Library re-cap and literature searching

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What we are covering

• Updates from Library and Learning Resources

• Finding information
  • Journal articles via the databases e.g. CINAHL

• Searching Google Scholar

• Where to find LSBU Harvard Referencing information on your Subject Guide

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New things!

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Auto-renewals

• All items will automatically be renewed, UNLESS:

• The item is reserved by another borrower.

• There is another issue with your library account (e.g., outstanding charges, or your account has expired.)
Check the entire email!

The following items have been automatically renewed. Please see below for the new due date(s):

**C++ for everyone**  
Horstmann, Cay S.  
005 133 HOR   Barcode: 30102009199760  
**Due date: Wednesday 26 June 2019 RENEWED**

These items could not be renewed and are due on 19 June 2019:

**Designing media**  
Moggridge, Bill.  
006 7 MOG   Barcode: 30102009669407  
**Due date: Wednesday 19 June 2019**

The following items have been automatically renewed. Please see below for the new due date(s):

**Nonobject**  
Lukić, Branko.  
745 5 LUK   Barcode: 30102009693281  
**Due date: Wednesday 26 June 2019 RENEWED**

**Gamestorming: a playbook for innovators, rulebreakers, and changemakers**  
Gray, David.  
658 4022 GRA   Barcode: 30102009698398  
**Due date: Wednesday 26 June 2019 RENEWED**

**Fiber-optic communication systems**  
Agrawal, G. P.  
621 38275 AGR   Barcode: 30102006729014  
**Due date: Wednesday 26 June 2019 RENEWED**
Laptop loans

7 hours

10 hours!

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London South Bank University
Referencing

(Smith, *et al.*) \(\rightarrow\) (Smith, *et al.*)

No italics anymore!!!!

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LSBU Library Website

- Access the library website by clicking on the ‘Library & Academic’ link at the top and then on ‘Library’ on the drop-down menu.
Library

Library & Academic

- Perry Library
  - Opening hours, borrowing, room booking, services for DDS students, part-time students and alumni, interlibrary loans and access to other libraries

- Student IT Support
  - Information about your IT account, Moodle VLE, software downloads, printing, photocopying, scanning, and IT troubleshooting

- Digital Skills Centre
  - Digital skills workshops, 1-to-1 support, Microsoft Office Certification, online digital skills resources

- Havering Library & IT Support

- Events & Workshops

- Subject Support

Library & Academic

- How to Guides
- Student Administration Services
- Library
- Subject Resources
- How to Guides
- Services for DDS students
- Services for Part-Time Students and Distance Learners
- Services for Researchers
- Inter-library Loans
- Inter-site Loans
- Perry Library Facilities
- Havering Library Facilities

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Tel: 0207 815 6607
E-mail: library@lsgu.ac.uk
1 East Help Desk
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Databases

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From the Find Journal Articles tab you can find:

- Cinahl
- Medline
- Science Direct
- PsycArticles
- PsycInfo
- Academic Search Complete

Can be searched together!
Searching for Journal articles via Database searching

Formulate a search strategy

1. Identify your keywords
2. Identify any alternative keywords

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Database searching
Search Tips

• **Truncation** * e.g. operat* will find operate, operation, operating etc.

• **Phrase searching** “ ” e.g. “health and safety”, “operating theatre”

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Search Tips

**OR** for alternative terms (synonyms) e.g. elderly **OR** geriatric -> increases the number of results

**AND** to connect words with different meanings, e.g. operat* **AND** “health and safety” -> decreases the number of results

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Some observations...

- Do not assume that you will be able to read the full-text of database articles!

- Most databases will give a list of titles and abstracts that match your search terms.

You will only get the full-text:

- If we subscribe to the journal in which it appears
- If it is available freely on the web.

Become what you want to be
Google Scholar provides a simple way to broadly search for scholarly literature.

Just type “Scholar” in Google.
Referencing

• LSBU Harvard Referencing Style – Unique to LSBU, see our guides for info

• Reference as you read & ask for help early! – Visit the Research Help Desk

• Online guides and workbooks on

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Harvard LSBU style – two elements

1. In-text citation (Author, year) or (Author, year, page)

- McCormack and McCance (2017) suggest that ……..
- “Person-centred care is a philosophy that values individuals’ own unique values, personality, personal history and the right of each person to respect, dignity and to participate fully in their life choices” (McCormack and McCance, 2017, p. 133).

2. Reference list
Multiple authors

For three authors or more, put *et al.* after the name of the first author in the in-text citation.

Example: … *Anderson et al.* (2017) concluded that …

*Et al.* is an abbreviation of the Latin *et alia* meaning “and others”.

Note: In your reference list you should list *all* authors

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During term time, visit the Research Help desk on 3 Bridge between 12pm and 4pm.

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Assignment Surgeries

Quick drop-ins for students.

Library and Learning Resources & Skills for Learning are here to help!

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Any questions?