New NCU Library Website Quick Start Guide

Access the Library right from your My.NCU.edu course room in the top navigation bar.

When you come to the Library’s homepage it should look familiar to you if you have ever visited the site before. This is the current Library site. You will be able to access the new Library website from a link prominently featured on the current Library site, which will allow you to use both the current and new Library site.

Click the link to access the new Library Website!
Use your tablet or smartphone to access the new Library Website as well! See screenshots below for examples of how the site is reformatted to fit the screen on your tablet or mobile device.
The Library homepage has many new features.

First, we would like to draw your attention to the survey requesting your feedback on our new site. Don’t forget to participate in the survey once you’ve had the opportunity to explore and use the new Library Website.

The first new feature your eyes may be drawn to is the rotating carousel highlighting various library services and resources. You may click on any of these slides to access that particular resource or service.
Our staff hours and contact information are now front and center on the new website so you know when help is available and how to reach us.
“How Can I?” highlights our most popular services and resources. Our most popular services include library workshops, research consultations, and interlibrary loan. The most popular resources featured here are our Learn the Library tutorials, the information literacy tutorial, and the alumni library databases.

Below the carousel, we have our Resource of the Month. The Resource of the Month is a feature on our current Library website as well.

However, there are enhancements to this feature with the new site. Now you can rate and review our featured Resource of the Month.
Directly below the carousel we now have an area highlighting our most popular Library Workshops. Note that the workshops listed here will link to the recorded version of each workshop. If you would like to attend a live workshop, click the “Sign up for a Library Workshop” link listed under “How Can I?” in the upper left hand corner of the page.

Additional enhancements are featured on various pages throughout the new Library Website.

Have a question for the Library? Check our FAQs first to see if your question has already been addressed by our library staff. You can access FAQs via the tab on the Library’s homepage or under Research Help in the blue menu bar.
Library FAQs now feature an auto-complete search. Start to type in your keyword or question and see which FAQs are available.
If you have taken our Information Literacy Tutorial before it may look a bit different to you now. We recreated the tutorial using a new online survey software. To access the tutorial you can click on “Test My Library Skills” under “How Can I?” or under Research Help in the blue menu bar.

With the new Information Literacy Tutorial you receive immediate feedback on each question letting you know whether you answered correctly. At the end of the tutorial, you may email your final score to yourself and/or your instructor.

We hope you enjoy the new Library Website! Don’t forget to submit feedback through our survey.