

Fridays @ the Library Workshops

Workshops offered simultaneously in two formats:

Face-to-face (Rm. 213, 2nd Floor, Ellis Library) and live online*

Registration preferred: tinyurl.com/MULibrariesworkshops

Staying Ahead of the Curve

Sept. 1 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

University Libraries has a variety of tools, information resources, collections, and services to assist with your instruction and research. Learn how other faculty and students are using the Libraries, and how they can best benefit you.

*Kimberly Moeller,
Social Sciences Librarian*

Demystifying the Literature Review

Sept. 8 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Discover methods of conceptualizing and organizing your research for an analytically strong literature review, and hear about the messy experience of researching and drafting a dissertation literature review.

*Rachel Brekhus, Humanities Librarian
Tim Perry, Special Collections Librarian*

Search Techniques for the Literature Review

Sept. 15 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Get the results you want by learning key features of database searching. We'll focus on practical techniques that save you time and effort in gathering sources for your literature review. Key interdisciplinary databases will be featured.

*Rebecca Graves,
Health Sciences Librarian
Taira Meadowcraft,
HSL Informational Services Librarian*

How to Fact-Check & Verify the News

Sept. 22 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

It is your responsibility as a news consumer to be critical and skeptical. This session will share fact-checking and verification techniques to assist you in determining whether what you are reading online is fact or fake.

*Sandy Schiefer,
Missourian Newspaper Librarian*

Special Collections & Archives (Rm 401 Ellis Library, in-person only)

Sept. 29 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Learn how to find rare and unique materials in Special Collections and University Archives, and integrate them into research and teaching. Explore physical and digitized resources, as well as strategies for conducting primary source research.

*Tim Perry, Special Collections Librarian
Gary Cox, Public Services Archivist*

EndNote (in-person only)

Oct. 6 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Endnote is a powerful program for storing citation data and producing in-text citations and bibliographies in thousands of standard and journal-specific formats. Learn how to put this tool to work for your academic writing.

Michael Muchow, Humanities Librarian

Mendeley (in-person only)

Oct. 13 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Mendeley is a free reference manager that produces citations and bibliographies. It organizes your PDFs into a fully searchable database, allows you to annotate those PDFs, and share them with colleagues. Mendeley is also a social network, helping you discover researchers who share interests and see the papers that interest them.

Michael Muchow, Humanities Librarian

Zotero (in-person only)

Oct. 20 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Zotero is a free, simple, open-source tool for organizing, managing and formatting bibliographic citations. Learn to extract citations from PDFs and web pages at the click of a button, and create in-text references and bibliographies.

*Rachel Brekhus,
Research Services Librarian*

Maximizing Your Research Identity

Oct. 27 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Utilize ORCID, Google Scholar Profile, MOspace, h-index, impact factors and more to maximize your professional impact. Learn how to set up accounts and make these tools work for you.

*Rebecca Graves,
HSL Educational Services Librarian
Janice Dysart, Science Librarian*

Open Educational Resources (OER)

Nov. 3 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Are your students struggling with the cost of course materials? OER are free, openly licensed educational materials that provide alternatives to traditional textbooks. Learn more about campus resources that can help you find, create, and use high-quality OER.

Grace Atkins, Outreach Librarian

I've Gotta Teach! Putting Together a Syllabus (Rm 114A, Ellis Library)

Nov. 10 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

Join a diverse panel of instructors in a discussion of strategies for choosing relatable and appropriate course materials and building a syllabus around them.

*Noel Kopriva, Science Librarian,
Moderator*

Semester Wrap-Up

Dec. 1 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

All Fridays @ the Library participants are invited to join librarians and archivists in a lively discussion of the workshop series. This is your chance to ask for new topics, suggest changes, and reconnect with fellow researchers. Refreshments provided.

*University Libraries Instruction
Committee*

*Unless otherwise directed

Workshop recordings at:

libraryguides.missouri.edu/ecordingsandtutorials



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