

University of Liechtenstein

LIBRARY

A short guide to the library



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General information

The library of the University of Liechtenstein is open to students, academic staff and the public. It is the university's heart for literature research and offers expert knowledge, information and research support services for teaching, further education and research.

The library collection focuses on Business, Economics, Law, Architecture, Spatial Planning and Construction Engineering. Further collection topics: Political Studies, Sociology, Psychology, History of Liechtenstein, Computer Science, Linguistics.

Opening and service hours

	Service hours	extended opening hours <i>*access with UniLi badge</i>
Monday - Thursday	9 am – 5 pm	5 am – 10 pm
Friday	9 am – 8 pm	8 am – 10 pm
Saturday	closed	9 am – 6 pm



Students and employees of the University of Liechtenstein have access to our library outside of service hours with their UniLi badge. The circulation desk is closed during the extended opening hours.

Services

The library of the University of Liechtenstein is part of the [SLSP Network](#) (Swiss Library Service Platform), the national Swiss platform for academic libraries together with more than 500 other Swiss libraries. The common discovery tool [swisscovery](#) lists more than 30 million resources.

Print media

The print holdings of the University Library [swisscovery.li](#) contain about 27'000 books and 250 current journals and magazines.

E-resources

The University of Liechtenstein subscribes to a large selection of e-resources.

Members of the university have online access to [61 databases and electronic collections](#) for scholarly research in the relevant scientific disciplines. The library provides more than 88'000 e-books (via Springer Link, etc.), which are recorded in [swisscovery.li](#).

About 28'000 licensed e-journals are also available. Furthermore, you find over 68'000 documents for the fields of study in the [Ebook Central Library](#). These e-books can be downloaded for a certain loan period. [Swissdox](#) und [WISO Presse](#) grant access to over 840 newspapers.

[EZB \(Electronic Journals Library\)](#) helps to see if the full text of the e-journal you are looking for is at your disposal.

Access to the online databases for students and employees of the University of Liechtenstein is either possible on campus via WIFI UNI_INT or from outside the campus via [Citrix](#) (citrix.uni.li). University members get more information [here](#).

Using the library

Registration

The precondition for using the University of Liechtenstein Library is the creation of a [SWITCH edu-ID](#) account. The edu-ID is a long-lasting identity for everyone associated with the Swiss academic world or who use Swiss academic libraries. It can be used at all Swiss universities, is owner-bound and therefore independent of any organisation. During the registration process, use therefore the private email address as main e-mail address. If you already have an edu-ID, don't duplicate, but use it to register. About university members the firstname.surname@uni.li address must be entered as the second address in the edu-ID account. As a second step it is also important to ensure that the account is linked to the UniLi organisation. In a third step the edu-ID must be [registered](#) with swisscovery. The student or employee ID number is also the library ID (e.g. FS230221, FM136611) and is added automatically. For registration follow these [instructions](#).

Lending procedure

The loan period for books is 28 calendar days, the maximal loan period is 24 weeks after 5 automatic renewals of another 28 days each, unless there is a hold request on the item by another user. A single loan of 14 days is possible for print journals. There is no limit of items for loan per user.

Many books from the research libraries which are located in the departments can be consulted on site on request.

At the end of the loan period the user will receive a free recall or a reminder by e-mail.

It is possible to return media via the book drop-off (in the cafeteria to the right of the library entrance door).

Should the user still fail to return the borrowed items, SLSP will charge as follows:

1st overdue notice (by e-mail SLSP)	CHF 5.00 per item
2nd overdue notice (by e-mail SLSP)	an additional CHF 5.00 per item
3rd overdue notice (by letter mail, library)	an additional CHF 10.00 per item

For further information on the lending policy visit the website: [Borrowing & ordering documents](#)

Borrowing print media from other Swiss libraries per Courier

The SLSP Courier service is carried out by the users themselves after registration in swisscovery. You can order media and copies to the UNILI library, or you can pick them up at another SLSP library.

This service is subject to charges, which are indicated when the order is placed. For members of the University of Liechtenstein, SLSP Courier orders with pick-up location UNILI Library are free of charge. You can find detailed information [here](#).

Inter-library loan

Interlibrary loan is used to obtain literature that is unavailable in swisscovery.

The library will order media and journal articles for you from libraries in Switzerland and abroad (Europe) which are found neither in swisscovery nor in the holdings of Liechtenstein libraries.

Proceed as follows:

- If the desired book or article is not available in swisscovery, the document can be searched in catalogues like [Online-Katalog des Liechtensteinischen Bibliotheksverbunds](#) or [Karlsruher Virtueller Katalog](#) or [Worldcat](#).
- To ensure that we are able to carry out your interlibrary loan order or document delivery properly, we will require a few details from you.
- Please fill in the corresponding form as detailed as possible (mandatory fields are marked with *).
- Choose either the form for [books](#) or for [journal articles/book chapters](#).

For any further information contact document.delivery@uni.li.

Equipment

The library with its facilities offers ideal conditions for quiet learning and working. In addition to 20 workstations with internet access for laptops, 1 public PC with internet access and 1 research station are waiting for use. A self-checkout terminal is available in the entrance area. The library is also equipped with a multifunction device (printing, copying, scanning) for members.

Information and advisory service

The Library Team is here to help support your study, teaching and research.

Enquiries can be made during the service hours of the library counter by phone (+423 265 12 60) or by e-mail (library@uni.li).

The library team

We are looking forward to your visit – welcome!



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