

McGregor Library at  
Antioch University Midwest

### Purpose Statement

The library empowers the teaching mission and intellectual culture of the AUM community through availability to an organized collection of information, as well as instruction in its access, relevance and evaluation.

### Vision Statement

The library will actively engage with students so they may develop into information fluent, socially aware lifelong learners. Such learners will be able to critically evaluate information to make a difference in the world around them. By creating a welcoming physical and virtual space, the library will become an active and vibrant part of the AUM academic community.



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## Instruction Sessions Topics

### Available for Your Class

- Finding books, articles and digital materials using WorldCat Local and OhioLINK
- Finding material located in the McGregor Library
- Searching basics for general and subject specific databases (EBSCO, ERIC, etc.)
- Digital information (Electronic Dissertations, open access information, E-books, etc.)
- Evaluating resources
- Locating full-text from indices and citations
- Building a search strategy; subject vs. keywords, Boolean logic, etc.
- Ethical use of information
- Citation management (RefWorks)

Contact the library to arrange for an instruction session, or a one-on-one consultation.

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## Library

## Information:

## Overview



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<http://midwest.antioch.edu/academics/academic-support/aum-library/>

## Library Information...

where do I start? <http://midwest.antioch.edu/academics/academic-support/aum-library/>

### BOOKS

Request books for your classes (or personal use) through:

#### OPAL

(Ohio Private Academic Libraries)

Also known as our library catalog, you can search any of the 23 OPAL libraries. Request to have the book sent to our library!

*No luck there?*

#### OhioLINK

Search through 89 schools around the state; over 49 million titles and have them sent to AUM or the OhioLINK library closest to you.

*Still no luck?*

#### WorldCat Local

Search the world through Antioch's Interlibrary Loan system! Again, have it sent here or mailed to your house.

### ARTICLES

You have access to the Electronic Journal Center- 17,000 of the leading full-text academic, peer-reviewed journals.

....and access to over 81,000 electronic book titles through the OhioLINK E-Book center.

...and many, many more though the online databases available through the library web page.

### RESOURCES

Need help using citations? Wonder what the difference is between APA and MLA?

Use the Hacker's guide online, located on the library main web page for specific help with this.

Use RefWorks to store and organize all your citations!

### HELP

Visit the Writing Center located inside the library for personal, individualized help on writing your paper. Topics can cover writing skills, note-taking, organizing ideas, sentence formation, and citation management.

Up at 3am? Submit your paper for critique and help through the Virtual Writing Center.

