Advising and Support

**Intellectual property**: advice on intellectual property in the field of research.
http://crai.ub.edu/en/crai-services/intellectual-property

**Open Access**: information about open access, especially on grants for publishing in open access.
http://crai.ub.edu/en/crai-services/open-access-ub/funding

**Publication in UB repositories**: you can publish and disseminate your scientific production in the UB’s institutional repositories: research in the UB Digital Repository and doctoral theses in TDX.
http://crai.ub.edu/es/que-ofrece-el-crai/publicar-repositorios-ub/instrucciones

**Evaluation of publications and research activity**: advice on indexes and how to evaluate the publications and impact indicators of individual researchers.
http://crai.ub.edu/ca/que-ofereix-el-crai/suport-investigador/valuacio-produccio
http://crai.ub.edu/en/crai-services/support-researchers/citation-finder

Access to CRAI databases and electronic resources via the ReCercador+
recercador.ub.edu

Servei d’Atenció als Usuaris
CRAI UB
http://crai.ub.edu/es/que-ofrece-el-crai/publicar-repositorios-ub/instrucciones

To find out more, try S@U, Servicio de Atención a los Usuarios, a personalized service available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
crai.ub.edu/sau

On the CRAI Web you will find information on future courses held at your library
crai.ub.edu/formacio

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INTRODUCTION

The Learning and Research Resources Centre (CRAI) offers PhD students and researchers in the UB community a comprehensive range of resources and services.

RESOURCES

- **CRAI UB Catalogue**: from "My Account", you can view and renew your loans, reserve documents, consult your reading history and save search profiles.
  - [http://catalg.ub.edu/*eng](http://catalg.ub.edu/*eng)

- **ReCercador**: electronic resources searcher providing a single point of access to various resources such as databases, portals, catalogues, journals and portal listings. Allows you to search in different electronic resources simultaneously through a single interface.
  - [http://metalib.cbuc.cat/V/?portal=UB&institute=UB&new_lng=eng](http://metalib.cbuc.cat/V/?portal=UB&institute=UB&new_lng=eng)

Access the electronic information resources subscribed to by the Library through a proxy server from any computer.

- **Mendeley**: manage your references and extract bibliography lists in different citation styles.

- **TOC from Dialnet**: subscribe to notifications and alerts and access other more advanced options offered by the Dialnet portal. To register at [http://dialnet.unirioja.es/servlet/alta](http://dialnet.unirioja.es/servlet/alta), enter your institutional mail and select the UB.

- **Scientific production: e-Dipòsits UB**: Search the UB Digital Repository and other institutional repositories to which the UB contributes, coordinated by CESCA and CSUC.
  - [http://crai.ub.edu/en/information-resources/online-repositories](http://crai.ub.edu/en/information-resources/online-repositories)

- **User training**
  - Face-to-face training: the Training section of the Virtual Campus offers a range of training sessions on the services and information resources provided by the CRAI.
    - [https://cvformacio2.ub.edu/course/view.php?id=283](https://cvformacio2.ub.edu/course/view.php?id=283)
  - Self-access training: consult the range of self-access training materials devised by CRAI staff. Learning support materials (videos, tutorials and quick usage guides) are located in the UB Digital Repository in the collection *Aprenatatge en l'ús de serveis i recursos d'informació: tutorials i guies (CRAI-UB)*.
    - [https://cvformacio2.ub.edu/course/category.php?id=201](https://cvformacio2.ub.edu/course/category.php?id=201)
    - [http://diposit.ub.edu/dspace/handle/2445/12702](http://diposit.ub.edu/dspace/handle/2445/12702)

Access to resources online

- **Wi-Fi and Eduroam**: as members of the UB community you’ll have access to the Internet via the Wi-FiUB wireless network, which enables you to connect to the information resources of the CRAI from your laptop or mobile device.
  - Eduroam network: a unique connectivity initiative between an international group of higher education organizations (among them the UB) which allows users to access a secure wireless network when visiting another institution, using the same credentials as required at their home institutions.

- **Authentication to online services**: [http://crai.ub.edu/en/crai-services/resources-online/authentication](http://crai.ub.edu/en/crai-services/resources-online/authentication)

- **Free photocopy service**: allows you to obtain free copies of articles from journals subscribed to by the UB but not available in your faculty library and not available in electronic format.

SERVICES

- **Lending**: depending on the type of user and item, the loan period and conditions vary:
  - Normal loan: 60 days (UB researcher and visiting researchers), 30 days (PhD students, university master's students and UB-specific master's students).
  - Recommended reading: 10 days.
  - Weekend loan of recommended reading items: 3 days.
  - Audiovisual loan: 7 days.

- **Loan of equipment and facilities**:
  - Laptops
  - Work spaces
  - eReaders

- **PUC loans**: request and borrow materials from other libraries belonging to the *Consorci de Serveis Universitaris de Catalunya* (CSUC). You may borrow up to 8 documents for 20 days.

- **Interlibrary loan**: a paid service that helps you locate and obtain the original or copy of any item that is not in the UB catalogue.

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