University of Queensland
Library Services for HDR Students

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Libraries

UQ has libraries on each of the campus locations.

*Campus Libraries*

**Herston** – Herston Health Sciences Library

**Mater** – Mater McCauley Library

**PACE** – PACE Library

**St Lucia** – Including:
  - Dorothy Hill Science and Engineering
  - Social Sciences

**Gatton** – Gatton Library

**Rural Clinical School Libraries** –

Toowoomba, Bundaberg, Hervey Bay, Rockhampton

* Hours and locations can be found on the library homepage.
Finding materials in the library

Everything can be found via the UQ Library Search tool.
Search results

Use the limits on the left hand side of the screen to limit to the types of resources you are after.
Starting Out – What do you need to know?

The UQ Library page has a lot of information available. Using the navigation bar along the top you can drill down.

Library services

- Pages for researchers and students
- Room Bookings
- Training

Research Tools and Techniques

- Databases
- Subject Guides
- Referencing Style Guides
- Referencing Software

Borrowing & requesting

- Overdues
- Document delivery
Research Support
For Researchers

Services for researchers

- For HDR candidates
- Researcher systems
- Guides for researchers

Discover services to support your research

- **Plan**: Familiarise yourself with core library services and prepare for future stages.
- **Project**: Find relevant information and manage your research data responsibly.
- **Publish**: Determine where to publish and make your publications open access.
- **Promote**: Understand your research impact and increase your visibility.
Borrowing

Research Postgraduates can borrow an **Unlimited** number of items and the standard loan length is **84 days**

Books can also be requested from other branch libraries.

Library Spaces

Spaces exist on all campuses – group rooms or single study spaces
Room bookings can be made from Library services on the Library web page
Rooms can be booked for up to 3 hours

Afterhours access is available as well see the link under locations and hours for 24/7 study spaces

https://web.library.uq.edu.au/locations-hours/247-study-spaces
Once logged in My Library will appear and the following details can be accessed.

- Manage Loans (Borrowing)
- Room Bookings
- Printing Credit
- Library Chat (via Ask Us)
- Document Delivery
- Can also bookmark resources from Library Search
Your Library Account

- Loans
- Fines
- Borrowing history
- Important messages
Requesting

Book that are requested will go to the hold shelf of your “Home Library” and stay for 7 Days.
You will be notified when they arrive
Others can request books that you have on loan.
Recalled books are due earlier than originally stated.
Document Delivery

Document delivery allows you to request items that are not held locally. This may mean the items are not in the collection or they exist at another library branch within UQ.

To request an item follow the links from Research Support and select Request document delivery

What can be requested:

- Journal articles from journals not held
- Journal articles from journals held in other branch libraries
- Books and book chapters from books not held at UQ
E-resources for research

Databases include:
• PubMed/Medline
• Embase
• PsycINFO
• Cochrane Library
• InfoRMIT
• Web of Science
• And more…

Find all of the databases under Research tools & techniques

UQ eSpace - UQ research and thesis online repository can be found at:
http://espace.library.uq.edu.au/
Referencing

Citing source material requires the correct use of referencing styles.

The UQ library has a number of guides and additional information to help you cite different types of material. The guide can be found under Research tools & techniques on the library home page.
Referencing software

Collect references from a variety of sources like research databases, online journals and web sources.

Use stored references in standardised styles (Harvard, Vancouver etc.) within Word documents. This automatically creates bibliographies and in-text citations.

Links to downloads and further information are available under Referencing software within Research tools & techniques on the library home page.
**EndNote**

Endnote is a reference management software that is freely available via the UQ library for staff and students.

The download is available via:


Training in EndNote is available through regular library training classes. The details are available under **Library services → Training** on the library home page. *(There are classes on endnote for thesis writing)*
Research Data Management

Research Data Management covers the planning, collecting, organising, managing, storage, security, backing up, preserving, and sharing your data.

UQ research Data Management Policy

https://ppl.app.uq.edu.au/content/4.20.06-research-data-management

UQ Library Data Management Guide

https://guides.library.uq.edu.au/for-researchers/research-data-management
What is Eduroam?

Eduroam (education roaming) is the secure, world-wide roaming access service developed for the international research and education community.

Eduroam allows students, researchers and staff from participating institutions to obtain Internet connectivity across campus and when visiting other participating institutions by simply opening their laptop.

The library is a wireless hotspot along with a number of campus buildings.

To connect your computer to Eduroam see the following guide: https://www.its.uq.edu.au/services/wireless-network
UQ ITS (Information Technology Services) has a link for free software for students.


- Office 365 ProPlus
- Graphpad
- LabVIEW
- Leximancer
- Mathematica
- SAS
- Sigmaplot
- Sophos AntiVirus
- Statistica
Guides to finding certain types of information help with using UQ library online services and systems and general research skills

https://web.library.uq.edu.au/research-tools-techniques/search-techniques/where-and-how-search/search-type-information

(Includes theses)

Subject guides are a collection of core resources in a subject area which can help you start your research

http://guides.library.uq.edu.au
Training

UQ Library training classes are offered by all branch libraries.

https://web.library.uq.edu.au/library-services/training

Lynda.com is a web based training service that the UQ Library Subscribes to.
Includes:
Word
Excel
macOS High Sierra Essential Training
Grammar foundations
College Prep: Writing a Strong Essay
Learning Study Skills
Writing a Research Paper
Learning drop box
Training

Training classes

We offer training in IT, research skills, research management and publishing, and EndNote. We also have short lunchtime drop-in sessions, Library Bites and Library SNaKs, covering topical subjects for your research. Check this regularly, or contact your librarian for details of upcoming sessions.

Filter events

By keyword  

By campus

By month

IT Training

6 events available

Wed 15 Nov 2017  Creating a Structured Thesis (CaST) *Researchers only* (St Lucia)

Thu 16 Nov 2017  Excel: Further Functions (St Lucia)

Mon 20 Nov 2017  Word Advanced (St Lucia)
The Centre for Digital Scholarship (CDS) is a purpose built teaching, research and presentation space in the Library that is ideal for analysing, visualising and interacting with most types of digital content in a highly collaborative environment.

Training classes and software access

- Text analysis
- Data analysis
- Data visualization
- Geographical information systems (GIS)
- Media creation & editing
- 3D modelling software
Your Librarians

If you need advice on which databases to use, how to create a comprehensive search strategy or trouble-shooting with EndNote, then a one-on-one consultation with a librarian may be the best way to get help.

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