

Upcoming Discussion on The Cost of Textbooks

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On Thursday, October 23, 2014 from noon to 1 p.m. in the University Student Center, the [Poynter Library](#) and USFSP Student Government will be sponsoring a panel discussion on the [Rising Cost of Textbooks](#) : What's the Answer? There will be four panelists who will each be addressing the issue from a different perspective:

- Mr. Jay Hartfield, Manager, USFSP Barnes & Noble Campus Bookstore (the bookstore perspective)
- Dr. Han Reichgelt, Regional Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs, USFSP (the faculty and administrative perspective)
- Ms. Tina Neville, Head of Library Research and Instruction, Poynter Library (the Library perspective)
- Mr. Juan Salazar, Student Government Representative and Psychology Major (the student perspective)

I will take five minutes to introduce the topic and the panelists. Each panelist will then have five minutes to outline their perspective. After all panelists have spoken, those in attendance will be encouraged to share their comments and questions.

This discussion is one of a series of events being sponsored by the [Poynter Library](#) in commemoration of [International Open Access Week](#) and it is also one of the regular Lunch & Learn Series coordinated by the [Division of Student Affairs](#). All students, faculty, and administrators will be invited and encouraged to share their experiences.