Embedded Librarian Program

What is it?
JWU Librarians are paired with courses by program and subject specialization, and embedded in the related ulearn course sites.
We currently support 200+ course sections per year.

What do embedded librarians do?
Add links to academic resources including articles, ebooks, videos, databases, and websites.

Create course-specific online guides to reinforce important concepts and demonstrate the use of the library’s resources.

Offer one-on-one research appointments and timely outreach targeted to assignment deadlines.

Host discussion forums on research topics and answer students’ questions via email and chat.

How does this help students?
Research shows that library use increases student success. We bring the “library” to ulearn.

Embedded librarians are an additional support system for research and citation questions.

Research anxiety can impair a student’s ability to learn and succeed. Let us help!

Kelly Faulkner, Reference & Instruction Librarian
The JWU library instructional staff facilitates information literacy workshops for students in all programs and disciplines.

**OUR ROLE**

**Tailored sessions** - When appropriate, we customize information literacy sessions to your research assignment.

**One-on-one** - As class time allows, we follow up with students individually for complex assignments.

**TIPS FOR YOUR LIBRARY INSTRUCTION SESSION**

**YOUR ROLE**

**Interrupt!** - During the session, add comments, ask questions, and expand on ideas. If you're interested, your students will be interested.

**Make it Important** - Comment on the relevance of the material to class content and allow research time so students can apply their new skills.

Contact Kelly.Faulkner@jwu.edu to request embedded or instruction services