SESSION 2: YOUR FIRST RESEARCH STOP – THE OC LIBRARY MAIN GUIDE

The Oceanography Library has a webpage that is full of useful information, links, current events, and suggested readings. Everything you need to be successful in your research endeavors stems from this page. Stop by for this important informational session.

Your first research stop – the OC Library Main Guide!

What Does the OC Library Main Guide provide?

- **About Us** – Here you will find an introduction to the library, link to important announcements, meet the library staff, find the library hours, quick links to resources for students, faculty, and alumni, contact us information, and social media links.
- **Find It @ NSU Libraries** – Your portal to all of the NSU Library Resources! Search for books, e-books, e-journals, databases, and more! Check your library account, link to other oceanography library guides, view research tips & tutorials, get interlibrary loan (ILL) info, and link to NSU’s new institutional repository, NSU Works.
- **OC Publications** – View bibliographies and request electronic copies of a NSU OC portfolio, capstone, thesis or dissertation, or view recent ones online via NSU Works, NSU’s institutional repository! Also access the OC Currents newsletter.
- **Web Resources** – A comprehensive list of important links related to NSU, marine organizations, governmental resources, marine species & organisms, repositories, web directories, and other open access publications. Use the Google custom search box at the top of the page to search all the sites listed at once!
- **Cite It & EndNote** – The NSU OC uses the author/date style found in the Chicago Manual of style. Get information on the Chicago style as well as information on EndNote, NSU’s citation management software, available for free!
- **What’s New??** – Keep up to date on the newest books and e-books available at the OC Library, see featured resources, and utilize the newest e-journals and databases purchased by the OC library for your research.
- **News & Events** – Find out about upcoming seminars, library instruction, and events at the NSU OC and library. Also find interesting info about the OC library, such as library stats, surveys and social media updates.
- **FAQs** – Find the answers to your most burning library questions!
- **Get Help** – Still need help? Find contact info for the OC librarians, who can assist you with your research needs, as well as links to online help resources, library tutorials, and all of the OC Library subject and course guides.

Get started at: [http://nova.campusguides.com/oclibrary](http://nova.campusguides.com/oclibrary)
Getting the most from our guides:

You won’t have to dive too deep… we did it for you! Your first stop in oceanography research:
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The OC Library main guide is a one-stop-shop for all of your research needs whether you are in the library or at home!

Oceanography Library Main Guide:
- www.nova.campusguides.com/oclibrary

Ocean Sciences Library Research & Course Guides List:
- http://nova.campusguides.com/ocean

Student Binding Instructions Guide:
- http://nova.campusguides.com/oclbindingguide

EndNote Tutorial Guide:
- http://nova.campusguides.com/endnote-libguide

LibraryLearn – NSU Library short video tutorials:
- http://sherman.library.nova.edu/sites/learn/

Next Monday Mini Session – Google Scholar is Meaningless without NSU Access! – October 27 @ 6:00pm in the OC Library

Library Hours
- Monday 8:30 am - 8:00 pm
- Tuesday 8:30 am - 8:00 pm
- Wednesday 8:30 am - 6:30 pm
- Thursday 8:30 am - 6:30 pm
- Friday 8:30 am - 4:30 pm
- Saturday 10:00 am to 6:00 pm
- Sunday Closed