

Library

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University ID is required to check out materials in the Library. Library collections, services, policies and facilities are described on the library's web page. Students are responsible to know the library's lending and fine policies. To avoid fines, or the loss of borrowing privileges, materials must be renewed or returned by the due date.

Reference staff is available for consultation for any information needs, and specific queries can be sent via e-mail to library@northwestu.edu.

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- Saint Martin 's University (Lacey)
- Seattle Pacific University (Seattle)
- Seattle University (Seattle)
- University of Puget Sound (Tacoma)

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