Tips/Advice:

* <https://www.lib.umd.edu/>
* Go through library website databases for journal articles and standards
* IEEE format
  + Doesn’t matter too much, just be consistent
  + Citations are commonly numbered instead of in alphabetical order
* Standards: common practice for a specific subject
  + Guidelines for organizations
  + Materials information
    - Techstreet
  + Something that has been tested and proven is likely to have a standard
* If we use commercial-off-the-shelf tech, talk to company who developed the technology
* ASME
  + More specific than standard search in UMD library
  + All work that has already been done → great for lit review
* Lit review
  + Focus on books and review articles
* LaTeX: learning curve but may end up being less frustrating than word
  + <https://ireap.umd.edu/resources/thesis-templates#latex> - template
* <https://www.lib.umd.edu/directory/staff/sover> - she has a scheduler that will show her availability for certain days
* Google scholar good for finding specific articles - start with library databases
  + Google scholar articles may not be peer reviewed - hard to tell
* Request something library doesnt have through interlibrary loan (ILL) on the library website
  + Can also be used to scan and deliver something out of a book at the library
* UBorrow gives access to Big Ten library