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**GREENWOOD AND YBP LIBRARY SERVICES ENTER PARTNERSHIP
YBP Library Services, a Baker and Taylor Company, to Sell Greenwood Online
Databases**

Westport, CT – January 21, 2009 Greenwood, a publishing imprint of ABC-CLIO, recently announced that it has entered into an agreement with YBP Library Services, a Baker & Taylor Company and the largest provider of materials to the academic market, in which YBP Library Services will act as its non-exclusive agent for the sale of Greenwood’s online databases in the United States. Libraries interested in the Greenwood databases may contact YBP Library Service’s dedicated internal staff, who will work closely with Greenwood to facilitate orders and inquiries, including the gathering of licensing information, trial availability, and follow-up on orders placed on any of the acclaimed Greenwood online databases.

“Partnering with Baker & Taylor’s YBP Library Services is a great way for us to reach a broader audience, and maximize exposure and sales of our terrific online resources,” said Ron Maas, Vice President at Greenwood. “We’re looking forward to helping provide librarians with an easier, more streamlined way to access our electronic references.”

“YBP Library Services is continuously working to provide our customers with resources that benefit libraries and their patrons,” said Mark Kendall, Senior Vice President of Sales at YBP Library Services. “The outstanding quality and value of the Greenwood online databases makes this offering a perfect complement to our mission of providing libraries with the best total solution to their unique and evolving needs.”

Greenwood’s electronic reference offerings include the critically praised Pop Culture Universe, the Daily Life Online family, and the award-winning American Mosaic suite, which includes the recently launched American Indian Experience.

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ABC-CLIO's corporate headquarters is located in Santa Barbara, CA, with offices in Denver, CO, and Oxford, England. For more information, visit the ABC-CLIO website at: www.abc-clio.com.

About YBP Library Services

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