#### Instruction

Professional librarians offer instruction sessions throughout the year to teach students information literacy skills and introduce faculty and staff to library resources, services and tools. Instruction includes:

- Library orientation sessions.
- Customized instruction tailored to specific research assignments and scheduled during class time.
- Open sessions for students on improving information literacy and IT skills.
- PDO workshops for faculty and staff.



### **Partnerships**

The PRC Learning Commons along with other units in the Department of Technology work closely together to provide expert assistance, services, and resources to our diverse community of users. Ongoing and new collaborations between our librarians and teaching faculty help to ensure that information literacy is integrated into the curriculum so that students can master the lifelong learning skills they will need to succeed in life.

# **Library Learning Commons Hours**

Monday — Thursday: 7:45am - 9:00pm

Friday: 7:45am - 5:00pm

Saturday: 12:00pm - 4:00pm

Library hours indicated are for the Fall and Spring semesters when classes are in session. Check our website or give us a call to find out when the library is open during Summer semester or when classes are not in session.

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# PRC Library Learning Commons

Connecting diverse communities in a dynamic learning environment.



Ivor and Maureen Massey Library Technology Center



# The PRC Library Learning Commons Environment

#### **Mission**

Consistent with the College's mission, the Library Learning Commons' mission is to provide an environment where lifelong habits of learning, self-improvement, and self-expression are encouraged and where users can meet their educational, informational, and socialization needs.





Access to a rich array of print and digital resources including:

- Over 90,000 print books.
- Over 400 print journals, magazines, and newspapers.
- Over 180 research databases providing access to millions of online journal, magazine, and newspaper articles as well as thousands of online books.
- Educational and popular videos (DVD & Online).

## **Space**

Comfortable and inviting work and study spaces accommodating individual and group learning styles.

- 8 group study rooms with flat panel monitors located on the lower level.
- 50 lounge chairs for social interaction or study
- 68 carrels for quiet individual study
- 21 large tables for quiet study



## Computing

Full and diverse range of high-tech equipment including multifunctional workstations and software applications for individual use and collaborative work. Unified and integrated one-stop service allowing research projects and papers to be completed from beginning to end in one centralized location.

- 52 public computer workstations.
- Electronic classroom with 25 workstations.
- 8 Group study rooms with flat panel monitors and computer ports.
- Wireless access.

#### **Electronic Classroom**

State of the art electronic classroom dedicated to information and computer literacy instruction. The classroom is equipped with 25 workstations, a ceiling mounted projector, and other advanced technologies.



#### Staff

Our friendly & highly qualified library staff are eager to assist you with your information, IT, and research needs.

- Stop by the Research & Information Desk to receive personalized, one-on-one, expert assistance in finding, evaluating, and citing resources for upcoming research projects or papers.
- If you need in-depth assistance (30-60 minutes), schedule a research consultation appointment with a Reference Librarian.