Library Resources for Faculty Instruction & Research

Kennesaw State University Library System
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Library Locations

Sturgis Library – Kennesaw Campus

Johnson Library – Marietta Campus
Support for Faculty Instruction
Library Instruction Services

• The library system can partner with you to support student research success in a variety of ways.
• We offer synchronous orientations, asynchronous orientation modules, and course-specific instructional services.
• Please reach out to Christina Holm (holm1@kennesaw.edu) if you have any questions about these services.
Synchronous Orientations

- This year we are offering a pre-scheduled set of live orientation webinars during the weeks of:
  - August 21st (Humanities Theme)
  - August 28th (Business Theme)
  - September 11th (Math & Science Theme)
- Sessions take place during normal class meeting times, and the class participates as a group.
- To sign your class(es) up, go this page and search for your event in August/September: kennesaw.libcal.com/calendar/KSUFYcid=4745&t=w&d=0000-00-00&cal=4745&inc=0
Asynchronous Library Orientations

• We also have orientation modules that you may embed into D2L.
• The modules take 5-10 minutes to complete and provide students with a certificate of completion.
• These modules teach students:
  • How the library supports their academic success
  • How to access library tutoring (research help)
  • How to search SuperSearch (the main library search interface)
  • How to search the Books Catalog
• Access these modules here: libguides.kennesaw.edu/leap
Instruction by Request

- The library offers course-specific instructional services.
- These services can include guest lecture sessions, asynchronous learning materials, and even one-on-one meetings between librarians and students (for an entire course).
- To access these services:
  - Complete our request form 2 weeks prior to your requested service start date (or earlier).
  - Access our request form here: kennesaw.libwizard.com/f/ltr
Resources For Your Course

Course Reserves & eReserves

- You can put textbooks and other supporting material on reserve for classes.
- We will work with you to ensure that material placed on reserve complies with copyright law!

Learn more on our website:

library.kennesaw.edu/services/coursereserves.php
Resources For Your Course

Library Resources in D2L

• Use Reading Lists to directly embed library eBooks and articles.
• Embed educational films and videos using the D2L widget.
• Embed library instruction content.

Visit our guide for online faculty:
libguides.kennesaw.edu/OnlineFaculty
Embeddable Library Instructional Content

- Library Orientation (LEAP) Modules
- Kaltura MediaSpace Channel
- Niche Academy Tutorials
- Subject, course, and topic research guides
Open Educational Resources (OER)

- Support the textbook affordability effort by choosing low-cost or no-cost resources for your course.
- Schedule a consultation with our Scholarly Communications Librarian to discover OER that match your course needs.
Library Liaison Team Program

- Librarian point-of-contact for your program
- Library research guides for programs and classes
- Discipline-specific database trials
- Library purchase requests from faculty
- Faculty library orientations
- Student research consultations

Find your Liaison Team here: library.kennesaw.edu/services/liaison.php
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Support for Faculty Research
Access Books and Articles

Faculty Borrowing from the Library
• Borrow up to 100 physical items
  • Due annually on August 31
• Access 450+ databases
  • eBooks
  • Journals
  • Newspapers
  • Media
Resource Sharing

If we don’t have access to a book or article you need, use one of our resource sharing services:

• Intercampus delivery with OwlSwoop
• Borrow from anywhere in the USG with GIL Express
• Borrow from anywhere in the world with Interlibrary Loan (ILL)
• Visit and borrow from Atlanta-area universities with ARCHE ILU Program

libguides.kennesaw.edu/interlibraryloan
Faculty Consultations

Schedule consultations with the Scholarly Communications Librarian for support with:

- OER adoption and creation
- Copyright and Fair Use
- Authors' rights
- Open Access Publishing
- Dissemination of research and scholarship

libguides.kennesaw.edu/researchKSU
The Digital Commons

KSU's Institutional Repository

• Holds 21,000+ published works created by KSU faculty and students.
• Traditional and non-traditional works:
  • Faculty publications and bookshelf
  • Scholarly, professional, and student journals
  • Conference proceedings, white papers, pre-prints, and datasets
  • OER collections
  • Theses and dissertations
• Reporting Dashboard provides a global picture of viewership and downloads.

digitalcommons.kennesaw.edu
Library Events
Educational Programming

Open Access Week

• October 23-26, 2023
• This year's theme is Community over Commercialization.

All Things Open Week

• This event is held each April
• Learn about open scholarship practices (open access, OERs, open data).

Visit our website for more information: All Things Open
The Manuscript Meetup: Connecting Editors and Scholars

• Join us during Research Week for:
  • Talks regarding writing, editing, and publishing.
  • Mingle with other KSU and USG journal editors.
• Stay tuned for more details!
Questions?

For more help, contact the library at libraryreference@kennesaw.edu