

## Research

**Subject LibGuides** are available at <http://www.twu.edu/library/subject-guides.asp> to help you select the databases relevant to your topic or discipline.

**Subject Librarians** are available for individual research and assistance. You may chat or email questions to librarians at <http://www.twu.edu/library/subject-specialists.asp>

**Copyright** resources are available at <http://www.twu.edu/library/copyright.asp>

**Research Methods** can be found at <http://www.twu.edu/library/research-tools.asp>

Differences between **Scholarly and Popular journals** can be found on a chart at <http://www.twu.edu/library/scholarly.asp>

**RefWorks** and **Citation Styles** are listed at <http://www.twu.edu/library/citing.asp>  
Group Code: RWTWU

Contact **Ask a Librarian**: <http://www.twu.edu/library/ask-a-librarian.asp>

## Helpful Links

**Distance Education**  
<http://www.twu.edu/de>

**Blackboard**  
<http://online.twu.edu>

**Help Desk**  
<http://www.twu.edu/help-desk/>

**TWU Bookstore**  
<http://www.twu.bkstr.com>

**TexShare**—Check out materials from libraries across the State of Texas  
<http://www.texshare.edu/generalinfo/about/libuser.html>

**TWU Libraries**  
<http://www.twu.edu/library/>

## Find Resources

The **TWU Library Online Catalog** is available 24/7 at <https://enterprise.twu.edu/vwebv/searchBasic>

Find **Articles** at <http://www.twu.edu/library/find-articles.asp>

Find **Full-text Electronic Journals** at <http://jq2ct6rx9e.search.serialssolutions.com/>

Find **E-Books** at <http://www.twu.edu/library/ebooks.asp>

Find **Book Reviews** at <http://www.twu.edu/library/books-electronic-texts.asp>

Find **Newspaper Internet Resources**  
<http://www.twu.edu/library/newspapers.asp>  
[NewsBank Full Text Texas Newspapers Database](#) (Login required)  
[Newspaper Source Database](#) (Login required)

Find **Dissertations** in the database:  
[Dissertation Abstracts Online & ProQuest Digital Dissertations](#) (Login required)

Find **Databases** to search for articles—Login required at  
<http://www.twu.edu/library/databases.asp>

Find **Internet Reference Resources** at  
<http://www.twu.edu/library/internet-reference-sources.asp>

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~ Welcome to TWU Libraries Online Resources ~

Please enter your Portal Username and Password to begin your online research.

Portal Username:

Portal Password:

WARNING: You are about to connect to a secured information system. Access to this system is for official business only. Any misuse of this information system or the data it contains will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

Use your Pioneer Portal account to access library resources, register for classes, access your grades, and more.

### TWU Libraries Mission

The Texas Woman's University Libraries provide global information services, education, and resources for teaching, learning, and research at all levels to prepare students for success in their professional and personal lives.

### TWU Libraries

P.O. Box 425528  
Denton, Texas 76204  
Phone 940-898-3701, Toll Free 866-385-5541, Fax 940-898-3764  
Email Ask a Librarian <http://www.twu.edu/library/ask-a-librarian.asp>

## Forms

Register for Library Services:  
<http://www.twu.edu/library/request-library-services.asp>

Article and Book Requests:  
<http://www.twu.edu/library/interlibrary-loan-request.asp>

## Interlibrary Loan

Use **Interlibrary Loan** to order articles, books and other research materials available and unavailable from the TWU Libraries. Generally, services are free; however, some charges may apply. Electronic ILL requests via e-mail are accepted 24 hours a day. Article and book requests can be submitted online at <http://www.twu.edu/library/interlibrary-loan-request.asp>. More information about Interlibrary Loan is located at <http://www.twu.edu/library/ill-faq.asp>. Questions about Interlibrary Loan may be sent to [ill@twu.edu](mailto:ill@twu.edu).

## The Children's & Media Collections

The **Children's & Media Collections** are located on the Garden Level of the Blagg-Huey Library. More information about these collections is located at <http://www.twu.edu/library/childrens-collection.asp> and <http://www.twu.edu/library/media-collection.asp>.

## Circulation & Reserve Books

Information about **Circulation, Renewal Procedures, Fines & Fees, Reserve Books** & other **Services for Students** is located at <http://www.twu.edu/library/student-services.asp> or email your questions to [circ@mail.twu.edu](mailto:circ@mail.twu.edu).

## TWU Libraries' Online Catalog

The **Online Catalog** at <http://enterprise.twu.edu/vwebv/searchBasic> provides access to the collections at all of the TWU campuses. Print and electronic materials are included in the online catalog. The catalog allows you to look up citations and call numbers for books, theses, dissertations, media materials, journal titles, and to link to various electronic resources. The catalog is accessible on all computer workstations in the library and remotely via the Libraries' web page at <http://www.twu.edu/library/>.

### Texas Libraries

<http://www.libdex.com/country/USA/Texas>

### Worldwide Libraries

<http://www.libdex.com>

### Worldcat

<http://www.worldcat.org/>

## TWU Libraries' Web Pages

The **Web Pages** at <http://www.twu.edu/library/> list information about library services and resources. Access to the Online Catalog, 178 Databases, 35,000+ E-journals, 87,500+ E-books, Subject Guides, Electronic Forms, and links relevant to the TWU curriculum are provided.

## Tutorials

Sharpen your skills with a **Research Help Tutorial** at

<http://www.twu.edu/library/training-tutorials.asp>

**Plagiarism Tutorial:** <http://www.twu.edu/library/tutorial/plagiarism/player.html>

**Understanding Information Sources Tutorial:**

<http://www.twu.edu/library/tutorial/information/>

**Finding Sources Tutorial:** <http://www.twu.edu/library/tutorial/finding/index.html>

**Internet Sources Tutorial:** <http://www.twu.edu/library/tutorial/internet/index.html>

**Database Tutorials:** [http://www.twu.edu/library/database\\_tutorials.asp](http://www.twu.edu/library/database_tutorials.asp)

**RefWorks Tutorial:** <http://www.refworks.com/tutorial/>

## Suggestions?

We welcome your suggestions at [libde@twu.edu](mailto:libde@twu.edu)

## Contact Us

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Blagg-Huey Library

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"Distance Education Library Service is your gateway to resources and assistance. Please let us know how we can help you."

—**Stephany Compton, Distance Education Librarian** [scompton@twu.edu](mailto:scompton@twu.edu)

## Important Library Telephone Numbers & Email

Administration Office	940-898-3748	
Children & Media Collection	940-898-3497	
Circulation	940-898-3719	<a href="mailto:circ@twu.edu">circ@twu.edu</a>
Computer Lab	940-898-3719	<a href="mailto:circ@twu.edu">circ@twu.edu</a>
Distance Education	940-898-3797	<a href="mailto:libde@twu.edu">libde@twu.edu</a>
Information Desk	940-898-3701	<a href="mailto:reference@twu.edu">reference@twu.edu</a>
Interlibrary Loan	940-898-3728	<a href="mailto:ill@twu.edu">ill@twu.edu</a>
Media Collection	940-898-3497	
Renewal—Denton	940-898-3786	<a href="mailto:circ@twu.edu">circ@twu.edu</a>
Renewal—Dallas	214-689-6602	
Reserve Materials	940-898-3719	<a href="mailto:circ@twu.edu">circ@twu.edu</a>
Study Room Reservations	940-898-3719	<a href="mailto:circ@twu.edu">circ@twu.edu</a>
Woman's Collection	940-898-3751	<a href="mailto:womansc@twu.edu">womansc@twu.edu</a>

# TWU Libraries

## USER'S GUIDE Distance Education



## Welcome to Distance Education Library Services

Distance Education Library Services is here to make your teaching and learning experience easier and more productive by providing resources and assistance.

- *Distance Education provides online access to a variety of services and programs for all students*
- *Blackboard is the course management system used for Distance Education classes at <http://online.twu.edu>*
- *You may email questions regarding Distance Education to [libde@twu.edu](mailto:libde@twu.edu)*

### TWU Libraries Vision

Promoting excellence in teaching, learning, and research.