

Faculty Resources 2016-2017

WorldCat Local and Interlibrary Loan

Through our WorldCat catalog, users can discover over two billion items available from over 10,000 libraries worldwide and can receive expedited interlibrary loan delivery of requested items. Searches in WorldCat Local produce a list of Pepperdine books and DVDs at the beginning of the results, followed by a list of holdings in Camino Libraries. Camino is a regional consortium through which Pepperdine students and faculty can borrow material directly. Items usually arrive within two days. For questions about WorldCat Local, please contact Lynne Jacobsen (Lynne.Jacobsen@pepperdine.edu).

Digital Collections

Pepperdine Libraries' Digital Collections (<http://pepperdine.contentdm.oclc.org/cdm/>) supports the discovery of and access to a wide variety of digital materials related to Pepperdine University's history, scholarly output, and unique archival holdings. Items in the digital collections derive from three main sources:

- Special collections and archival material: Rare books, photographs, films, yearbooks, newspapers, and biographical collections of all types
- Scholarly communications: Graduate theses and dissertations
- Malibu historical materials: Newspapers, books, photographs, ephemera, and more from Pepperdine Libraries' Malibu Historical Collection

For more information, contact Melissa Nykanen (Melissa.Nykanen@pepperdine.edu).

Special Collections and University Archives

Special Collections and University Archives consist of rare books, archival materials and other historic documents that support research in multiple disciplines. Special Collections is also home to the extraordinary *Saint John's Bible*, the Malibu Collection, and Churches of Christ Historical Center. Melissa Nykanen is the Head of Special Collections (Melissa.Nykanen@pepperdine.edu), and is happy to schedule class sessions or visits to work with these materials.

Library Programming

Each year, Payson Library hosts over 25 speakers, ranging from Maxine Hong Kingston to civil rights pioneer Dr. Terrence Roberts, and from political commentator Michael Reagan to celebrations of baseball and surfing. There is a thriving series of workshops in ACE where faculty and students can learn new skills. Visitors to the library can enjoy exhibitions of everything from alumni artwork to selections from the archives. A full list of upcoming programs can be found on our website: library.pepperdine.edu.

For more information, contact Jeanette Woodburn
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Center for Research Libraries

Pepperdine Libraries is a member of the Center for Research Libraries (CRL), which provides a shared collection of five million books, journals, documents, and newspapers. Materials can be obtained for extended periods, allowing for intensive use. With an emphasis on expanding electronic access to primary sources, CRL participates in digitization efforts, currently yielding over 15 million pages of digitized content.

CRL resources include:

- Major collections from Africa, Latin America, Middle East, Europe, Asia, and South Asia, in various formats
- 6,500 international newspapers, some from as early as the 1700s—the largest circulating collection of newspapers in North America
- 4,500 U.S. newspapers, including 2,000 ethnic titles
- Foreign journals rarely held in U.S. libraries
- Access to rich holdings in Science, Technology, and Engineering print serials through a partnership with the Linda Hall Library
- More than 800,000 non-U.S. dissertations

The Academic Center for Excellence (ACE)

The Academic Center for Excellence (ACE) offers students a single destination for multi-disciplinary academic support, assistance in research, writing, speech, presentation and media production, and subject tutoring. Working with our partners at the Writing Center, the Center for Entertainment, Media & Culture, and the Communication Division of Seaver College, ACE is both high-tech and high-touch, a comfortable and flexible space for students to engage in learning. For more information, please contact Paul Stenis (Paul.Stenis@pepperdine.edu).

The Digital Learning Lab

The Digital Learning Lab is a state-of-the-art space designed with active learning and collaboration in mind. The lab contains four mediascape tables that allow students to connect their laptops to a larger screen and work collaboratively on projects. From the wheeled lectern, instructors can connect their laptops wirelessly to both the projector screen and the mediascape tables, allowing librarians to offer more detailed instruction in information literacy and other topics.

Subject Liaisons

Each subject within Pepperdine's curriculum is assigned a specific librarian as their subject liaison. The subject liaisons have an extensive knowledge of the resources and references available within their subject area, and work closely with faculty to identify and acquire materials needed for research and instruction. A full list of the subject liaisons can be found on the library website (library.pepperdine.edu/contact/liaisons/).

InfoGuides

Pepperdine librarians have compiled over 500 informational guides to help students navigate everything from obtaining books through WorldCat, to linking to course reserve materials, to connecting to subject guides for specific courses. These guides are available through the library website (<http://library.pepperdine.edu/>) and on the infoguides page (infoguides.pepperdine.edu). Course specific InfoGuides can be created to support classroom teaching. Contact your subject liaison to learn more.

Faculty Publishing Resources

Are you looking for a journal to publish your work? Do you need a ranking of the top journals in your field? Are you wondering how many times your works have been cited? Curious about the new field of altmetrics? The faculty publishing resources guide answers all of these questions (<http://infoguides.pepperdine.edu/facultypublishing>). For questions about this infoguide, please contact Marc Vinyard (Marc.Vinyard@pepperdine.edu).

iTunes U Podcast Collections and Courses

Pepperdine Libraries coordinates the university's iTunes U podcast collections, which showcase Pepperdine's academics, student life, spiritual focus, guest speakers, and special events. We also host iTunes U Course Manager, which provides a free platform for faculty to design entire courses for mobile iOS devices, such as an iPhone or iPad. For more information, please contact Paul Stenis (Paul.Stenis@pepperdine.edu).

Data Management Infoguide

The Pepperdine University Libraries are committed to supporting efforts in data management, because early planning will make curation activities much easier throughout the data lifecycle. This infoguide provides resources to help organize, preserve, and manage data (<http://infoguides.pepperdine.edu/datacuration>). Librarians are also available to consult on subject-based repositories and data management plans. Please contact Melissa Nykanen (Melissa.Nykanen@pepperdine.edu) for more information.

Pepperdine Digital Commons

Pepperdine Libraries' Digital Commons (digitalcommons.pepperdine.edu) is the university's academic digital platform to describe, preserve, and disseminate scholarly works. Digital Commons provides instant access to full text works and preserves these materials in an open digital environment. Of special interest to faculty members is the SelectedWorks page, which offers faculty members a personalized home page on which to post both their own research and links to other resources. For more information, contact Paul Stenis (Paul.Stenis@pepperdine.edu).