Welcome to the Library

Rhiannon Taylor Research and Academic Support Librarian for History 19 October 2023



We're open 24/7





08:30 - 21:30 Staff in the Library to help

21:30 – 08:30 Online chat service via the Library website



Accessibility



Services

Enhanced services to improve access and support at the Library.



Physical access

Physical access to the Library including details of parking provision, lifts, toilets and assistance dogs.



Assistive software

Software and productivity tools to support you whilst studying



LIBRARY



Alternative formats

Alternative formats provision, including RNIB Bookshare and e-book accessibility.



Accessible study rooms

Bookable study spaces within the Library and Learning Grids.



Equipment

Loanable equipment for Library use.



Assistive Technology Area

Library space with adjustable furniture and assistive software



Adjustable furniture

Adjustable furniture provision across Library and Learning Grids.



Safety

Emergency evacuation procedures for main Library.

Printing, photocopying and scanning





Available on every floor

Borrowing





Borrow as many books as you like for a whole year!

Your university card is your Library card

Self-issue and return machines on floor 1





Collections at Warwick

Main collections

- Print books
- Print journals

Around 1 million printed books 19,000 new books added each year

Most History books are on Floor 3

Material in Store – available on request



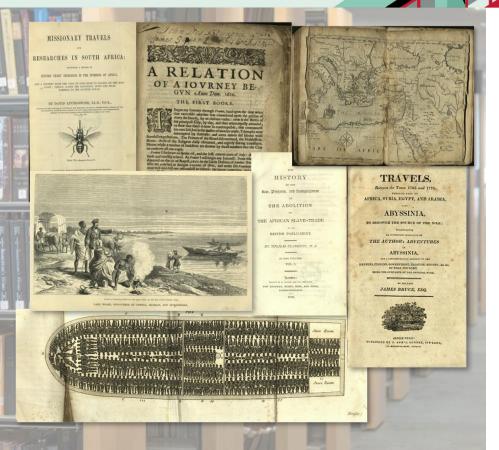


Collections at Warwick

Ethnicity and Migration Collection

Incorporating the Sivanandan Collection of the Institute of Race Relations and the Collection of the Centre for Research in Ethnic Relations.

- From 1960s present
- UK and international focus
- On floor 5
- Reference only





Collections at Warwick

Special collections

Rare books



Warwick Digital Collections

Advanced Search

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Firefighter, journal of the Fire Brigades Union (FBU), 1932-2001



A selection of postcards, photographs, illustrated bookiets and reports on the Easter Rising of 1916, the Irish War of Independence and the Irish Civil War.



HMS Bellerophon midshipman's log 1815

Francis Wall Justice (1795-1891) served in the Royal Navy. In 1815 he kept the midshipman's log on HMS Bellerophon. The log records the days which Napoleon spent on board after the Battle of Waterloo, before his final exile.



Hall Collection of Prompt Books

The Hall Collection contains approximately 600 English plays mostly from the late 18th and early 19th centuries. The plays were used as prompt books by Clara St. Casse, an actress, who travelled with various British touring companies in the 19th century.



Illustrierter Film-Kurier

"Illustrierter Film-Kurier" German film program booklets produced between 1919 and 1944, containing still images, illustrations and production details.



Inscriptions: Image | Text | Sound

A selection of the manuscripts of ecopoet Peter Larkin, alongside visual work and audio recordings by the composer Howard Skempton, and visual artist



This collection contains more than 100 documents from the Modern Records Centre's archives about Britain and the First World War, 1914-1918. From the soldier on the front line to the imprisoned conscientious objector, the woman worker to the wounded ex-serviceman, the sources provide an insight into the far-reaching effects of four years of 'total war' on Britain and its society.



BIPINIALI PRIVINI. French political ephemera, 1848-1852

A small collection of ephemera covering the period between the French Revolution of 1848 and the Second Empire.



LEO: The world's first business computer

Documents relating to the development of LEO (Lyons Electronic Office), the world's first business computer, by J. Lyons & Co. Ltd. between 1947-1954.



Library Special Collections

A selection from the 15,000 rare books and pamphlets held in the University of Warwick Library.



Ancien Régime Drama

selection of plays from the Marandet collection covering 1700 to 1789.



Revolutionary Drama

A selection of plays from the Marandet collection covering 1789 to 1800.







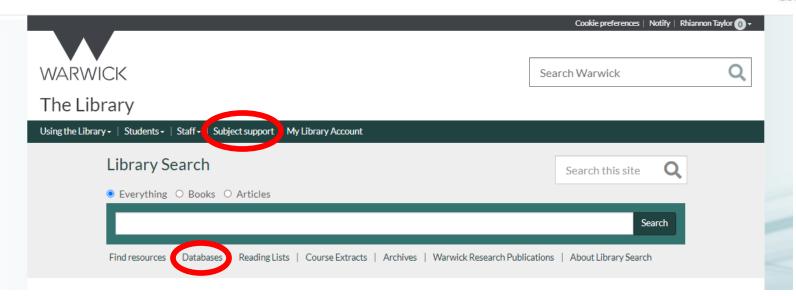
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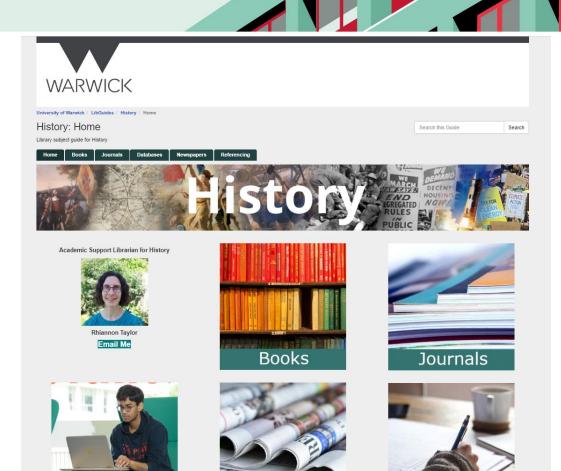
Digital Collections

- eBooks
- •eJournals
- Primary source archives
- Audio-visual media

Finding resources

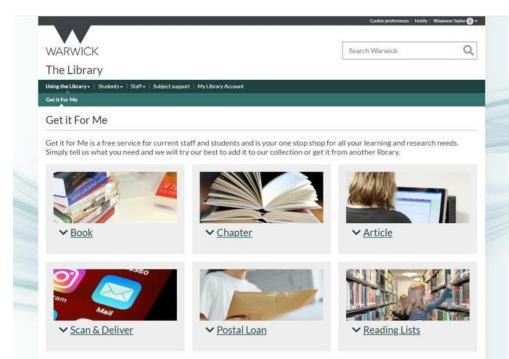








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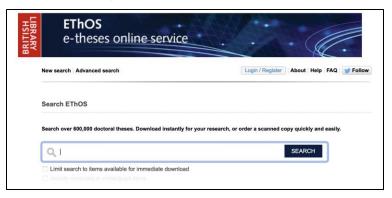


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- •Access scheme to use other UK university libraries
- Register online

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Finding theses - EThOS

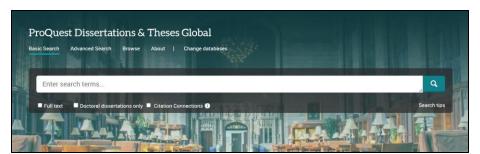


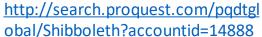
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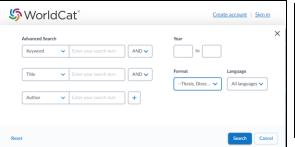


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Finding theses







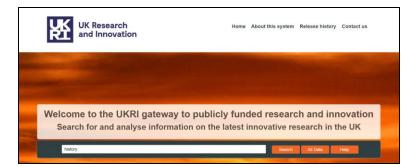


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Finding theses in progress





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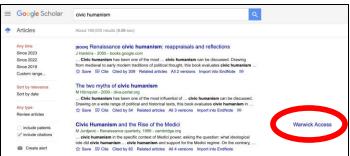
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Other external resources



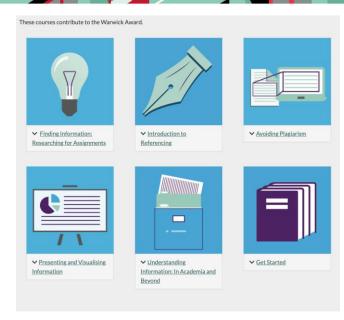








Library Online Courses

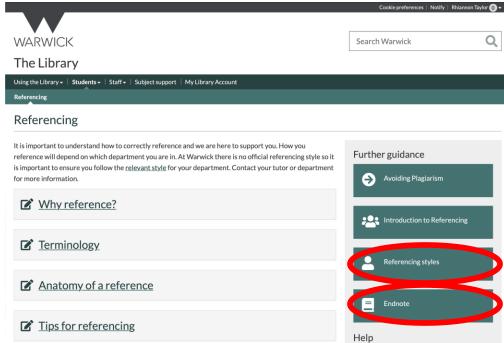






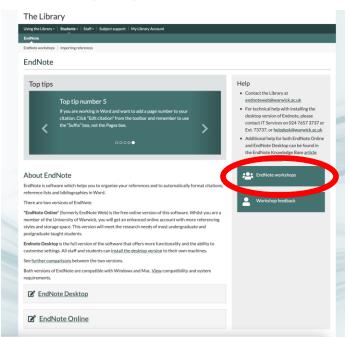


Referencing and managing references

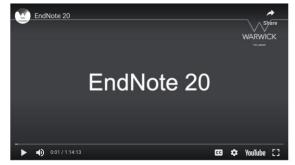




Managing references



Watch a recording of one of the Library's training sessions



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Your Library





The Library is your Library ...

- •Here to support your needs
- Get involved
 - Suggest displays
 - Suggest material

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Help



Welcome Point



Library Helpdesk



IT Services Helpdesk



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Research and Academic
Support Librarian
Help finding information for your research, referencing support and making the most of library resources

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Finding your sources: Libraries, Archives and Reference Mangement Tuesday 31st October 11-1 Wolfson Research Exchange

More about finding sources, search techniques, working with databases, archives and reference management

Thank you

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