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As part of the team-based structure within University Library's Public Services area, the Health & Sciences team comprised of five subject librarians was formed in 2011 in order to support GSU's 2011-2016 Strategic Plan:

Goal 3: Become a leading public research university addressing the most challenging issues of the 21st century.

Initiative 5: Enhance Georgia State's contributions to the sciences, and health and medical research and education.



PubMed Workshops

To help students gain critical research skills earlier in the semester, the Library will be offering PubMed workshops in Classroom 2 of Library North. These classes will be offered each Fall and Spring semester. Have YOU forgotten how to use MeSH? Come on down or schedule an appointment with your subject librarian. The dates are as follows:

- Monday, February 18, 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm
- Tuesday, February 19, 8:30 am – 9:30 am
- Wednesday, February 20,



Data Management

Got a data management plan to write for your federal grant, or just want to be more organized with your data? With the [DMPTool](#), you can

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- Learn about resources and services available at your institution to fulfill the data management requirements of their grants

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11:00 am – 12:00 pm

- Thursday, February 21,
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm
- Friday, February 22,
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm



Web of Science Workshops

Web of Science is a great research tool for information in the sciences, social sciences, arts, and humanities. It offers a unified platform that integrates all data and search terms together so that you can conduct one search to find all relevant items. Other benefits of this database are citation analysis and cover-to-cover indexing.

The Library will be hosting four workshops to assist you in learning how to use this resource. Workshops will be held:

- Monday, 4 March,
8:30am – 9:30am
- Tuesday, 5 March,
1pm-2pm
- Wednesday, 6 March,
3pm-4pm
- Thursday, 7 March,
11am -12pm

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Check out these articles by [Dr. Vijay Ganji](#) of Physical Therapy, [Dr. Christine Stauber](#) of Public Health, and Drs. [Andrey Shilnikov and Gennady Cymbalyuk](#) of Physics and Astronomy.

All workshops will be held in Library Classroom 2, located on the second floor of Library North.

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APA's Advanced Training Institutes

The American Psychological Association offers summer training institutes for psychologists interested in emerging science technologies, research methods, and experiential learning. Faculty, post-docs, and graduate students may apply. This year's institutes will be offered at the University of California Davis, Michigan State University, and the University of Cincinnati. Get [more information on the criteria for acceptance and the application process here](#).



Course Reserves

Many faculty take advantage of [the course reserves system](#) at the university library. Due to their limited check out



New NSF Grant Submission Rules

Planning on submitting a grant to the National Science Foundation (NSF) now or in the future? Make sure to familiarize yourself with the NSF's new rules for grant proposals, effective January 14. The Chronicle of Higher Education concisely reviews the changes in Karen M. Markin's column [Don't Underestimate NSF's New Grant-Submission Rules](#). The changes apply to four aspects of the process: the project summary; the biosketch; reporting of facilities, equipment, and other resources; and the review criteria. None of the changes are major, but correctly completing the application process could make the difference between a successful grant and one that's rejected off the bat. [Read More.](#)

times, digital and print items on reserve remain available to all students. For example, nursing professors Cranwell-Bruce, Sims, Hall-Grantham and Bacon all currently reap the benefits of the reserve system. Nursing subject librarian [Todd Prusin](#) has created [Research Guides](#) to compliment these nursing classes, directing students to said reserve items. All professors are encouraged to place items on reserve and work with their subject librarian to develop course research guides.



Writing in the Sciences

Teaching a course and want some science-specific writing resources to give your students? The library's [Writing in the Sciences Research Guide](#) includes two Prezi presentations for classroom use, recommendations of books and websites, and downloadable handouts.

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