

Guide to AUA's AGBU PAPAZIAN LIBRARY

for New Faculty

2017-2018 Spring Semester

E-Guide to the library <http://library.aua.am/e-guide-to-auas-agbu-papazian-library/>

Library collections

The Library provides books, periodicals, audiovisual and online resources that support the learning and research needs of students and faculty. To find materials in the library consult with the Library Catalog at:

<http://library.aua.am/> or <https://aualibrary.on.worldcat.org/discovery>

Online References and Databases

The library subscribes to a large number of online databases and resources. The complete list of all online resources can be found at: <http://libguides.aua.am/az.php> and for off-campus at: <http://library.aua.am/off-campus-access/>

Additional Resources

- **Moodle** is the AUA's Virtual Learning Environment (VLE) can be accessed directly from the Library webpage at <https://moodle.aua.am/>
- **Turnitin** is a plagiarism detection tool integrated into the Moodle.
- **RefManager, ZOTERO and Mendeley** are web-based tools for managing and citing references in papers and creating bibliographies. <http://libguides.aua.am/c.php?g=697508>
- **Koha Journal Finder** offers a central access point for e-journals licensed by the Library <http://jf.aua.am/>

Library Services

- **Ask a Librarian.** <http://library.aua.am/ask-a-librarian/>
- **Borrowing of materials.** The loan period of AUA faculty is one semester, maximum items – 20.
- **On Reserve.** Faculty may place required readings or other materials on reserve at the Circulation Desk.
- **Library instructions.** guided tours and in-class orientations are offered at various times throughout the academic year, generally upon the request of a faculty member. The request form is available at <http://library.aua.am/library-instruction-session-calendar/>
- **ILL/Document Delivery supply.** Library staff will obtain journal articles and/or book chapters that are not held in the library. <http://library.aua.am/interlibrary-loan/>
- **Book Recommendation** made by faculty for the purchase. <http://library.aua.am/recommendation-requests/>
- **Library provides** laptops for library use, 100 tablets for use in classrooms upon the request at <http://library.aua.am/tablet-request-form/> , black and white printer/copier/scanner.
- **Off-campus** access to the electronic resources is available with Net ID and password at: <http://library.aua.am/off-campus-access/>

Facilities

Library offers a welcoming, comfortable, and state-of-the art learning environment:

- 180 seats in two large halls
- 15 individual carrels
- 7 group study rooms with large LCD screens
- Collaborative Study Space at Agbabian Hall
- Library Instruction Room in the Library Lower Level