UIC Library Fall 2014 Graduate Student Research Workshops

Graduate Student Toolkit*
*Workshops at Daley Library have interdisciplinary science/social sciences/Humanities focus, LHS workshops focus on health sciences

September 3, 4:00-5:30, Daley Library IDEA Commons Classroom (1-010)
September 9, 7:00 CT. Online only** http://tinyurl.com/o8acg9s
**This workshop will also cover library specific distance education information**
September 17, 4:00-5:30, LHS 303
September 23, 4:00-5:30, LHS 303
September 25, 4:00-5:30, Daley Library IDEA Commons Classroom (1-010)

Are you a new graduate student at UIC? Need a refresher on how to use the University Library? In this fast-paced workshop, you will learn to take advantage of online research tools and resources for graduate students. The workshop will cover the following:

- Using the library catalog to find library materials at UIC, requesting materials from other libraries via CARLI I-Share and interlibrary loan
- Identifying article databases in your field and searching multidisciplinary databases to find full-text articles
- Tracking citation patterns and identifying important journals in your field
- Keeping current in your field using tools such as search alerts and BrowZine
- Finding dissertations
- Using the Ask a Librarian service and identifying the library liaison for your discipline for research assistance.

RefWorks Citation Manager
September 10, 4:00-5:30, LHS 303
September 18, 3:00-4:30, Daley Library IDEA Commons Classroom (1-010)
September 24, 4:00-5:30, LHS 303
October 1, 4:00-5:30, Daley Library IDEA Commons Classroom (1-010)

Learn to use the RefWorks citation management tool to organize your research and quickly generate bibliographies in multiple citation styles. The workshop will address the following:

- Creating an account and accessing RefWorks from on and off-campus
- Exporting citations into RefWorks from multiple databases including Proquest, EbscoHost, Web of Science & Google Scholar
- Organizing and sharing references
- Generating bibliographies
- Using Write-n-Cite to insert in-text citations to items from your RefWorks account into a Word document and format a research paper
Scholarly Publishing: What you need to know & Using Copyrighted material responsibly.
October 2, 4:00-5:30, Daley Library IDEA Commons Classroom (1-010)
October10, 4:00-5:30, Library of the Health Sciences (LHS 303)

The dissertation is often a first major publishing experience for a graduate student. Did you know that you own the copyright on your work until you transfer copyright to a publisher? Come to this session and learn about your rights as an author and how to negotiate with publishers for the rights that you need to retain. You will also learn more about open access publishing and its benefits and tools to selecting quality publishing venues. This workshop will also review how to make a fair use determination and how to use copyrighted materials in your dissertations. This workshop will also review how to use copyrighted content for instruction.

Introduction to Data Management
September 16 4:00-5:30, Daley Library IDEA Commons Classroom (1-010)
September 25, 4:00-5:30, Library of the Health Sciences (LHS 303)

Collecting data for your thesis or dissertation? Learn to manage your data effectively and efficiently! This seminar will provide an introduction to capturing, storing, and describing research data throughout the life of the research project and after. This is intended for those researchers who need help with a data management plan or for those who are just beginning a data management plan. The discussion will cover granting agencies’ requirements, how to fulfill them and how it is to the researcher’s advantage to do so.

An Introduction to Archival Research at UIC and Beyond
October 16, 4:00-5:30, Daley Library IDEA Commons Classroom (1-010) and Special Collections and University Archives Dept. (3-330)

This workshop will introduce new graduate students to archival research at the UIC Library, other Chicago institutions, and beyond. The workshop will cover the following:
- Using the library website and databases to find primary sources
- Using other tools to locate archival collections around the country
- Understanding what to expect when undertaking archival research
- Navigating the UIC Special Collections and University Archives collections
- Touring the Special Collections and University Archives Department at the Daley Library

Getting started with Pubmed
September 15 or 16, 4:00-5:30, Library of the Health Sciences (LHS 303)
If you are getting started with research this class is for you! Join the Getting Started with Pubmed class to make sure you know all of the Pubmed basics. In this class we will cover:

- Basic searches
- Using filters to define your results
- Exporting citations to your reference manager
- Saving your searches with an NCBI account
- How to determine if the University provides access to resources
- Requesting documents through interlibrary loan

**Getting More from Pubmed**

September 22, 4:00-5:30, Library of the Health Sciences (LHS 303)

Have you mastered the basics, but feel that you may be missing a few useful features? Sign up for Getting more from Pubmed class. This class will help you search faster and more effectively. In this class we will cover:

- Searching with Medical Subject Headings (MeSH)
- Combining MeSH with the advance search builder to expand your search skills
- How to search for articles on a journal level
- How to create search alerts
- Creating collections and managing your bibliography in NCBI