

OFF CAMPUS LIBRARY ACCESS

Network (VPN) allows you access to all UPV resources even if you are in a different physical location.



TRAINING

KNOW THE LIBRARY

Every year, the School of Building organises welcome days to new students. The library explains the basic procedures to get familiarised with the use of the library.

INFORMATION SKILLS

The library has prepared some recommendations in Poliforma't (UPV Virtual Classroom) to assist you in writing academic works. Some issues treated are: searching relevant literature/resources, evaluating search result, citing sources properly and using information ethically. If you would like to have access to them, please write to us at: bibedificacion@bib.upv.es

ABOUT US :

The library aims to provide support for learning, teaching and research in the School of Building Engineering. Furthermore, the library intends to be an essential resource for lifelong learning for either personal or professional purposes. The library information services, collections and facilities are available to any member of the Polytechnic University of Valencia, but also to walk-in users (with some services restrictions).

OPENING HOURS:

Monday to Friday

08.00 a 21.00 h

Please check our Google Calendar on the library's web page for



UPV LIBRARIES

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HOLDINGS

The Library's general collection consists of more than 9000 items in a variety of formats: books, journals, DVDs, CD-A, CD-ROMs... The main subject areas of the collection are: Architecture, Vernacular architecture, Computer-aided design, Building, structural engineering, Materials, Concrete construction, (...).

There is a small reference collection, for use in the reading room.

The library has also a special collection comprising more than 4000 «Proyectos Final de Carrera» (Bachelor's Thesis and Master Thesis). They are accessible either in print format or in CD-ROM. Their consultation is only possible in the reading room.

JOURNALS: The library holds a small collection of print journals. They are available for loan.



POLIBUSCADOR

What is it? It is a discovery tool that provides access for books, journals, audiovisuals and electronic resources. You can also search the Course Bibliography.

<https://polibuscador.upv.es/>

READING ROOM

Browse any item physically available in the library.

A place to study : there are 17 study places in individual tables and 66 places in shared tables.

BORROW ...

Any University member may borrow items from the library.

See loan policy in the table below:

Users	Loan type	Loan period	Renews	
Students UPV Staff	Standard loan	15 [Students, 7 days, when there is a hold request]	4 months	30 ítems (comprising all libraries)
	Short loan [Films and Journals]	7 [Students, 3 days, when there is a hold request]	2 months	
Lecturer	Long loan	Academic course	0	65 ítems

Another material (power strips, computer mices, headphones, calculators, etc.) is available for loan.

INFORMATION DESK

The library responds to requests for information on the use of the library, its collections and Polibuscador. Requests can be made in person but also by phone or e-mail.

ONLINE LIBRARY

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