

# Koha Open Source Integrated Library System

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# What is Open Source?

- ▶ "If you have an apple and I have an apple and we exchange apples, then you and I will still each have one apple. But if you have an idea and I have an idea and we exchange these ideas, then each of us will have two ideas."
  - ▶ Attributed to Bernard Shaw
- ▶ Open Source is about community, sharing, openness, and free and open access to information & ideas!



# What is Koha?

- ▶ Koha is the first open source ILS developed in 1999 and released in 2000
- ▶ Koha is managed by a worldwide community of developer and users who love libraries
- ▶ Koha is a fully featured web-based ILS
  - Includes all the modules you need to run your library: Circulation, Patron Management, Cataloging, Acquisitions, Serials, Reports and various tools





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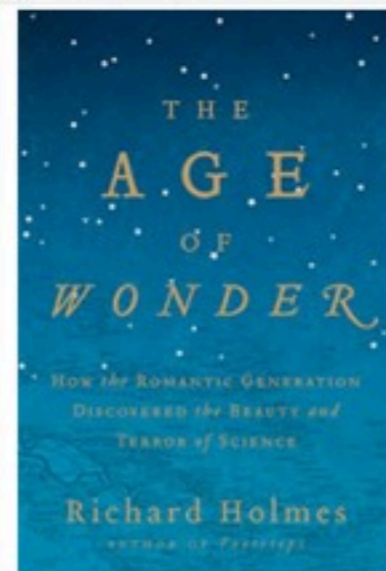
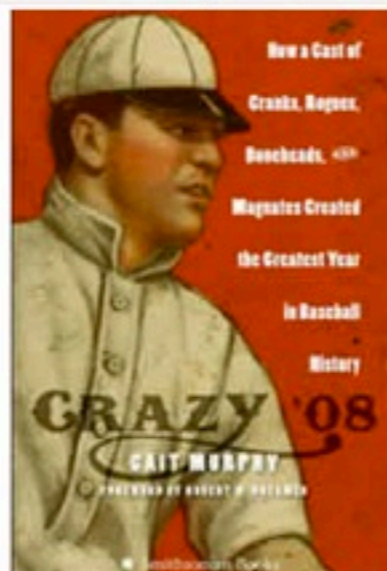
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Some great new items at the library. Click on the image to read more!



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