Graduate Student Resources

Library Website

Library Website: http://www.uvic.ca/library

Online Research Guides: http://libguides.uvic.ca

Subject Librarians: http://www.uvic.ca/library/research/librarians
Contact the appropriate subject librarian for in-depth research assistance.

Ask Us: http://www.uvic.ca/library/research/ask
Research Help is available in person at the Research Help desk on the main floor of McPherson Library. You can also email general research questions, ask for research help via phone or online chat.

Research Skills

Assignment Calculator http://www.uvic.ca/library/research/tips/freecal
The calculator breaks down the research process into steps and provides you with tips and resources. It also provides suggested dates for each step to help keep your work on track.

Spend 60 minutes assessing and improving your basics.

Workshops: http://www.uvic.ca/library/research/workshops
We offer on a variety of workshops on research skills and other specialized topics.

Graduate Student Research Tips: http://www.uvic.ca/library/use/info/grads

Citations and Citation Management Software: http://library.uvic.ca/site/lib/instruction/cite
Collect citations and use them automatically. Details at http://libguides.uvic.ca/citations

Research Sources

Find Print and Digital scholarship: http://www.uvic.ca/library/find/index.php

How to submit projects to UVicSpace, the institutional repository (https://dspace.library.uvic.ca)

Digital Collections: http://www.uvic.ca/library/featured/collections
Various digital initiatives to promote wider access to our unique UVic collections. Our digital content ranges from the latest student theses and faculty publications to manuscripts from centuries past.

Research Data Services: http://www.uvic.ca/library/featured/data
UVic has access to many sources of data, including complete access to Statistics Canada data. This page outlines the statistical sources we provide, and ways to access them.

Special Collections: http://www.uvic.ca/library/locations/spcoll
Our collection of rare books and unpublished material provide opportunities for original research in diverse areas.

Music and Media: http://www.uvic.ca/library/locations/home/media/
Located on the main floor of the library, the Music and Media Commons offers a wide range of multimedia equipment (including GoPros, laptops, and chargers) as well as film and music collections. For your media projects, book a viewing or editing room.
Library Services

Grants and Awards: http://libguides.uvic.ca/grantsandawards
There are many grant and funding opportunities available for faculty and librarians, students and staff.

Carrels (Grad Student Study Area on 3rd floor): http://www.uvic.ca/library/use/policies/carrels.php
Available on a first come, first serve basis, with a wait list being taken.

Digital Scholarship Commons: https://onlineacademiccommunity.uvic.ca/dsc
Learn digital tools and methodologies. Become well versed in digital information fluency through one-on-one training, large workshops, digital curriculum development advice, tools, software, and more.

Study rooms in McPherson Library are available for use by students for group study or projects.

Current Awareness: http://www.uvic.ca/library/use/info/currentawareness.php
Keep up to date with important journals and new developments in your area of research.

Borrowing and loans: http://www.uvic.ca/library/use/borrow/borrowing
Graduate students may borrow up to 200 regular items from Sept.-May. See above for complete information.

Interlibrary loans (ILL): http://www.uvic.ca/library/use/borrow/illo/not_at_uvic.php
For materials not available at UVic.

Reciprocal Borrowing: http://www.uvic.ca/library/use/borrow/borrowing/otherlibraries
Graduate students in Canadian universities also qualify for reciprocal borrowing privileges, that is, they may borrow books from other university libraries. Contact our Loan Desk for further information.

Suggest Library Resources: http://www.uvic.ca/library/use/suggest.php
Suggest additions to the Library's collection that support the research and teaching programs of the university.

Academic Integrity

Academic Integrity: https://www.uvic.ca/current-students/home/academics/academic-integrity
With links to important resources.

Plagiarism: http://www.uvic.ca/library/research/citation/plagiarism
Tips on how to identify and avoid it.

Copyright Information: http://www.uvic.ca/copyright/
The Copyright Office is responsible for overseeing and advising the university community on copyright issues. They also provide workshops and drop-in consultation hours.

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