

### Researching and writing a dissertation or project

This guide lists books in Oxford Brookes University Library which are relevant to **researching and writing a dissertation**, particularly at undergraduate or taught postgraduate level.

Books about **how to write essays** are listed in [Library Research Guide 5: Improving your study, assignment and exam skills.](#)

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The guide is divided into 2: **Part 1** General            **Part 2** Subject specific resources

#### Part 1: General books (non subject specific)

- Allison, B. (2004) *The student's guide to preparing dissertations and theses*. 2nd ed. London: RoutledgeFalmer. 808.066 ALL & e-book
- Ball, S. (2012) *The complete guide to writing your dissertation: advice, techniques and insights to help you enhance your grades*. Oxford: How To Books. 808.066 BAL & e-book
- Barbour, R. (2014) *Introducing qualitative research: a student's guide*. 2nd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE 300.72/BAR
- Bell, J. (2014) *Doing your research project: a guide for first-time researchers*. 6th ed. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 370.72 BEL & e-book
- Berry, R. (2004) *The research project: how to write it*. 5th ed. Abingdon: Routledge. 808.066 BER
- Biggam, J. (2015) *Succeeding with your master's dissertation: a step-by-step handbook*. 3rd ed. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 808.066 BIG & e-book
- Blaxter, L, Hughes, C. & Tight, M. (2010) *How to research*. 4th ed. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 300.72 BLA & e-book
- Booth, A., Sutton, A. & Papaioannou, D. (2016) *Systematic approaches to a successful literature review*. 2nd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 808.066 BOO
- Bryman, A. (2016) *Social research methods*. 5th ed. Oxford: Oxford University Press. 300.72 BRY
- Bui, Y.N. (2009) *How to write a master's thesis*. Thousand Oaks, Calif., SAGE. 808.066 BUI
- Cottrell, S. (2014) *Dissertations and project reports: a step by step guide*. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. 808.066 COT

- Creswell, J. W. (2014) *Research design: qualitative, quantitative, and mixed methods approaches*. 4th ed. London: SAGE. 300.72 CRE
- Creswell, J. W. & Plano Clark, V. L. (2018) *Designing and conducting mixed methods research*. 3rd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 300.72 CRE
- Creswell, J. W. & Poth, C. N. (2018) *Qualitative inquiry and research design: choosing among five approaches*. 4th ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 300.72 CRE
- Davies, M. B. (2014) *Doing a successful research project: using qualitative or quantitative methods*. 2nd ed. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. 300.72 DAV
- Denscombe, M. (2014) *The good research guide: for small scale research projects*. 5th ed. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 300.72 DEN & e-book
- Greetham, B (2014) *How to write your undergraduate dissertation*. 2nd ed. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. 808.066 GRE
- Holliday, A. (2016) *Doing and writing qualitative research*. 3rd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE 300.723 HOL
- Hutchison, H. (2007) *Writing essays and dissertations*. London: Hodder. 808.066 HUT
- Jesson, J. (2011) *Doing your literature review : traditional and systematic techniques*. London: SAGE. 808.0663 JES
- Kumar, R. (2014) *Research methodology: a step-by-step guide for beginners*. 4th ed. Los Angeles: SAGE 001.42 KUM & e-book
- Leedy, P. D. & Ormrod, J. E. (2010) *Practical research: planning and design*. 9th ed. Saddle River, N. J : Pearson Education. 001.43 LEE
- Levin, P. (2005) *Excellent dissertations!* Maidenhead: Open University Press. 808.066 LEV
- Machi, L. & McEvoy, B. (2016) *The literature review: six steps to success*. 3rd ed. Thousand Oaks: Corwin. 808.0663 MAC
- McMillan, K. & Weyers, J. (2011) *How to write dissertations & project reports*. 2nd ed. Harlow: Pearson Education. 808.066 MAC & e-book
- Mounsey, C. (2013) *Successful essays, dissertations and exams*. 2nd ed. Oxford: OUP. 2nd ed. 808.066 MOU
- Murray, R. (2017) *How to write a thesis*. 4th ed. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 808.066 MUR
- O'Leary, Z. (2017) *The essential guide to doing your research project*. 3rd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE 300.72/OLE
- Oliver, P. (2012) *Succeeding with your literature review: a handbook for students*. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 808.0663 OLI & e-book
- Orna, E. & Stevens, G. (2009) *Managing information for research: practical help in researching, writing and designing dissertations*. 2nd ed. Maidenhead: Open University Pr. 001.43 ORN
- Ridley, D. (2012) *The literature review: a step-by-step guide for students*. 2nd ed. London: SAGE. 808.066 RID
- Robson, C. (2007) *How to do a research project: a guide for undergraduate students*. Oxford: Blackwell. 808.0663 ROB

- Robson, C. (2016) *Real world research: a resource for users of social research methods in applied settings*. 4th ed. Chichester: Wiley. 300.72 ROB
- Rudestam, K. E. & Newton, R.R. (2015) *Surviving your dissertation: a comprehensive guide to content and process*. 4th ed. Los Angeles: Sage. 808.066 RUD
- Rugg, G. & Petre, M. (2007) *A gentle guide to research methods*. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 001.42 RUG & e-book
- Rumsey, S. (2008) *How to find information: a guide for researchers*. 2nd ed. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 001.43 RUM & e-book
- Schostak, J. F. & Schostak, J. (2013) *Writing research critically: developing the power to make a difference*. Abingdon: Routledge. 808.066 SCH
- Silverman, D. (2017) *Doing qualitative research*. 5th ed. Los Angeles: SAGE 300.72/SIL
- Silverman, D. (2013) *A very short, fairly interesting and reasonably cheap book about qualitative research*. 2nd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 300.72 SIL
- Smith, P. (2011) 8th ed. *How to write an assignment: proven techniques for producing essays, reports and dissertations that succeed*. 8th ed. Oxford: How to Books. 808.066 SMI
- Thomas, R. M. & Brubaker, D.L. (2008) *Theses and dissertations: a guide to planning, research, and writing*. 2nd ed. Thousand Oaks, Calif: Corwin Press. 808.066 THO
- Thomas, G. (2016) *How to do your case study*. 2nd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 300.722 THO
- Walliman, N. S. R. (2014) *Your undergraduate dissertation: the essential guide for success*. 2nd ed. London: Sage. 808.066 WAL
- Walliman, N.S.R. (2018) *Research methods: the basics*. 2nd ed. London: Routledge. 001.43 WAL
- Walliman, N.S. R. (2011) *Your research project: designing and planning your work*. 3rd ed. London: SAGE. 001.43 WAL
- Warren, C.A.B. & Karner, T.X. (2010) 2nd ed. *Discovering qualitative methods: field research, interviews and analysis*. New York: OUP. 300.723 WAR
- Williams, K. (2013) *Planning your dissertation*. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. 808.066 WIL
- Winstanley, C. (2009) *Writing a dissertation: for dummies*. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. 808.066 WIN & e-book
- Wisker, G. (2009) *The undergraduate research handbook*. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. 001.42 WIS

## Part 2: Subject-specific guides

### Art, Art History and Design

- D'Alleva, A. (2010) *How to write art history*. 2nd ed. London: Laurence King Publishing. 707.22 DAL
- Carrier, A. (2003) *Writing about visual art*. New York: Allworth. 701.18 CAR
- Crouch, C, & Pearce, J. (2012) *Doing research in design*. London: Berg. 729.072 CRO

Noble, I. & Bestley, R. (2016) *Visual research: an introduction to research methods in graphic design*. 3rd ed. London: Bloomsbury. 741.6072 NOB

## **Built Environment**

Borden, I. (2014) *The dissertation: a guide for architecture students*. 3rd ed. London: Routledge. 808.06672 BOR & e-book

Farrell, P. (2011) *Writing a built environment dissertation: practical guidance and examples*. Oxford: Wiley-Blackwell. 808.06669 FAR & e-book

Farthing, S.M. (2016) *Research design in urban planning: a student's guide*. Los Angeles: SAGE. 711.4 FAR

Groat, L. N. & Wang, D. C. (2013) *Architectural research methods*. 2nd ed. New York :Wiley. 720.72 GRO & e-book

Knight, A. & Ruddock, L. (eds) (2008) *Advanced research methods in the built environment*. Oxford: Wiley-Blackwell. 300.72 ADV & e-book

Lucas, R. (2016) *Research methods for architecture*. London: Laurence King. 720.72 LUC

Naoum, S. G. (2013) *Dissertation research and writing for construction students*. 3rd ed. London: Routledge. 808.066624 NAO & e-book

Ward, K. (2013) *Researching the city*. London: SAGE. 808.0667114 RES

## **Business**

Blumberg, B. et al. (2014) *Business research methods*. 4th ed. London: McGraw-Hill Education 658.0072 BLU

Brown, R. B. (2006) *Doing your dissertation in business and management: the reality of researching and writing*. London: SAGE. 658.0072 BRO & e-book

Collis, J. & Hussey, R. (2014) *Business research: a practical guide for undergraduates and postgraduate students*. 4th ed. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. 658.0072 COL & e-book

Fisher, C. M. (2010) *Researching and writing a dissertation: an essential guide for business students*. 3rd ed. Harlow: Financial Times Prentice Hall. 808.066658 FIS & e-book

Jankowicz, A.D. (2004) *Business research projects*. 4th ed. London: Thomson Learning. 658.0072 JAN

Saunders, M & Lewis, P. (2018) *Doing research in business and management: an essential guide to planning your project*. 2nd ed. Harlow: Pearson. 658.0072 SAU

Saunders, M., Lewis, P & Thornhill, A. (2016) *Research methods for business students*. 7th ed. Harlow: Pearson. 658.0072 SAU & e-book

Sekaran, U. & Bougie, R. (2016) *Research methods for business: a skill-building approach*. Chichester: Wiley. 658.0072 SEK

## **Business (sub-disciplines)**

- Altinay, L., Paraskevas, A. & Jang, S. (2016) *Planning research in hospitality and tourism*. 2nd ed. London: Routledge. 338.4791072 ALT & e-book
- Anderson, V. (2013) *Research methods in human resource management*. 3rd ed. London: Chartered Institute of Personnel and Development. 658.30072 AND
- Barrow, M. (2017) *Statistics for economics, accounting and business studies*. 7th ed. Harlow: Pearson. 658.0015195 BAR & e-book
- Brotherton, B. (2015) *Researching hospitality and tourism: a student guide*. 2nd ed. London: SAGE. 647.94072 BRO
- Burns, A., Veeck, A. & Bush, R. (2017) *Marketing research*. 8th ed. Harlow: Pearson. 658.83 BUR & e-book
- Kolb, B. (2018) *Marketing research for the tourism, hospitality and events industries*. London: Routledge. 338.47910688 KOL
- Smith, M. (2017) *Research methods in accounting*. 4th ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 657.072 SMI
- Veal, A. J. (2017) *Research methods for leisure and tourism: a practical guide*. 5th ed. Harlow: Pearson Education. 338.4791072 VEA
- Westhaus, M. & Kotzab, H. (2005) *Research methodologies in supply chain management*. Heidelberg: Physica-Verlag. 658.7072 RES
- White, B. (2005) *Writing your MBA dissertation*. London: Thomson Learning. 808.066658 WHI

## **Computing**

- Berndtsson, M. et al (2007) *Thesis projects: a guide for students in computer science and information systems*. 2nd ed. New York, London: Springer. 808.066004 THE
- Dawson, C. W. (2015) *Projects in computing and information systems: a student's guide*. 3rd ed. Harlow: Pearson Education. 004 DAW & e-book

## **Education and Early childhood**

- Buckler, S. & Walliman, N. S. R. (2016) *Your dissertation in education*. 2nd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 808.06637 WAL
- Cohen, L., Manion, L. & Morrison, K. (2011) *Research methods in education*. 7th ed. London: Routledge. 370.72 COH & e-book
- File, N. et al (2017) *Understanding research in early childhood education: quantitative and qualitative methods*. London: Routledge. 372.21072 FIL
- McNiff, J. (2016) *You and your action research project*. 4th ed. London: Routledge. 371.102072 MAC & e-book
- Mertler, C. (2017) *Action research: improving schools and empowering educators*. 5th ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 370.72 MER
- Mukherji, P. & Albon, D. (2015) *research methods in early childhood: an introductory guide*. Los Angeles: SAGE. 372.21072 MUK

- Newby, P. (2014) *Research methods for education*. Harlow: Pearson. e-book
- O'Hara, M. et al (2011) *Successful dissertations: the complete guide for education, childhood and early childhood studies students*. London: Continuum. 808.066372/SUC & e-book
- Punch, K. & Oancea, A. (2014) *Introduction to research methods in education*. Los Angeles: SAGE. 370.72 PUN
- Roberts-Holmes, G. (2014) *Doing your early years research project: a step-by-step guide*. 3rd ed. London: SAGE. 372.21072 ROB
- Savin-Baden, M. & Tombs, G. (2017) *Research methods for education in the digital age*. London: Bloomsbury Academic. 370.7 SAV
- Thomas, G. (2017) *How to do your research project: a guide for students*. 3rd ed. London: SAGE. 300.72 THO
- Tummons, J. (2013) *Doing your research project in the lifelong learning sector*. Maidenhead: McGraw Hill Open University Press. 374.0072 TUM & e-book
- Walker, R. & Solvason, C. (2014) *Success with your early years research project*. London: SAGE. 372.21072 WAL & e-book
- Wellington, J. (2015) *Educational research: contemporary issues and practical approaches*. London: Bloomsbury. 370.72 WEL

## Engineering

- Beer, D. F. & McMurrey, D. (2014) *A guide to writing as an engineer*. 4th ed. Hoboken, N.J: Wiley. 808.06662 BEE
- Silyn-Roberts, H. (2000) *Writing for science and engineering: papers, presentations and reports: a practical handbook for postgraduates in science, engineering and technology*. Oxford: Butterworth-Heinemann. 808.0665 SIL & e-book
- Young, R. (2005) *Technical writing A-Z: a commonsense guide to engineering reports and theses*. British English Ed. New York: ASME 808.06662 YOU

## English Literature

- Fabb, N. & Durant, A (2005) *How to write essays and dissertations: a guide for English literature students*. 2nd ed. Harlow: Pearson Longman. 808.066 FAB
- Griffin, G. (2005) *Research methods for English studies*. Edinburgh: Edinburgh UP. 820.72 RES

## Geography

- Flowerdew, R. & Martin, D. (2005) *Methods in human geography: a guide for students doing a research project*. 2nd ed. Harlow: Prentice Hall. 304.2 MET & e-book
- Gomez, B. & Jones, J. P. (eds) (2010) *Research methods in geography: a critical introduction*. Chichester: Wiley-Blackwell. 910.72 RES & e-book
- Hay, I. (2012) *Communicating in geography and the environmental sciences*. 4th ed. Oxford: OUP. 808.06691 HAY
- Hay, I. (2016) *Qualitative research methods in human geography*. 4th ed. Oxford: OUP. 304.2072 QUA HAY

- Kitchin, R. & Tate, N. J. (2000) *Conducting research in human geography: theory, methodology and practice*. Harlow: Pearson. 304.2072 KIT
- Montello, D. R. & Sutton, P. C. (2013) *An introduction to scientific research methods in geography & environmental studies*. 2nd ed. London: SAGE. 910.72 MON
- Northey, M., Draper, D. & Knight, D. B. (2015) *Making sense: a student's guide to research and writing: geography and environmental sciences*. 6th ed. Toronto: OUP. 808.06691 NOR
- Parsons, A. J. & Knight, P. G. (2015) *How to do your dissertation in geography and related disciplines*. 3rd ed. London: Routledge. 808.06691 PAR
- Peters, K. (2017) *Your human geography dissertation: designing, doing, delivering*. Los Angeles: SAGE. 808.0663042 PET

## Health Care

- Aveyard, H., Sharp, P. & Woolliams, M. (2015) *A beginner's guide to critical thinking and writing in health and social care*. 2nd ed. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 808.066362 AVE & e-book
- Aveyard, H. (2014) *Doing a literature review in health and social care: a practical guide*. 3rd ed. Maidenhead: McGraw-Hill Open University Press. 362.1 AVE & e-book
- Aveyard, H., Payne, S. & Preston, N. (2016) *A post-graduate's guide to doing a literature review in health and social care*. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 362.1 AVE
- Curtis, E. A. & Drennan, J. (2013) *Quantitative health research: issues and methods*. Maidenhead: OUP. e-book
- DePoy, E. and Gitlin, L. N. (2016) *Introduction to research: understanding and applying multiple strategies*. 5th ed. St Louis, Mo: Elsevier Mosby. 610.72 & e-book
- Gimenez, J. (2011) *Writing for nursing and midwifery students*. 2nd ed. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. 808.06661 GIM & e-book
- Glasper, E. A. & Rees, C. (2013) *How to write your nursing dissertation*. Chichester: Wiley-Blackwell. 808.06661 HOW & e-book
- Kiteley, R. & Stogdon, C. (2014) *Literature reviews in social work*. Los Angeles, SAGE. 361.3072 KIT & e-book
- Rubin, A. & Babbie, E.R. (2017) *Research methods for social work*. 9th ed. Australia: Cengage Learning. 361.3072 RUB
- Walliman, N. S. R. & Appleton, J. (2009) *Your undergraduate dissertation in health and social care: the essential guide for success*. London: SAGE. 808.066362 WAL & e-book
- Whittaker, A. (2012) *Research skills for social work*. 2nd ed. Exeter: Learning Matters. 361.3072 WHI

## History

- Abbott, M. (ed) (2009) *History skills: a student's handbook*. 2nd ed. London: Routledge. 907.1141 HIS & e-book
- Mabbett, I.W. (2007) *Writing history essays: a student's guide*. Basingstoke: Palgrave. 808.0669 MAB

## Law

- Clinch, P. (2010) *Legal research: a practitioner's handbook*. London: Wildy, Simmonds & Hill. 340.072 CLI
- King, R. & Wincup, E. (eds). (2008) *Doing research on crime and justice*. 2nd ed. Oxford: Oxford University Press. 364.072 DOI
- Knowles, J. (2012) *Effective legal research*. 3rd ed. London: Sweet & Maxwell. 340.072 KNO
- McConville, M. & Chui, W. (2017) *Research methods for law*. 2nd ed. Edinburgh: Edinburgh University Press. 340.072 RES
- Salter, M. & Mason, J. (2007) *Writing law dissertations: an introduction and guide to the conduct of legal research*. Harlow: Pearson. 808.06634 SAL
- Watkins, D. & Burton, M. (2018) *Research methods in law*. 2nd ed. London: Routledge. 340.072/RES
- Webley, L. (2016) *Legal writing*. 4th ed. London: Routledge. 340.07 WEB

## Life Sciences

- Baghurst, T. M. & DeFreitas, J. (2017) *Writing and publishing research in kinesiology, health and sport science*. London: Routledge. 612.76072 BAG & e-book
- Garrard, J. (2017) *Health sciences literature review made easy: the matrix method*. 5th ed. Burlington, MA: Jones & Bartlett. 610.72 GAR
- Gustavii, B. (2017) *How to write and illustrate a scientific paper*. 3rd ed. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. 808.0665 GUS
- Hall, G. M. (2008) *How to write a paper*. 4th ed. Oxford: Wiley-Blackwell. 808.0665 HOW
- Holmes, D. et al. (2017) *Research methods for the biosciences*. 3rd ed. Oxford: OUP. 570.72 HOL
- Illingworth, S. & Allen, G. (2016) *Effective science communication: a practical guide to engaging as a scientist*. Bristol: IOP. 501.4 ILL
- Knisely, K. (2017) *A student handbook for writing in biology*. 5th ed. Sunderland, Mass: Sinauer. 808.06657 KNI
- Krantz, W.B. (2017) *Presenting an effective and dynamic technical paper: a guidelbook for novice and experienced speakers in a multicultural world*. Amsterdam: Academic Press. 658.452 KRA & e-book
- Matthews, J. R., Bowen, J.M. & Matthews, R.W. (2014) *Successful scientific writing: a step-by-step guide for the biological and medical sciences*. 4th ed. Cambridge: CUP. 808.0665 MAT
- Monsen, E. R. & Van Horn, L. (eds) (2008) *Research: successful approaches*. Chicago: American Dietetic Association. 613.2072 RES
- Northey, M. & Aderkas, P von (2015) *Making sense: a student's guide to writing and research: life sciences*. 2nd ed. Toronto: OUP. 808.06657 NOR
- Pechenik, J.A. (2016) *A short guide to writing about biology*. 9th ed. London: Longman. 808.06657 PEC
- Russey, W. E., Ebel, H.F. & Bliefert, C. (2006) *How to write a successful science thesis: the concise guide for students*. Weinheim: Wiley-VCH. 808.0665 RUS



Thomas, J. R., Nelson, J. K. & Silverman, S. J. (2015) *Research methods in physical activity*. 7th ed. Champaign, IL.: Human Kinetics. 613.71072 THO

Valiela, I. (2009) *Doing science: design, analysis and communication of scientific research*. 2nd ed. Oxford: OUP. 507.2 VAL

## Media and communication

Berger, A. A. (2016) *Media and communication research methods: an introduction to qualitative and quantitative approaches*. Los Angeles: SAGE. 302.23072 BER

Hansen, A. & Machin, D. (2013) *Media and communication research methods*. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. 302.23072 HAN

Jensen, Klaus Bruhn (2012) *A handbook of media and communication research: qualitative and quantitative methodologies*. 2nd ed. Abingdon: Routledge. e-book

Treadwell, D. (2014) *Introducing communication research: paths of inquiry*. 2nd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 302.2072 TRE

## Music

Herbert, T. (2012) *Music in words: a guide to researching and writing about music*. 2nd ed. London: ABRSM. 808.06678 HER

## Politics

Burnham, P. (et al) (2008) *Research methods in politics*. 2nd ed. Basingstoke: Palgrave Macmillan. 320.072 BUR

Halperin, S. & Heath, O. (2017) *Political research: methods and practical skills*. 2nd ed. Oxford: OUP. 320.072 HAL

Pierce, R. (2008) *Research methods in politics: a practical guide*. London: SAGE. 320.072 PIE

Silbergh, D. M. (2001) *Doing dissertations in politics: a student guide*. London; New York : Routledge. 808.06632 SIL

## Psychology

Beech, J. R. (2009) *How to write in psychology: a student guide*. Oxford: Wiley Blackwell. 808.06615 BEE

Bell, P. & P.J. Staines (2001) *Evaluating, doing and writing research in psychology: a step-by-step guide for students*. London: Sage. 150.72 BEL

Cone, J. D. & Foster, S. L. (2006) *Dissertations and theses from start to finish: psychology and related fields*. 2nd ed. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association. 808.06615 CON

Coolican, H. (2014) *Research methods and statistics in psychology*. 6th ed. Hove: Psychology Press. 150.72 COO & e-book

Howitt, D. (2016) *Introduction to qualitative methods in psychology*. 3rd ed. Harlow: Pearson. 150.72 HOW

Howitt, D & Cramer, D. (2014) *Introduction to research methods in psychology*. 4th ed. Harlow: Pearson Education. 150.72 HOW & e-book

- Howitt, D. & Cramer, D. (2014) *Introduction to SPSS in psychology: for version 22 and earlier*. 6th ed. Harlow: Pearson Education. e-book
- Lyons, E. & Coyle, A. (eds). (2016) *Analysing qualitative data in psychology*. 2nd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 150.72 ANA
- Privitera, G. (2017) *Research methods for the behavioural sciences*. 2nd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 150.72 PRI
- Salkind, N. J. (2018) *Exploring research*. 10th ed. Upper Saddle River, N.J: Pearson Prentice Hall. 150.72 SAL & e-book
- Shaughnessy, J. (2015) *Research methods in psychology*. 10th ed. New York: McGraw-Hill. 150.72 SHA
- Sternberg, R. J. (2010) *The psychologist's companion: a guide to writing scientific papers for students and researchers*. 5th ed. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press. e-book
- Wood, C.P., Giles, D. & Percy, C. (2012) *Your psychology project handbook: becoming a researcher*. 2nd ed. Harlow: Pearson. 150.72 WOO & e-book

## Social Science

- Bell, J. (2014) *Doing your research project: a guide for first-time researchers*. 6th ed. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 370.72 BEL & e-book
- Best, S (2012) *Understanding and doing successful research: data collection and analysis for the social sciences*. Harlow: Pearson. 300.72 BES
- Bryman, A. (2016) *Social research methods*. 5th ed. Oxford: Oxford University Press. 300.72 BRY
- Denscombe, M. (2014) *The good research guide: for small scale social research projects*. 5th ed. Maidenhead: Open University Press. 300.72 DEN & e-book
- Denscombe, M. (2010) *Ground rules for social research: guidelines for good practice*. 2nd ed. Maidenhead: McGraw Hill Open University Press. 300.72 DEN & e-book
- Gordon, L. E. (2016) *Real research: research methods sociology students can use*. Los Angeles: SAGE. 301.072 GOR
- Jesson, J. (2011) *Doing your literature review: traditional and systematic techniques*. London: SAGE. 808.0663 JES
- Miles, M. et al. (2014) *Qualitative data analysis: a methods sourcebook*. 3rd ed. L.A.:SAGE 300.72 MIL
- Nardi, P.M. (2014) *Doing survey research: a guide to quantitative methods*. 3rd ed. Boulder: Paradigm Publishers. 300.723/NAR
- Ormston, R. et al. (2014) *Qualitative research practice: a guide for social science students and researchers*. 2nd ed. Los Angeles: SAGE. 300.72/QUA
- Thomas, G. (2013) *How to do your research project: a guide for students in education and applied social sciences*. 2nd ed. London: SAGE. 300.72 THO
- Walliman, N.S.R. (2016) *Social research methods: the essentials*. L.A.: SAGE. 300.72 WAL & e-book