

Using UMass-Bookshare

UMass-Bookshare Group

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Account Creation

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From the main page you will be asked to log into the website. If you have already set up an account, great! If you don't have one follow the link below the login to signup.

1.

Fill out each required field with your information. Your username has to be unique and will be seen by everyone who contacts you from the site.

2.

When you're finished click the signup button. You'll be directed to the login page and can now login.

Profile Page

After logging in you'll be placed on your profile page. Here you can see what books you have listed, what books you are looking for and variety of things which we will go over in turn.

1 Editing your profile and uploading a profile picture

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From your profile page click the "Edit Profile button"

2.

If you want to change your profile's information like email and phone number you can do that from here, change each field as you see fit and click "Submit"

3.

If you want to upload a profile picture or change your existing one navigate back to the edit profile page and click "Add/Change your profile picture".

4.

Choose a file from your local machine and click post. When you log back in again it will be updated!

Adding to your wishlist

If you need a book but no one is selling it yet you can add the book to your wishlist and get notified when the book is posted.

1.1 1.

Your first step is to find the unique ISBN13 number for your book. This is to ensure you get the exact edition and copy you need. You can find this number from books.google.com or posted on Spire in the textbook breakdown.

1.2 2.

Enter the number into the field at the bottom of the profile page and click "Add to Wishlist". You will be redirected to a page with the books information and it will be added to your wishlist.

Searching

From any page click "Search" at the top. Searching is as simple as entering in a book title, author, or ISBN in the search bar and clicking go.

Creating a Listing

When you want to sell, rent out, or let others borrow a book you'll need to make a listing.

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From any page click "Create Listing" at the top to be redirected to the create listing page.

3.

Enter your ISBN13 number and price (if you are selling or renting) and write a description of the book. You should include date of purchase, the book's condition, any classes you used it in, preferred contact method or any other information you feel is important. Click "Create listing" when you're done and it will be visible to all users of the site.