Library Services for Graduate Students

https://library.oregonstate.edu/

Research Help

Contact Your Librarian – Talk to your librarian about finding sources for a literature review, getting hard-to-find articles or books, or setting up library instruction for your students

Not sure who your librarian is? Check the librarian list at: https://library.oregonstate.edu/staff/college-dept

Drop-In Research Consultations
Meet with representatives from the IRB Office, Graduate Writing Center, and the Department of Statistics for consultations at the Graduate Student Commons located on the 6th floor of the library. Contact grad.commons@oregonstate.edu.

Research Tools & Services

Find Articles and Books http://search.library.oregonstate.edu/
Search OSU Libraries for books, articles, and journals—from OSU and the PNW.

Interlibrary Loan (ILL) https://library.oregonstate.edu/ill
Use interlibrary loan when the materials, such as articles, you need are not available from OSU. Interlibrary loan allows you to obtain materials for free from libraries across the US and around the globe.

Databases http://guides.library.oregonstate.edu/az.php
Search for citations, full-text of articles, statistics and other content in one of the many OSU Libraries subscription databases.

Off-campus Access to OSU Libraries’ E-Resources
Access most of OSU Libraries’ online resources, including databases and electronic journals, from off campus via the library’s website. You will need to login in with your ONID for access.

ScholarsArchive@OSU http://ir.library.oregonstate.edu
Archive your scholarly output, such as your thesis or a dataset, and get stable, permanent URLs.

Learning at the Library

How to Manage Your Data
Tips on creating data management plans and tools for managing your data.

Workshops and Seminars
http://bit.ly/graduate-workshops
Offered each term. Example topics include Zotero, EndNote, Researching the Literature Review, Qualtrics, LaTeX, and Git.

Library Hours (during the term)

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(for intersession and holiday hours, visit the library home page)

Cool Tools & Services

Scan and Deliver https://library.oregonstate.edu/ill/scan-deliver
Request print articles or book chapters from OSU libraries and receive them via email.

3D Printing https://guides.library.oregonstate.edu/3Dprinting
Available to all OSU members—print your own designs.

Group and Personal Study Rooms http://rooms.library.oregonstate.edu
Reserve group study rooms at the circulation desk or use the online form to reserve in advance.

Presentation Rooms
Reserve a classroom or presentation room for thesis or dissertation defenses. Visit library.oregonstate.edu/reserve-room for classroom reservation guidelines or visit Student Multimedia Services at https://is.oregonstate.edu/sms/multimedia-studios for high-tech studio reservations.

Graduate Student Commons
https://guides.library.oregonstate.edu/graduate-student-commons
Access statistics consulting, graduate writing center, IRB consultation and career development services. Reserve long term research rooms, small group rooms, or Classroom 6420, Lounge and study in the Yunker and Whiteley Memorial Reading Room with fellow graduate students.
Computers in the Library

**Learning Commons**
The Learning Commons on the main floor of the library has many computers that give OSU students access to a variety of software and research databases. Software includes MS Office and ArcGIS Desktop.

**Wireless access in the Library**
http://oregonstate.edu/helpdocs/wireless/
Log on to the OSU Access wireless network.

**Library Laptops**
https://library.oregonstate.edu/laptops
Check out a laptop for 1 day or 1 week. You can use them inside or outside the library.

**Student Multimedia Services**
http://is.oregonstate.edu/sms
Provides multimedia facilities, equipment (such as laptops and video cameras), tech support, and poster printing for OSU students. Rooms to practice thesis defense presentations are reserved here as well.

ONID in the Library
http://www.onid.orst.edu/
Your ONID account is essential for full access to library services. You will need your ONID information in order to:

- login to the library’s computers
- charge printing in the library to your OSU account
- register for Interlibrary Loan
- gain access to your ONID home directory (a handy place to store your work)

Help Online at the Library

**Ask a Librarian**
541-737-7293
https://library.oregonstate.edu/reference
Chat with an OSU Librarian online between 10 a.m.–5 p.m. Monday–Friday, or email for help any time.

**Research Guides**
http://guides.library.oregonstate.edu/
Learn about a wide variety of library resources and skills from how to use Zotero, to how to get started on a data management plan, to what Open Access means.

**Graduate Student Services: Quick Links**
https://guides.library.oregonstate.edu/graduateservices

Studying in the Library

**Quiet Areas**
The 6th floor is designated a quiet space and the 1st floor is the silent floor.

**Our Little Village**
541-737-4906
http://oregonstate.edu/childcare/ourlittlevillage
Free childcare is available to students while they remain within the library.

**Oral Exam Prep Study Rooms**
https://library.oregonstate.edu/research-rooms
Reserve a room for 90 days to prepare for oral exams or after completion of orals.

**Group & Individual Study Rooms**
https://library.oregonstate.edu/reserve-room
Grad students can reserve and use rooms for up to 6 hours.

Checking Out in the Library

**Circulation**
541-737-7254
https://library.oregonstate.edu/borrowing/loan-periods
Graduate students check out books and bound journals for 180 days. Renewal every 6 months with a maximum of 2 years. You must have your OSU ID card.

**Course Reserves**
https://library.oregonstate.edu/reserves
Checkout periods for course reserves are 3 hours, 1 day, or 2 days at the instructor’s discretion (no renewals). Find reserve materials via 1Search (https://library.oregonstate.edu/). Ask for and check them out at the Circulation Desk.

**Lockers**
Keys available for check-out at the Circulation Desk.

**Board Games**
https://library.oregonstate.edu/board-games
Take a break—over 200 games available for check out.