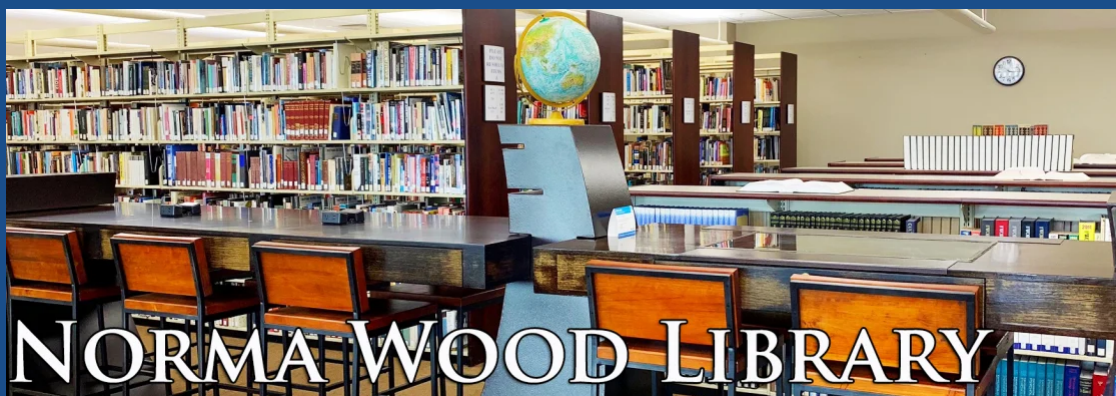


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NORMA WOOD LIBRARY



What's happening in
the Library...

The Library is Open!



FACE COVERINGS ARE REQUIRED
TO KEEP YOU SAFE

While COVID-19 precautions have changed the way some areas of the library are used, we are still here to help students in any way we can and provide spaces and resources to help you achieve success at ASUMH. There are three single-person use conference rooms that students can reserve in the library if you need a private space to study or attend a class via zoom. Desktop computers and printing are available in the library's computer lab. We also have multiple study desks (spaced appropriately) for use throughout the library. Disposable earbuds are available on request for listening in the library. While access to the books and video shelving has been restricted to library staff only, you can still check out items. Simply tell us what item you want and we will grab it for you. For those who prefer not to come inside the library, we are offering curbside pickup!



Got Questions? Have a live zoom session with library staff!

The ASUMH library staff offers live zoom sessions to help students with any questions they might have about using library resources, searching the databases, using Blackboard or the ASUMH portal, and many other school-related matters. Simply fill out the [request form](#) to schedule your session. For a brief overview to getting started with Blackboard, you can check out this [video](#).

Introduction to using Blackboard for ASUMH stude...



Test Prep, College Prep, and Career Prep @ ASUMH

Did you know that the library offers access to a test preparation service that any ASUMH student can use? [PrepStep from LearningExpress](#) offers test prep assistance for college study skills as well as entrance exams for programs (like HESI for nursing) and career certifications such as PRAXIS, NCLEX, CDL, Social Work, Civil Service, and more. In addition to test prep, it offers the chance to brush up on your core math, science, English, and basic computer skills as well. PrepStep can also offer resources to help prepare you for a new career with resume, cover letter, and interview tips. Tons of great resources all in one place!

Featured Database

eBooks @ ASUMH

The library provides students access to over 300,000 full text ebooks online, available from two ebook sources: [eBook Central](#) on

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How to find eBooks at ASUMH



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This Months Book Selection...

The Preserve

Meeting Time: 12:00 AM - 1:00 PM

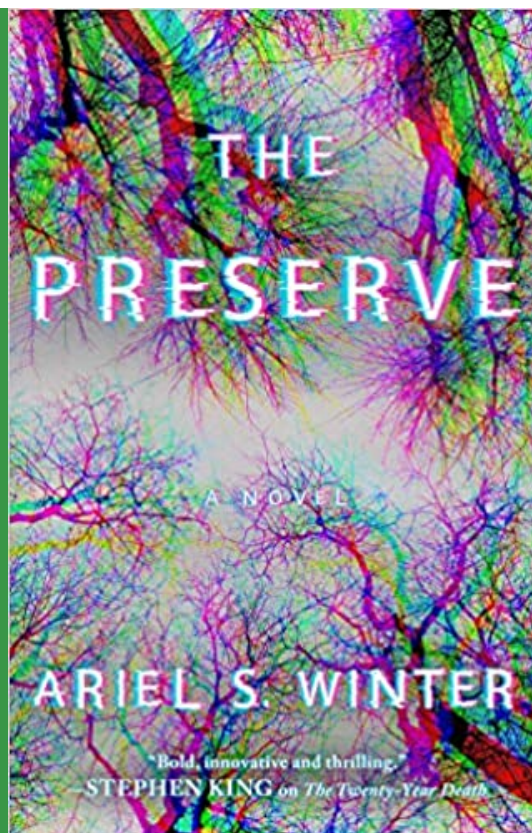
Meeting Date: Friday, January 29th, 2020

Via Zoom

Decimated by plague, the human population is now a minority. Robots—complex AIs almost indistinguishable from humans—are the ruling majority. Nine months ago, in a controversial move, the robot government opened a series of preserves, designated areas where humans can choose to live without robot interference. Now the preserves face their first challenge: someone has been murdered.

Chief of Police Jesse Laughton on the SoCar Preserve is assigned to the case. He fears the factions that were opposed to the preserves will use the crime as evidence that the new system does not work. As he digs for information, robots in the outside world start turning up dead from bad drug-like programs that may have originated on SoCar land. And when Laughton learns his murder victim was a hacker who wrote drug-programs, it appears that the two cases might be linked. Soon, it's clear that the entire preserve system is in danger of collapsing. Laughton's former partner, a robot named Kir, arrives to assist on the case, and they soon uncover shocking secrets revealing that life on the preserve is not as peaceful as its human residents claim. But in order to protect humanity's new way of life, Laughton must solve this murder before it's too late.

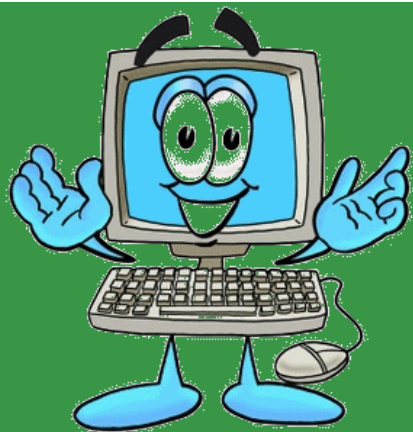
The Preserve is a fresh and futuristic mystery that is perfect for fans of *Westworld* and *Blade Runner*.



ASUMH Book Club

Do you like to read? How about joining the ASUMH Book Club? Each month we will select a book to read and then we will discuss the book. It's a great way to meet new people, share a love for reading, learn about new things and relax! Click on the button below if you would like to join.

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Did you know the library has a website dedicated to informing you what we have new in the library? Keep up with what we have, click on the link marked "New Arrivals Website" above.

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