

WORKSHOP

Lecture/demo by information specialist for third and fourth-year students (follow-up/graduating students) or lecturers/researchers.

FOR WHOM

All students who have completed Bibits and HIT. Students working on their graduation projects.
Lecturers.

WHY

A graduate of a study programme from The Hague University of Applied Sciences is a critical user of knowledge obtained from scientific research. Acquiring information literacy skills as a competence during the study enables a student to develop into a lifelong investigative, learning and critical citizen. Information literacy skills encompass being able to identify and analyse a need for information and then take the next steps to find, select, process and use (apply) relevant scientific information.

It can also be useful for employees to improve their skills in searching, selecting, processing and using relevant scientific information. By mastering the use of one or more databases and/or library systems.

REQUIREMENTS

In order to realize the above goal of the workshop for students, we set the following conditions:

- Prior knowledge of information skills is not required but it is recommended to go through Bibits and HIT first.
- The workshop should not exist independently but should be integrated into the curriculum, for example information literacy or desk research.
- Attending the workshop is only useful if the knowledge will be applied with for example a study assignment. To take the information literacy skills into account when assessing this assignment, we recommend the use of the [Scoring rubric for information literacy](#).

WHAT

The library organises various workshops to help students and staff find information in its physical and digital collections. These workshops can cover a variety of topics on various levels. The topics are determined in close coordination with the study programme or staff and include:

- Training on the use of a specific database.
- Training on searching for literature within a specific field.
- Library training for students about to start on their graduation project (writing a thesis).
- Demonstration or course on the use of databases and/or library systems for lecturers.

PROCEDURE

You can request the workshop via [the information specialist of your study programme / faculty](#) or via bibliotheek@hhs.nl. When for the workshop for students the conditions have been met and agreement has been reached on embedding the workshop between the lecturer and the information specialist, the day and time will be determined in consultation between the library (Hamida Rodjan) and the study programme (lecturer and scheduler).

NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS

The preferred maximum number of participants per group is 24.

DURATION

Depends on the topic and is determined in coordination with the programme/employee.

MORE INFORMATION

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