

SRU LIBRARY GUIDE



Sainsbury Research Unit for the Arts of Africa, Oceania & the Americas University of East Anglia

Sainsbury Centre



Welcome to the SRU Library

Situated inside the Sainsbury Centre, the SRU Library (also known as the Robert Sainsbury Library) specialises in the indigenous art and material culture of Africa, Oceania, the Americas and parts of Southeast Asia. The collection has a rich interdisciplinary focus, incorporating books on colonialism, cultural anthropology, climate change, archaeology, contemporary art and museum studies.

The Library primarily supports the teaching and research needs of the Sainsbury Research Unit (SRU) and UEA students and staff. Whilst borrowing facilities are limited to UEA registered users, members of the public are also very welcome to visit and browse the collection.



Opening hours:







Library Plan

How to Search?

To find books in the SRU Library collection, start your search using the UEA Library Catalogue:



https://uea-uk.libguides.com/home



SRU Recommended Search Books, Ebooks and Media:

Limits search to books and ebooks (best for SRU specific searches). **Search All:** Search for books, ebooks and journal articles (best for broader subject searches).

The links below the search bar offer additional browsing and search options:

A-Z Databases:

Access additional digital collections organized by subject, theme, genre and language. **Browse Journals A-Z:** Search for journals by title or browse by subject.



Some electronic resources are not available to guest users due to license restrictions.

How to Search?

Step 1:

Using the 'Books, Ebooks and Media' tab, enter a specific title or your chosen keywords into the search box and click 'search':







Then, tick the 'Sainsbury Research Unit Library' box.

> This narrows results down to books held in the SRU Library.

Step 2:

Click on the book or resource that takes your interest.

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Pacific Encounters of their was near	Pacific encounters : art & divinity in Polynesia, 1760-1860 Authors: <u>Steven Hooper 1950-</u>
	Wellington, N.Z.: Te Papa Press, 2006. Summary: "Pacific Encounters brings together for the first time many stunning Polynesian objects collected by voyagers and missionaries during the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries." "Illustrated are over 270 items gathered from the major regions of Polynesia. Many are from the British Museum, which
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If it is a physical book (as opposed to an ebook) you should be able to find details about the location of the book in the record and the 'Access Options' box.

'SRU Oversize' indicates that the book is in the Oversize section, and the classmark (eg. NKT 1020 HOO) tells you the exact shelf location of the book.



Step 3:

If a book is on loan to someone else, click on the request button. If a book is in the Store or in Acquisitions, ask at the Enquiry Desk for access.



Step 4:

Visit us in the Library to find and collect your book.

SRU Library staff are always happy to help with your research - just ask at the Enquiry Desk!

Borrowing books

All SRU loans are in addition to your UEA Main Library allowance.

Undergraduates and Sainsbury Centre guides	5 books for 1 week
Research postgraduates and staff	20 books for 2 weeks
Taught masters and diploma students	15 books for 2 weeks
Registered external researchers	5 books for 1 week

External Researchers wishing to borrow items will need to register with UEA Main Library for the Sconul Access Scheme or purchase UEA Library Membership (<u>https://uea-uk.libguides.com/visitors-uea-library/home</u>).

Auto-Renewals: All books auto-renew unless they are requested by another user. Books auto-renew for the entirety of the vacation when term ends.

Short Loans: All users can borrow Short Loan items for 3 days (plus over a weekend or other closed day if applicable).

Reference Works, Special Collections and Journals cannot be taken out of the Library.

Ebooks

Ebooks can be accessed by UEA registered users directly from the Library Catalogue.

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	Imaging culture : photography in Mali, West Africa
	Authors: Candace M Keller (Author)
	Print Book 2021
	Bloomington, Indiana : Indiana University Press, [2021]
	Summary: "Imaging <u>Culture</u> is a sociohistorical study of the meaning, function, and aesthetic significance of photography in Mali, West Africa, from the 1930s to the present. Spanning the dynamic periods of colonialism, national independence, socialism, and democracy, its analysis focuses on the studio and documentary work of
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Where an ebook is available, the 'View ebook' button will appear on the catalogue.



Handling and Teaching Collection

The SRU Library has a collection of ethnographic objects and artworks from Oceania, Africa and the Americas for use in teaching. Anyone is welcome to view items and handle the teaching collection. If you wish to know more about the collection or arrange a viewing please email <u>sru.library@uea.ac.uk.</u> These items are kept onsite but in storage, so they will need to be requested in advance.



Ask at the Enquiry Desk for further details.

Film and Video Collection

The SRU Library contains VHS and DVD resources, including a limited number of commercial films as well as off-air recordings with an ethnographic focus. The majority of the film and video material in the Library is for UEA teaching and research purposes only, but requested material can be viewed using one of the SRU Library networked PCs (headphones are available).

UEA staff and students also have access to Box of Broadcasts and 'Ethhnographic Video Online, Vol. 3 Indigenous Voices' from the Main Library's subscriptions.

Special Collections

The SRU has built up a small collection of hard-to-find and rare titles. Acquired by purchase and through donations, these titles provide invaluable primary resource material. The collection includes works of discovery and exploration, particularly from the 18th and 19th centuries. These texts can offer insight into early ecounters betwen cultures. Highlights include Richard Hakluyt's *Principal navigations* of 1599-1600 and *Cook's Atlas*, 1785.

A small number of high-quality facsimiles are also held in the SRU Library's Special Collections, including pictorial manuscripts from Mesoamerica such as the *Codex Borbonicus*.



Special Collection items are distinguished in the catalogue by the terms 'SRU Special Collection - Reference' or 'SRU Store Special Collection'.

Please ask at the Enquiry Desk to access these items.

Printing and IT

The SRU Library has several flatbed scanners and a multifunction device (MFD). Scanning is free, but printing is charged as follows per sheet (card-payment only):

Single Sided	Double Sided
A4 Black & White - 5p	A4 Black & White - 8p
A4 Colour - 25p	A4 Colour - 40p
A3 Black & White - 10p	A3 Black & White - 16p
A3 Colour - 50p	A3 Colour - 80p

For general IT support, contact the UEA IT support team. Full details of services here: <u>https://my.uea.ac.uk/divisions/it-and-computing-services</u>.

Accessibility

The SRU Library aims to be an inclusive and welcoming space for everyone.

To find out about ways we can help with your specific accessibility needs, please consult our webpage (QR code opposite), or email our team at <u>sru.library@uea.ac.uk</u>.



SRU Library Website

> <u>https://www.uea.ac.uk/web/groups-and-</u> <u>centres/sainsbury-research-unit-arts-africa-oceania-</u> <u>americas/robert-sainsbury-library</u>

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