

- You are beginning work on your dissertation/ thesis and would like help in selecting and using library **resources specific to your area of research.**
- Your group wants to purchase and use a [bibliographic database management program](#), like ProCite or EndNote, and would like an overview of the various aspects of such programs.
- You have a specific class assignment and you are having trouble finding journal articles or books for your topic.
- You have attended a basic workshop on a library resource, such as MadCat, and have a **specific search problem** not covered in the class.
- You need advise on using library resources from a **remote location**, such as your office, lab or home

- [MadCat Library Catalog Workshops](#) (the campus online catalog)
- [Libraries in a Nutshell Workshop](#)
- [Internet Resources Workshops](#)
- [ArcView GIS Workshops](#)
- [ProCite and EndNote Workshops](#)

A complete schedule of our workshops is available at

<http://www.library.wisc.edu/libraries/Steenbock/instruct/dropin.htm>

### CAMPUS LIBRARY & INFORMATION LITERACY PROGRAM

In addition to Steenbock Library more than twenty campus libraries participate in presenting more than 2,000 instructional sessions reaching 25,000 students per year. For information about this program visit <http://www.library.wisc.edu/libraries/Instruction/>



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# STEENBOCK LIBRARY & INFORMATION LITERACY INSTRUCTION



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## DROP-IN WORKSHOPS

Each semester the Library offers a drop-in workshop series. No registration is required for these workshops. Some examples of the topics include:

- [Journal and Information Database Workshops](#)

# ABOUT LIBRARY & INFORMATION LITERACY INSTRUCTION

Steenbock Library collaborates with faculty, instructional staff, and campus administrators to pursue its primary mission: to ensure that students develop the information literacy skills, attitudes, and knowledge base that they need in order to become efficient, effective users and producers of information. This essential set of abilities will not only give students some of the critical tools necessary for success in their academic careers at the university, but also help them prepare for a lifetime of learning.

## COURSE RELATED INSTRUCTION

### How Can We Work With You?

Collaboration with faculty and instructional staff is a major part of our instruction program. Our librarians will team with you to develop workshops geared specifically toward your course and the needs of your students. We can:

- Help you design effective research assignments using library resources
- Time instruction when students are working on their assignments and most motivated to learn

- Help you determine the most useful type of library instruction: class session, part of a class session, Web page, handout, tutorial, WebCT link
- With your help, we can stay in touch to provide follow-up assistance to your students throughout the course.
- We know information resources, but you know your students. Together we can ensure that your students are actively engaged.

### What do we do?

A typical library session would cover **some** of these components. Library staff and teaching staff would work together to find the most appropriate mix for the purpose of the class.

- Library **search strategy**
- Finding and locating **books** on campus
- Finding and locating **journal articles** on campus
- Finding **Internet** resources
- **Critical evaluation** of resources
- **Specialized resources** when appropriate, such as Desktop Mapping(GIS), EndNote & ProCite, Presentation Software, etc.

### How We Do It

Classes may be scheduled to come into the library or we can come to your classroom. In

keeping with the diversity of learning styles of students, a variety of delivery methods are used for instruction, including **brief lecture and demonstration, hands-on exercises , small group discussions, multimedia tutorials and web-based tutorials**. In consultation with the professor we tailor our course-related instruction to the subject content and skill level of the class.

### Integrate Library Resources Into Your Course Web Site or WebCT

- Many courses take advantage of customized online guides on using our resources, collections, such as [electronic reserves](#), and services. Our librarians will work with you to select and develop online tips and tutorials that can be linked to from your departmental course page or within WebCT. View some samples at <http://www.library.wisc.edu/libraries/Steenbock/instruct/present.htm>.

## ABOUT SMALL GROUP OR ONE ON ONE CONSULTATION

We offer **small group or one-on-one consultations** for specific in-depth help on using library resources. Depending on the need, consultations generally last from 30 minutes to an hour. These can be scheduled either in Steenbock Library or at an outside location convenient to you.

**Examples of when consultation would be useful are:**



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