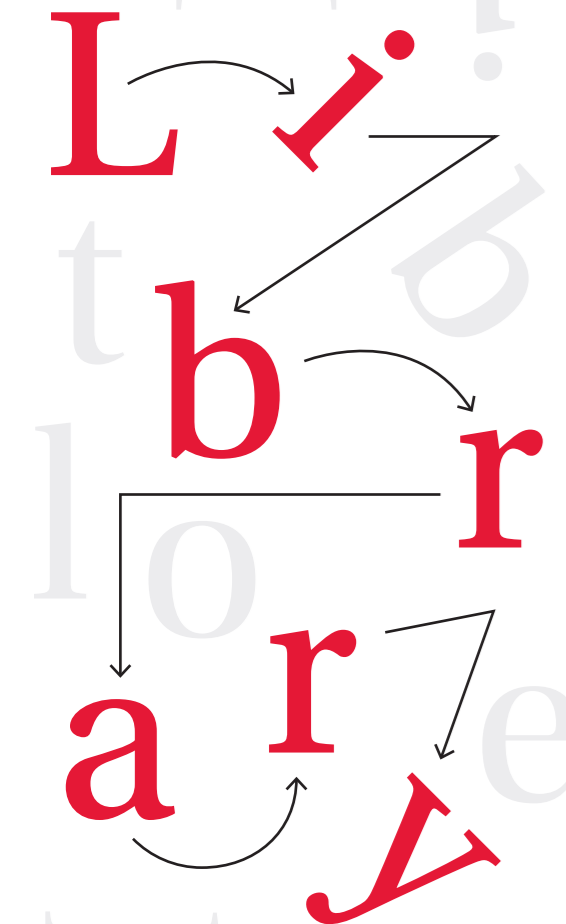


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### Study spaces

All library locations offer a variety of study spaces: individual spaces, collaborative spaces, study rooms and classrooms. Some study spaces are equipped with a desktop PC and/or a large monitor. There are also spaces suitable for video calls.

Collaborative workspaces and study booths can be reserved in advance with your UvAnetID.

### Opening hours

During exam periods, library locations are open longer and additional study spaces are available. Library locations are only accessible to UvA students upon presentation of a valid student ID card.

Check real-time availability and opening hours online at: [uva.nl/studyspace](https://uva.nl/studyspace)

- UvA Library
- bibliotheekuva
- uva\_library
- Bibliotheek UvA/HvA

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### Academic literature and research data

#### Printed and digital

The Library offers all the academic information you need for your studies: literature, (e)books, journals, articles, databases and countless other resources.

Log into the CataloguePlus search environment using your UvAnetID to access all of this information, even from home. You can also find CataloguePlus at: [uba.uva.nl](https://uba.uva.nl) and [student.uva.nl](https://student.uva.nl)

#### Useful databases

**Nexis Uni** provides the full text of articles from newspapers and magazines from the Netherlands and abroad plus business information on national and international companies.

**Kanopy** is a video streaming platform that provides access to documentaries, films and TV shows.

#### Borrowing

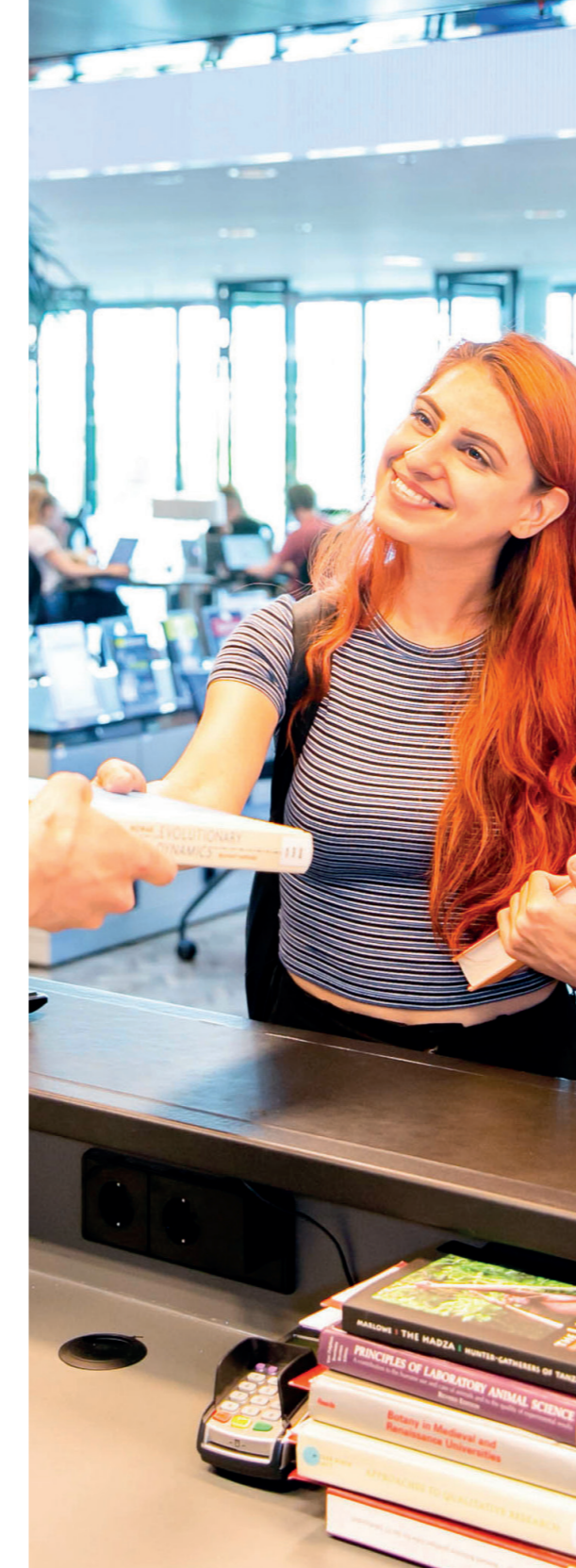
If you want to borrow any books or printed materials you find at the Library, you can take them from the shelves and check them out at a self-service point. Your student card functions as a library card.

You can also use CataloguePlus to request materials from the repository, which will be sent to a library location of your choice. You will receive an email as soon as the materials are available for you to collect.

Most books can be borrowed for 28 days, and renewal is automatic unless the book has been requested by someone else. The maximum loan period is six months. Certain special materials can only be viewed on-site.

#### Can't find a publication?

Through interlibrary loan (ILL), you can request materials from another library. We can also purchase the material. For this, please make a purchase suggestion.



### Heritage collections

#### Allard Pierson

As a UvA student, you can visit the exhibitions at the Allard Pierson at a discounted rate. Additionally, you can request heritage materials through the Catalogue and view them in the Reading Room.

The Allard Pierson collects, manages, and presents cultural heritage from antiquity to the present day. Collections in the fields of archaeology, book history, Jewish culture, church history, cartography, literature, graphic design, and natural history make it one of the most prominent heritage collections in Europe.

Visit: [allardpierson.nl](https://allardpierson.nl)

### Facilities

#### Wi-Fi

Secure Wi-Fi is available at all UvA locations. For security purposes, we recommend setting up your Wi-Fi connection at home.

#### Software for your studies

Use software installed on UvA computers directly on a laptop, tablet, or phone by starting a virtual workspace, enabling you to use the software anywhere. This includes applications like SPSS, ATLAS.ti, Matlab, or Power BI.

You can find this software at: [apps.uva.nl](https://apps.uva.nl)

#### Hardware

Hardware such as Chromebooks, headphones, chargers and cords.



#### Print, copy and scan

You can pick up your print jobs at any printer within the university. The print jobs remain available for up to 24 hours. You pay with your student card. Don't forget to load credit onto your student card beforehand. Scanning is free.

### Advice and support

#### Take a workshop

Would you like to delve into a database or citation tool relevant to your field of study? Are you curious about how AI can assist you in finding information?

The Library offers free workshops throughout the year to enhance your research skills and digital literacy.

#### Respect copyright

During your studies, you will often make use of images and other third-party materials, in projects such as presentations or theses. While sometimes allowed under the Copyright Act, regulations still apply.

The [CopyrightInformationPoint](#) can help you navigate any copyright issues.

#### Guided study sessions

Support from fellow students and specialists is available throughout the year through guided study sessions.

These sessions are here to help you with approaching deadlines, writing a thesis, or simply studying together. They also assist with focus issues and are ADHD-friendly

You can attend all study sessions in the online study space on MS Teams, or physically at the University Library on Singel and at campus locations.

### Contact

#### Ask the University Library

For all your questions or expert advice on scientific information, you can visit the library desk. Alternatively, ask them via phone, WhatsApp, or online.

Telephone: +31 (0)20 525 14 05  
WhatsApp: +31 (0)6 10 71 72 10  
Online: [uba.uva.nl/contact](https://uba.uva.nl/contact)

### Locations

#### University Quarter

University Library Singel  
Singel 425, 1012 WP Amsterdam

#### P.C. Hoofthuis

Spuistraat 134, 1012 VB Amsterdam

#### Roeterseiland Campus

Library Learning Centre REC-H  
Roetersstraat 11, 1018 WB Amsterdam

Library Learning Space REC-A0, REC-A1, REC-BCI

#### Law Library REC-A\*

Nieuwe Achtergracht 166, 1018 WV Amsterdam

\* For students and employees of the Law Faculty only

#### Science Park

Science Park Library  
Science Park 904 1098 XH Amsterdam

#### Library Learning Space LAB42

Science Park 900, 1098 XH Amsterdam

#### Allard Pierson

Oude Turfmarkt 127-129, 1012 GC Amsterdam

#### Artis Library

Plantage Middenlaan 45-45 A, 1018 DC Amsterdam  
*This library location is by appointment only*

#### Medical Library AMC

Meibergdreef 9, 1105 AZ Amsterdam  
*Accessible to students at the Faculty of Medicine*

Opening hours and the complete list of locations at: [uba.uva.nl/en/locations](https://uba.uva.nl/en/locations)