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## Duke University Press announces 2010 pricing, no increase for e-books collection

Duke University Press is pleased to announce that the 2010 pricing of the e-Duke Books Scholarly Collection will not increase from the 2009 rates. The collection is hosted on the ebrary® platform and provides online access to at least 100 new scholarly books published by Duke University Press in the humanities and social sciences in a calendar year. The tiered pricing model for the collection is based on an institution's 2005 Carnegie Classification (U.S. only).

“We know our library partners are facing a tough economic climate this year, and there is no guarantee that it will look better next year,” says Michael McCullough, sales manager at Duke University Press. “We’ve decided to keep our prices for the e-Duke Books Scholarly Collection at the 2009 level out of consideration for library budgets.”

Libraries will also be able to purchase electronic books on a title-by-title basis beginning this summer. “We want to offer libraries as many options as possible,” adds McCullough. “We know that buying an entire collection doesn’t fit all institutions’ needs and budgets.” Libraries can buy individual e-books—to be hosted on the ebrary platform, like the collection—from YBP or Blackwell or directly from ebrary, with more vendor options to be announced in the near future.

For more information about the e-Duke Books Scholarly Collection, please visit [dukeupress.edu/library](http://dukeupress.edu/library).

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