

Start at Your Library

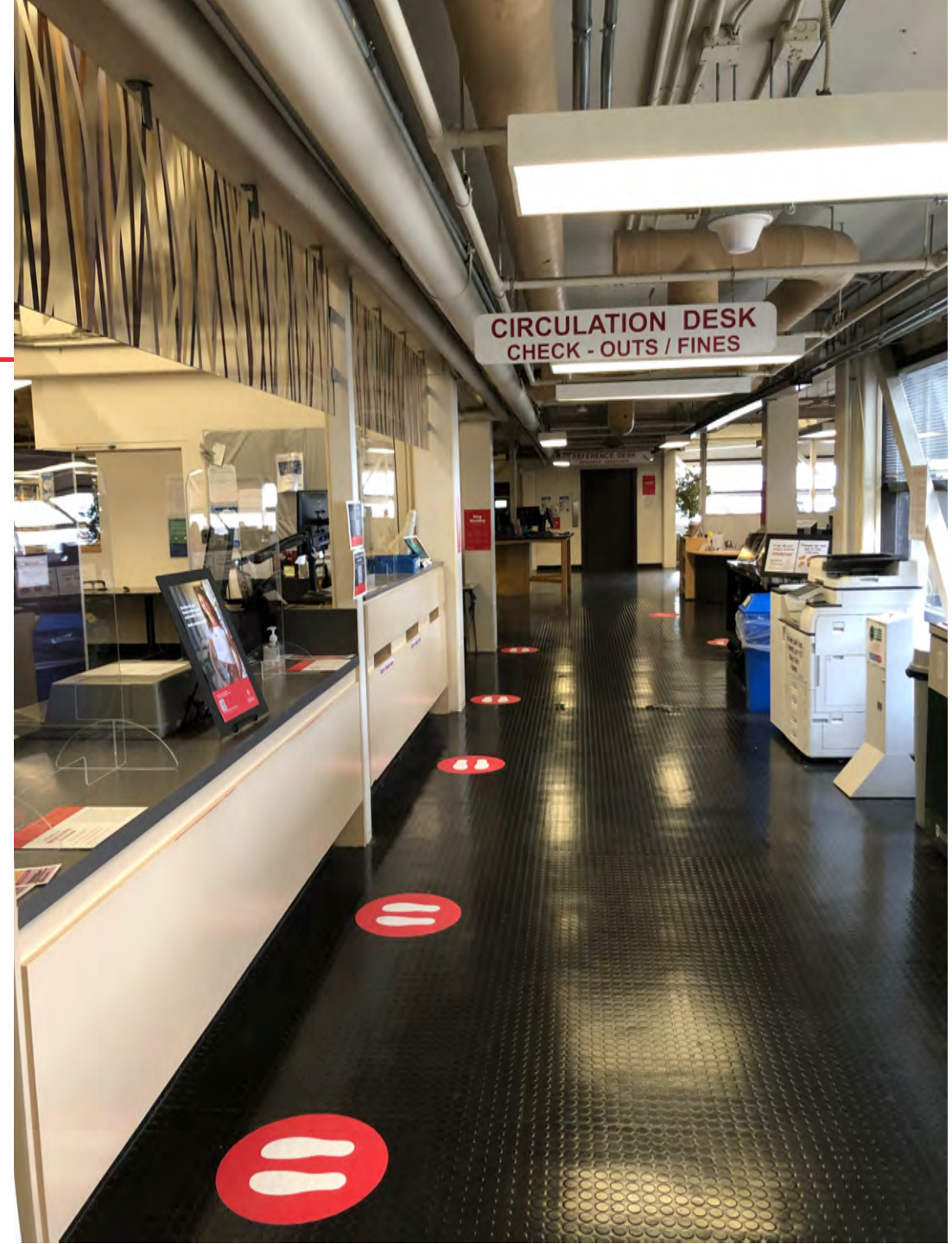
Study Skills – September 15th, 2021



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Entrance and Circulation

- 4th floor of Centennial Hall
- U-turn at the top of the escalators.
- Computers and Printers
- Circulation Desk
 - Check items in and out
 - Get help with library accounts, technology, printing.



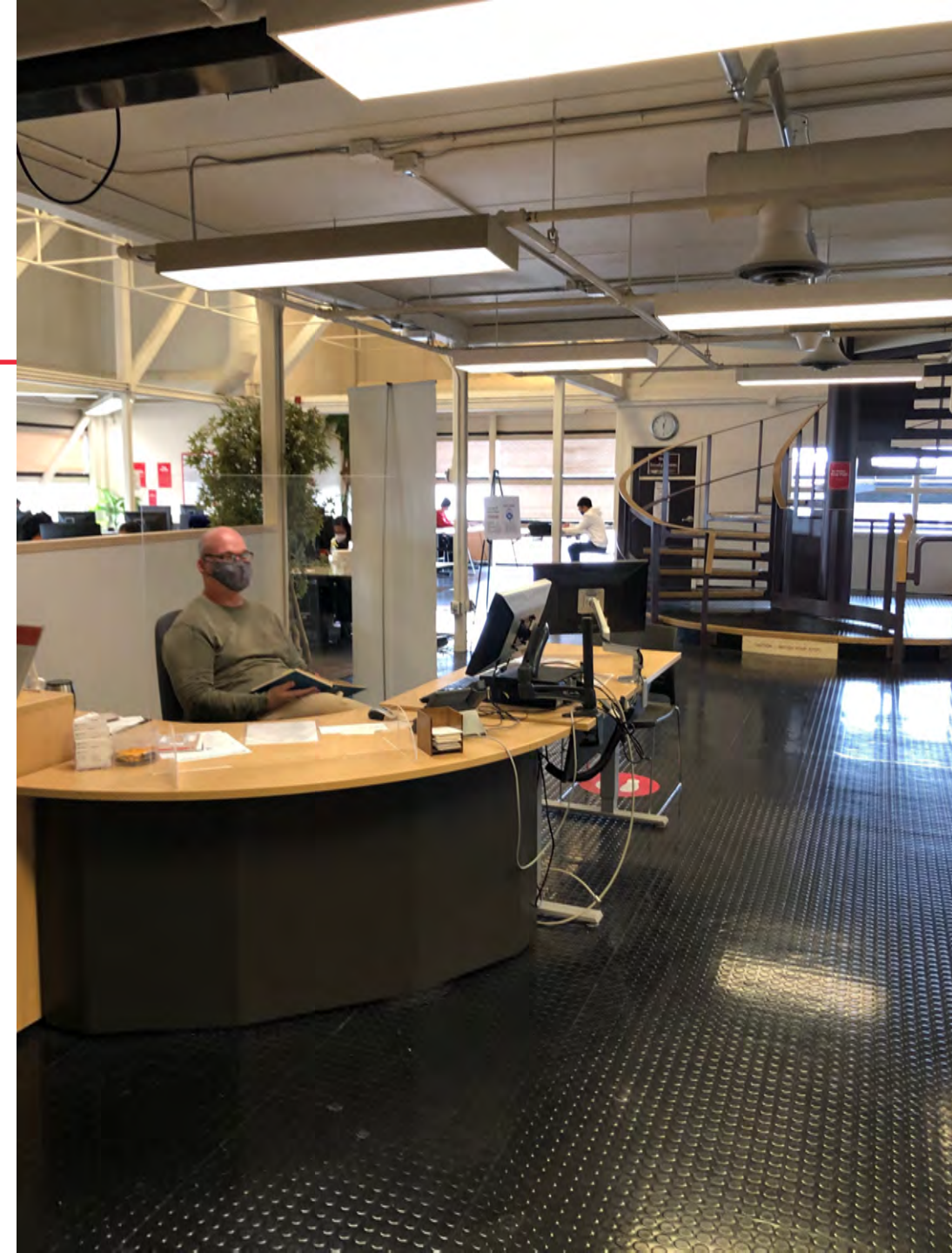


Reference Collection

- 4th floor of Centennial Hall
- Dictionaries and Encyclopedias
- Great for background information

Reference Desk

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- Get help with research projects and finding sources.
- Librarians and library staff are there Monday-Friday, 9-5.
- Also, available for [Online Chat](#) and Email

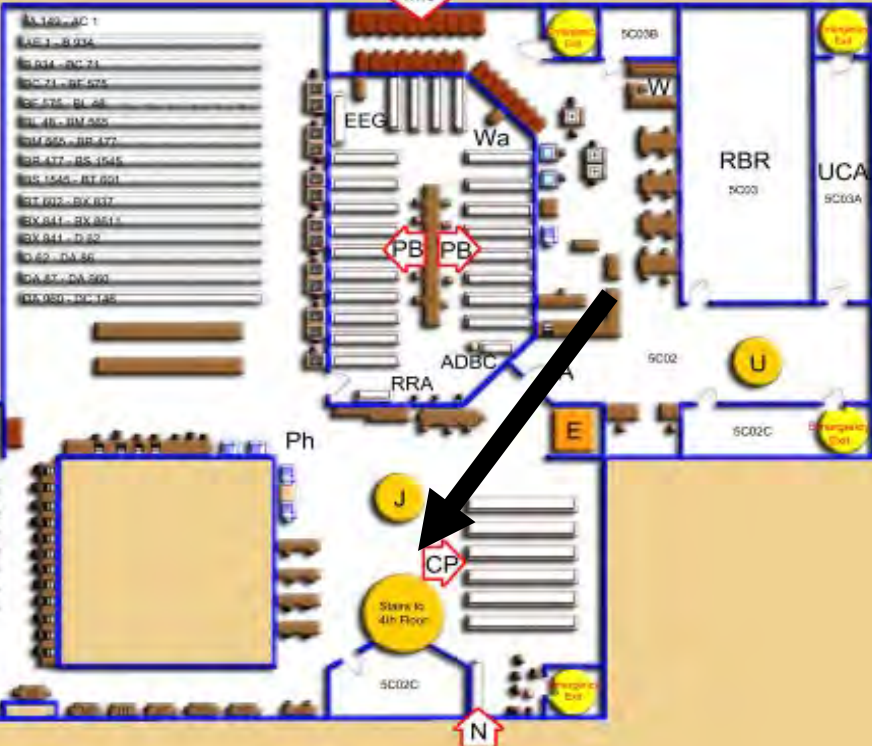




Spiral Staircase

- Leads to 4th floor Mezzanine and 5th floor
- “Main Stacks” or main collection
- Journals (current and backstacks)
- Archives
- Notice, [group study rooms](#)

University of Winnipeg Library
5th Floor



Map Key

A = Archives and Records Centre
Ph = Photocopiers
M = Mezzanine Study Area
E = Elevator
N = Newspapers
CP = Current Periodicals Area
PB = Periodicals Back Issues Area
Mic = Microfilm
RBR = Rare Book Room
EEG = Eastern European Geneological Society Collection
RRA = Reavis Reading Area
CRS = Centre For Rupert's Land Studies
UCA = United Church Archives
W = Writer's Collective
CC = Children's Picture Book Collection
J = Juice (UofW Creative Writing Journal) Office
Wa = Wanka Collection
ADB= Asian Development Bank Collection
U = United Nations Association in Canada &
The Immigrant Women's Association of Manitoba

Main Collection

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- Organized by the Library of Congress classification system.
- Examples:
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Periodicals

- Current and Back Issues on the 5th floor
- Fancy way of saying Journals, Magazines, or Newspapers.
- Online periodicals can be found in our [databases](#).

5th Floor

- Lots of collections and study spaces
- Mezzanines are currently closed, but will be open when it's safe to do so.
- Really nice views across the city in all directions, good for contemplation :)



This is the library website.



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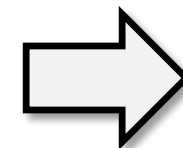
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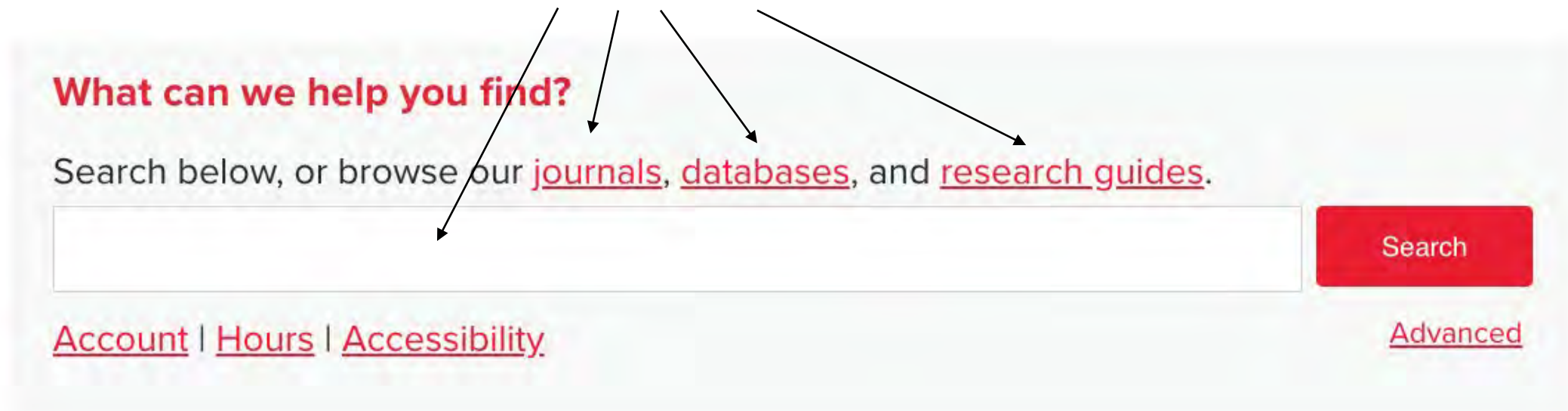
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[Library Help Chat](#) ^



Library Search Tools

- The library's search tools are located in the grey box on the homepage.
- Click on *journals*, *databases*, *research guides*, or *the search box* below to learn more about each tool.



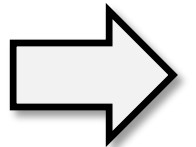
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Journals

- You can search for the names of specific journals, magazines, or newspapers, to see what the library has.
- The search results will show you which database collections have full-text articles from that journal. Click the title link to open the database and browse the journal.
- If you know of a specific article, you can use the journal title to see if the library has a full-text copy available online.
- You can also search for any words in the journal titles, so you could see what journals are about a certain subject.

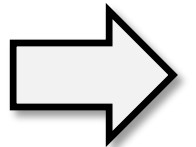


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Databases

- The library subscribes to hundreds of databases, which are specialized collections of (often academic) journals, ebooks, and other sources.
- You can browse the full list of databases, or narrow by subject, source type, or vendor.
- You can also search the database descriptions to find one that covers the subject area you're researching.
- You can access these databases even off campus. All you need is to sign in with your WebAdvisor username and password. On-campus you usually won't be asked to sign in.



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Research Guides

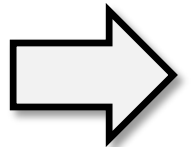
- The librarians have created guides to the major subjects studied at U of W.
- These will give you a basic overview of the relevant sources in a subject area.
- If you're new to a subject, you can explore the guides to learn about subject encyclopedias, databases, search strategies, and sections in the library worth browsing.
- You can also often find contact information for the subject librarian for that area along with the option to schedule an appointment with them.

Try it!



The Search Box

- Search across many database collections and formats, including books, ebooks, journals, journal articles, videos (DVDs and streaming), and more.
- Use simple keyword searches (like Google) to find library items about certain topics.
- You can narrow and refine your search after to find the type of results you want.
- The results default to Libraries Worldwide, so you can see what exists everywhere, but this too can be changed to suit your needs.



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Questions?

- Visit the library: 4th Floor of Centennial Hall
- Ask us at the Reference Desk, online chat, or email.
- Watch our [video tutorials](#).