Writing and Research Handbooks

Every student should have a good academic writing and research handbook or manual. These books explain how to write academic research papers and assignments, including how to follow accepted academic citation methods. The following recommended titles are available for in-library use at the Harriet Irving Library, either next to the Research Help Desk (HIL-REFDSK) or in the nearby Reference Stacks (HIL-REF).

**Standard Style Manuals**


HIL-REFDSK BF76.7 .P83 2020


HIL-REFDSK LB2369 .M52 2016


HIL-REFDSK Z253 .U69 2017

**General Handbooks**


HIL-REFDSK PE1112 .F685 2012


HIL-REFDSK LB2369 .N67 2012


HIL-REFDESK PE1408 .R6768 2014


HIL-REFDSK LB2369 .S62 2010

**Helpful eBooks**


https://unb.on.worldcat.org/v2/oclc/245297830


For more titles, search the catalogue using a subject phrase such as *academic writing*. You will find additional books at UNB Libraries.
Further Writing Help

Visit a Writing Centre website to find online writing guides:

UNB: go.unb.ca/wss >> Writing Answers
STU: stu.ca/writingcentre >> Writing Resources

UNB Fredericton
• Visit the UNBF Writing Centre (room 410 of the Harriet Irving Library).
• Book appointments online (go.unb.ca/wss), by email (wss@unb.ca), or by phone (452-6346).
• During regular terms, the UNBF Writing Centre offers “drop-in hours” in the evenings.

UNB Saint John
• Visit the UNBSJ Writing Centre (Hans W. Klohn Commons, Rooms 131 & 132).
• Book appointments online (https://unbsj.mywconline.com/).

St. Thomas University
• Visit the STU Writing Centre (Edmund Casey Hall, Room 102).
• Book appointments online (stu.ca/writingcentre).
• For more information, contact the coordinator (writingcentre@stu.ca or 506-452-0480).

Further Research Help

Do not assume that you will be able to find everything you need for a research paper in an hour or two. All aspects of the learning process require time. Finding relevant and reliable information, critically reading and evaluating it, and writing clearly about it—all are time-intensive activities. As a rule, expect the research process to take about three times as long as the writing process. You will likely need some help along the way. When you do, remember that the library is in the business of providing research help:

Research Help Desk ~ Harriet Irving Library
Location: Main Floor
Instant Message: lib.unb.ca/help/ask.php
Phone: 506-453-3546
Text: 506.800.9044
Email: askus@unb.ca

Subject Liaison Librarians
These librarians provide advanced research help in their subject areas. For contact information, see a Research Guide on the library homepage.

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