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Library 1

Working with Sources (1 Unit)

Introduction to using sources as supporting documentation in a college-level research project. Teaches the skills needed to successfully find, evaluate, use, cite, and document information using library and open web sources. Focus on identifying appropriate sources and proper use of sources. Students will learn to distinguish between source types, how to avoid plagiarism, and how to use sources in their research projects.

LIBR 1 is a part of the Umoja Learning Community and **meets Wednesdays from 12:30pm-1:20pm** during the Fall Semester. For more information, or to register for the course, please contact Kimberly Burks at kburks@laspositascollege.edu.

LIBR 1 is also a part of the Puente Learning Community and meets Mondays from 12:30pm-1:20pm during the Fall Semester. For more information, or to register for the course, please contact Rafael Valle at RValle@laspositascollege.edu.

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Library 4

College Research Tech

Introduction to basic research library. Focus on use of the strategies, organization of

reference, faculty reserves, circulating books, audiovisuals, use of reference materials, evaluation of relevant resources, recognition of plagiarism, and bibliographic citation of books, audiovisuals, and magazines and journals


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BOOKS, AUDIOVISUALS, and MAGAZINES and JOURNALS.

Offered during Fall & Spring Semesters

Meets 3 Fridays from 10am-12:50pm in Fall; Varies during Spring

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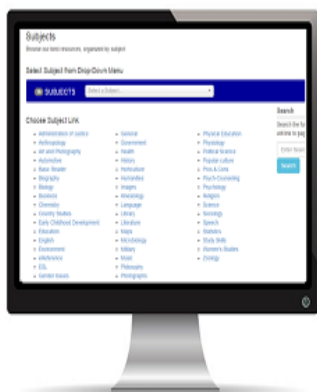
College Research and Databases (.5 Units)

Introduction to research techniques in a college library using general research databases. Focus on campus and remote use of multi-disciplinary research databases, search strategies, distinction between scholarly journals and popular magazines, evaluation of relevant resources, recognition of plagiarism, and bibliographic citation of articles from magazine, journal, and newspaper databases.

Offered during Fall Semesters

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Library 6


Research in Special Subjects

Introduction to college library specific subject area. Focus on subject databases, emphasis on electronic resources, search strategies, evaluation of relevant resources, distinction between scholarly journals and popular magazines, and bibliographic citation of materials.

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Library 7

The Open Web and Search Engines

Introduction to research techniques in a college library using search engines to find materials on the open web. Focus on use of the open web for research purposes, including web search strategies, appropriate search engines and directories, evaluation techniques for web resources, recognition of plagiarism, and bibliographic citation of web resources.

Offered during Spring Semesters

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Library 8


Research and Information Literacy (2 Units)

Introduction to research techniques using college library resources. Teaches the skills needed to successfully find, evaluate, and document information in print, electronic, and Internet formats. Covers plagiarism, the ethical and legal aspects of information use, and the critical thinking skills necessary for successful college research.

Offered during Fall Semesters

**Short term class; See course
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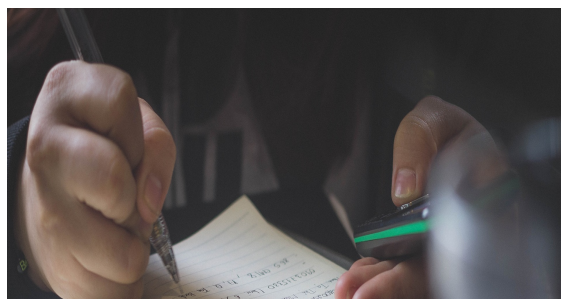
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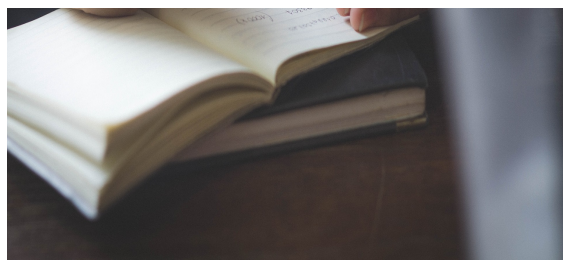
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Library 29

Independent Study (.5 - 2 Units)


Supervised study in the area of Library Studies. Any student interested in registering for LIBR 29 should contact Kali Rinnel at krinnel@laspositascollege.edu no later than



Run Rippet at Rippet@laspositascollege.edu no later than the last day of the tenth week of instruction.

Offered during Fall & Spring Semesters

Email Instructor

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