



1. Congratulations Graduates!

The library congratulates all new graduates from our recent graduations. We look forward to being part of your next journey as continuing students or Alumni members.

2. INFORMATION RESEARCH SKILLS (IRS)

IRS for Undergraduate and Postgraduate students are offered simultaneously online for ALL CAMPUSES and face to face at selected campuses throughout Semester 1.

If you are unable to attend a scheduled session online or face to face, please contact **either** the IRS Coordinator (Laucala based) – Vasiti Chambers: vasiti.chambers@usp.ac.fj, your Campus Librarian (regional students) or your Liaison Librarian: <https://www.usp.ac.fj/library/our-services/liaison-librarians/>

(i) Postgraduate IRS

Mandatory in the 1st semester for new PG enrolments. Online and F2F sessions are advertised via All Staff/All Students email, via the PG-IRS Moodle page, the library website and social media (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram). Advertised tutorials are voluntary. Upcoming sessions:

Date	Time (Fiji)	Module
Tue. 25/4	11.30-1pm, 6-7.30pm	3
Zoom link (11.30am-1pm): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/86714404235?pwd=UnNmNHg1YUJrZlQxZWVdQeW8yb0VWQT09 (Passcode: 9F4%dKa7%) Zoom link (6-7.30pm): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/84193860462?pwd=a3pTbW9Pd1BRU0VjOFh1U1QrUnYwUT09 (Passcode: apa2\$Z586)		
Wed. 26/4	12-1.30pm, 6-7.30pm	4
Zoom link (12-1.30pm): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/81417773882?pwd=RkpmSEVWUDV4eGRBZ29GWTVoKzI3Zz09 (Passcode: s2TK*fxFv) Zoom link (6-7.30pm): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/84193860462?pwd=a3pTbW9Pd1BRU0VjOFh1U1QrUnYwUT09 (Passcode: apa2\$Z586)		
Sat. 29/4	10-11.30am	5
Zoom link (12.30-2pm): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/89695190581?pwd=NGRMWYWNkMEx1aisyV1NXRVM1NzI6dz09 (Passcode: v8Kf\$XMce)		

(ii) Undergraduate IRS

All scheduled sessions (Online via Zoom & F2F) are advertised via All Staff/All Students email, the library website and social media (Facebook, Twitter, Instagram). Some upcoming sessions:

Date	Time (Fiji)	Module
Tue. 25/4	9.30am, 1.30pm	8 - Citing & Ref.
Zoom link (9.30-10.30am): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/85403110382?pwd=NXhsUVNoZzFiTXNVWkVVESTB6V2E1Zz09 (Passcode: \$xHdz3g%j) Zoom link (1.30-2.30pm): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/87287129817?pwd=ZDI2dEhsbjFoZEhsMHZVQm5XSUxzQT09 (Passcode: \$hwqY3fFq)		
Wed. 26/4	10am, 2pm	9 - Plagiarism
Zoom link (10-11am): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/84925558525?pwd=OC9mOUtyc1lwTDgxNnJuQ2wyRG5WUT09 (Passcode: bQb7@cUyb) Zoom link (2-3pm): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/88217618289?pwd=cU41Q1V1QTF0aFNGBm1zSfNvQzIPdz09 (Passcode: @wuKFZj2c)		
Tue. 2/5	9.30am, 2.30pm	1- Plan your Search
Zoom link (9.30-10.30am): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/84344611253?pwd=WE5sQlpCbysrdVpMY3N4QVd0M3Eydz09 (Passcode: c\$GzArfx9) Zoom link (2.30-3.30pm): https://usp-fj.zoom.us/j/84299129404?pwd=YUtOb0h4TnRyTmgvN1RZUDNIWFZ2Zz09 (Passcode: pBScuP7U\$)		



3. LIBRARY OPENING HOURS:

For Regional Campus libraries' opening hours, please refer to: <https://www.usp.ac.fj/library/about-us/opening-hours/>

Main Library – Laucala

During Semester:

Monday – Thursday	8:00 a.m. – 10:00 p.m.
Friday	8.00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Saturday	9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Sunday	1:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Public Holiday	9:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Learning Commons (Level A):

One Stop Shop Services

First Year Experience (FYE): Mon-Wed. (10-11am)

Justice of the Peace (JP): Friday (2-3pm)

Student Learning Support (SLS): Tue. & Thur. (11-12noon)

Lower Campus Library (PIMRIS)

Monday - Thursday 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Friday 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Saturday/Sunday/Public Holidays – **CLOSED**

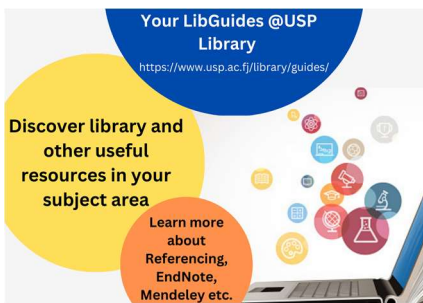
All services cease at the Main Issue Desks and Pacific Collection **30 minutes** before Library closure.

4. SERVICES & RESOURCES

- **Library Payment Options:** to pay library fines and other charges and fees:
<https://www.usp.ac.fj/library/library-payment-options/>
- **Ask-a-Librarian service:** Need help or assistance? Please fill in the form available here and submit:
<https://www.usp.ac.fj/library/our-services/library-forms/ask-a-librarian/> or send an email to AskALibrarian@usp.ac.fj.

You may also check the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) page on the library website for more information: <https://usp-fj.libanswers.com/>

- **Liaison Librarians (LL):** contact your LL for assistance relating to Information Research Skills (IRS) sessions, subject related research assistance etc. Find out more: <https://www.usp.ac.fj/library/our-services/liaison-librarians/>
- **LibGuides:** <https://usp.ac.fj.libguides.com/index.php>



Your LibGuides @USP Library
<https://www.usp.ac.fj/library/guides/>

Discover library and other useful resources in your subject area

Learn more about Referencing, EndNote, Mendeley etc.

Browse more than 70 guides, from Accounting to Youth Work (sorted alphabetically and by subject)

5. DATABASES (Access via Library Database list)

Some of these databases can be searched simultaneously via the library's discovery tool – Search@USPLibrary or click 'Library' then 'Databases' from the USP Homepage.

- **Credo Reference Online:** Reference tool that provides background information to start your research. Searching 2,116,749 full text articles in 752 reference books from 102 publishers.
- **CAB Direct:** CAB Direct is the most thorough and extensive source of reference in the applied life sciences, incorporating the leading bibliographic databases CAB Abstracts and Global Health.

6. SUGGESTIONS & FEEDBACK

We welcome questions, suggestions, and feedback for the improvement of our services, resources, facilities and policies. Please fill in the suggestion form at the Laucala Library foyer or complete the online form: <https://www.usp.ac.fj/library/our-services/library-forms/feedback-suggestions/>

7. GENERAL REMINDERS

Unattended Belongings

Think Safety! Help Prevent Theft! Students are strongly advised not to leave their belongings and valuables unattended in the library. When you leave, take your belongings with you. Remember that the library is a public space.

On the advice of USP Security – please remove caps & hoodies when entering the library.

NO FOOD PERMITTED IN THE LIBRARY

Please refer to 'Food & Drink' posters (left) at the Laucala Library Foyer & Learning Commons (Level A) for more details.



Your connection to the library social media

 <https://twitter.com/USPLibrary>

 <https://www.instagram.com/usplibrary/>

 <https://www.facebook.com/USPLibrary>

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