NEW LOOK! Library’s new website

As part of our ongoing efforts to serve you effectively, SIM Library has launched a new and improved website. The website features a streamlined layout of services & facilities, and has a large OneSearch box at the homepage to help you navigate, **DISCOVER AND CONNECT** to our resources easily with one single search.

New URL for Library site: [http://library.sim.edu.sg](http://library.sim.edu.sg) so don’t forget to update your bookmarks! Come and experience our new website!

**1. Home page**

- **Quick access to**
  - New Arrivals,
  - e-Services such as My Library Account & Ask A Librarian,
  - Latest Happenings

- **Get instant results when** you use **OneSearch**
  - one-stop search engine for all print resources and electronic resources including
    - online databases
    - online newspapers
    - e-books
    - e-journals
2. e-Services @ a Glance

- **My Library Account** to check the due dates of items you have loaned
- submit enquiries via **Ask A Librarian**
- share your library experience @ **Tell Us**
- book **Group Study Rooms**
- visit the **Partner University Libraries** websites
- register for **InfoSkills** workshops
- check out **Research Help** for some tips to get you started with your projects/assignments.

3. Library Publications

Some examples:
- brochures
- newsletters
- e-Resource of the month
- management thought leaders
4. Interactive Library Guide

Check out the Interactive Library Guide for more information on:

- services offered
- loan privileges
- print resources
- news & events

5. Video Gallery

Includes Library Orientation as well as online tutorials for the following databases:
- OneSearch
- JSTOR
- ScienceDirect
- SocINDEX
- Academic Search Premier
“UniSIM Library’s ‘OneSearch’ feature is a very useful information search tool for our students (and staff). It allows users to find relevant, peer-reviewed, full-text information of academic rigor in a fraction of a minute. The search is comprehensive yet the process is simplified since a single search covers several databases and various types of publications. Users also have the option of specifying conditions such as selected combination of key words, and publication period to narrow their search. Overall, OneSearch offers users flexibility and accessibility to peer-reviewed context online, without additional cost. Given searching for relevant information. Hence, I highly recommend that they utilize OneSearch as a “must-use” study tool.”
Here are some selected electronic resources available via SIM Library website @ http://library.sim.edu.sg

**e-Books**

- **Resilience: how to cope when everything around you keeps changing** by Liggy Webb
- **Take charge of your talent** by Don Maruska
- **Leading with conviction** by Shalom Saada Saar
- **Leadership conversations** by Alan S. Berson
- **Ten virtues of outstanding leaders** by Al Gini
- **Entrepreneur success recipe** by Colin Sprake
- **Soft skills revolution** by Maxine Kamin
- **Visual leaders: new tools for visioning, management, & organization change** by David Sibbet

*To access e-Books, refer to page 6*

**Online Databases (e-journals, e-books, newspaper articles)**

- **ABI-INFORM Complete** (journal articles)
- **BusinessPro** (e-book)
- **Business Source Complete** (journal articles)
- **Factiva** (newspaper articles)

- To access the online databases, go to SIM Library website @ http://library.sim.edu.sg
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OneSearch
Neil brought the house down with his 2 hours’ high energy and humour-filled presentation on 10 Oct 2013. It was a large turnout as many students were eager to hear from Neil Humphreys. To create some context surrounding the advice that he gave, he vividly described some of the examples of adversity that he overcame. The presentation was followed by a book sale and signing session. Overall, the talk was an overwhelming success and well-received by the students.

Missed the talk?
Catch it on video here

[http://library.sim.edu.sg/SitePages/Neil-Humphreys.aspx](http://library.sim.edu.sg/SitePages/Neil-Humphreys.aspx)
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   - Under letter E, click on **EBSCO eBook Collection**
   - On the left, **Browse By Category**, click on **General Nonfiction**
   - From the list of e-travel guides, click on the country
   - Follow steps 1b and 1c to browse full-text online and download offline
Welcome the latest addition to the library - the InfoKiosk. The main highlight of the InfoKiosk is the inclusion of an interactive floor plan that students can use to direct them to a specific collection.

Located within the library premises, you can now skip the long queues at the counter and go straight to this all-in-one stop to get your answers to questions such as:

- What is library’s opening hours?
- What is the loan period for books from the Recommended Course Collection (RCC)?
- What are the latest happenings in library?

and many more!

So come down to the library and check it out!