TOP 5 WAYS LIBRARIANS CAN HELP YOU & YOUR STUDENTS

① Individual Research Appointments
We can help you learn in-depth about library databases in your subject area, advanced search techniques, tracking down citations, and other library resources and services that meet your, and your students’, individual information needs. Make an appointment with your Library Liaison to learn more.

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② New Publication Alerts/Purchase Requests
We can help you keep current with your favorite publications by setting you up to automatically receive alerts on the latest articles and tables of contents from journals and alerts for new books published in your discipline. Let us know if there is a resource we don’t have that you feel would improve our collection or better support your course (http://bit.ly/request).

③ Library Workshops for Your Students
Librarians are available to visit your class to provide a hands-on research workshop for your students to help them prepare for their research assignments and develop their information literacy skills. Information literacy is one of the six Undergraduate Competencies at UAS. Librarians provide workshops for introductory and advanced level courses in both the face-to-face and e-Learning environments. Contact your Library Liaison to discuss and plan a workshop.

④ Research Help
Do you or your students need immediate research help? Do you need help tracking down a citation? Does one of your students need help determining if a resource is reliable or not? Need to know the most efficient way to identify and locate an article on a topic? We provide research help in person at the Reference Desk, via email, chat, and phone! Contact us: 796-6502 or toll-free (877)796-6502, egan.library@uas.alaska.edu

⑤ We Make Online Guides to Assist Your Students with Library Resources and Services
We create and make available a collection of online Research Guides (http://uas.alaska.libguides.com) and can develop new guides to assist your students with finding and evaluating resources for a particular class or assignment. Interested in creating a permanent link to a library resource, article, or book in your UASOnline course site? We are happy to help.
→ January 28, 2015, 10am – 3pm: Bibliomixology -- Come to the Library, Get Mixed Up! Students are invited to grab two books they think would make a good mix, submit a mashup of the title (titlemash ie “The Grapes of Dune”) or plot (plotmash), check on their library account status and get a Spike’s coffee coupon. Plus more!

→ February 4, 2015 time TBD – Faculty Weeding Party – Help improve the library’s collection by reviewing materials and recommending materials for weeding and for purchase.

→ Coming next Fall 2015 - UAS will be a site for the exhibition “Native Voices: Native Concepts of Health & Illness”(http://www.nlm.nih.gov/nativevoices/). Prior to the opening we will be coordinating local contributions focusing on health, wellness and illness topics from Tlingit, Haida and Tsimshian perspectives.

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**DID YOU KNOW?**

**You can lengthen your loan period!**
Faculty members receive 120 day checkout periods (+ 1 renewal) on library materials from the Egan Library’s general collection. Just bring your faculty ID to our Circulation Desk, and we’ll set your checkout period accordingly.

**We Can Place Materials on Reserve for Your Class**
We have course reserves at the library if you’d like to keep readings available for your entire class.

**You Can Easily Obtain Materials from Other Libraries in Alaska and around the World**
Need a resource that we don’t have? No problem – it’s easy to request materials from other libraries through our new library catalog, and our efficient ILL services can deliver the materials you need. Journal articles and book chapters can be delivered electronically in just a few business days. Visit http://bit.ly/uasILL to set up your ILL account.

**It’s Easy to Keep Up with What’s Going on in the Library!**
Find us on Facebook to keep up with the latest library events and announcements. Egan library hosts events throughout the academic year including Open House, National Poetry Month, Banned Books Week, One Campus One Book events, and many more. Don’t miss an opportunity to encourage your students to attend, and of course join in yourself! We also have a YouTube channel that includes Egan Research Minutes, which are short videos on library use and research strategies.

**More Questions?**
Please feel free to contact your Library Liaison! We look forward to working with you.

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