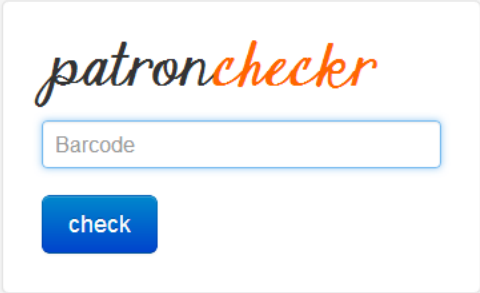# patroncheckr
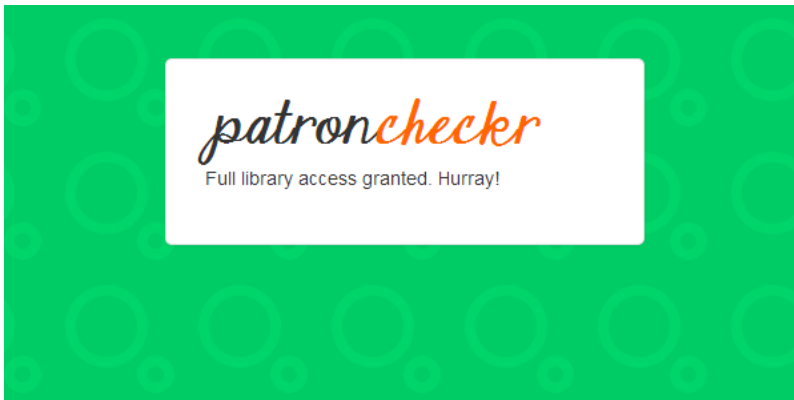
patroncheckr is a small web app that allows a CUNY campus library to determine whether a patron has the appropriate access privileges to enter the library based on patron's status in the Ex Libris Aleph ILS. It is available at http://ols.cuny.edu/checkr/

Accepts a barcode as input:

Returns a color-coordinated response:

Library Friends from CUNY CENTRAL do not have visitation or borrowing privileges at this library. Access is denied.

Possible responses:

"Go"
- Full library access granted. Hurray!

"Yield"
- Patron should visit the Circulation Desk to discuss fines on the account.
- Patron should visit the Circulation Desk -- account expired on [EXPIRATION DATE].

"Stop"
- [BORROWER STATUS] from [HOME LIBRARY] do not have visitation or borrowing privileges at this library. Access is denied.
- Barcode does not exist in the database. Patron should visit their home library's Circulation Desk.

The following variables are available for potential inclusion in the above messages:
- Patron's barcode
- Patron's Aleph expiration date
- Patron's borrower status
- Patron's debit/credit status
- Patron's home library
- This library (determined by IP)

Sample barcodes

29999000291443   (Green – access granted)
29999000291450   (Red, not in system – access denied)
29999000291435   (Red, in system but no access to non-home libraries – access denied at non-CSI library)
29999000291427   (Yellow, account expired – patron should visit circulation desk for more info)
29999000291419   (Yellow, owes library fines – patron should visit circulation desk to discuss fines)