Library Resources in Blackboard

The MC Library is now offering information literacy guidance directly in your Blackboard course.

Course Reserves  |  Information Literacy Learning Objects  |  Guides

Find Your Librarian

Each campus has a librarian who specializes in providing research and instructional support for specific subject areas. Find your librarian at https://library.montgomerycollege.edu/research/find-your-librarian.html.
All services can be accessed from the Blackboard course menu.

**Course Reserves**
Our course reserves services connects students with course-related materials held by the library. When students click the Library Course Reserves link, they will see any course-related materials that you have requested be held on reserve at the library, including the course textbook. Faculty can use the same link to request that course-related items be placed on reserve for your students, such as textbooks, books, journal articles, videos, book chapters, and more.

**Library Course Pages & Research Guides**
Our library course pages, research guides, and research toolkits are online guides built by MC librarians to help your students find and use library resources for a specific class or on a specific academic subject. These guides are a great way to help your students learn to be independent researchers. Clicking the Library Course Pages and Research Guides link will take you and your students into the most relevant guide the library has for your class.

**Information Literacy Content**
Our information literacy content allows you to pull information literacy learning objects into your Blackboard course. We offer tutorials, videos, and quizzes on a wide variety of information literacy concepts that are crucial to your students’ success. Click the Information Literacy Content link to see the learning objects and learn how to embed them in your Blackboard course in the location that would most benefit your students.

Learn more at [https://libguides.montgomerycollege.edu/bbintegration](https://libguides.montgomerycollege.edu/bbintegration).
Embedding MC Library into Your Blackboard Course

Montgomery College Library
2019-2020
Learning Outcomes

- Explain how the library’s embedded content in Blackboard will ultimately contribute to student success
- Explain the content available through the new library landing page in Blackboard
- Explore new research skills available through Credo Instruct content
- Embed MC Library online tutorials and Credo Instruct content in their Blackboard course
- Discuss methods for grading student usage of the embedded content
Why are we doing this?

▪ We want to bring library resources into Blackboard so that students can use them at their point of need.

▪ We want our resource options readily available to faculty to implement as they choose.

• Video: Overview of Library-Blackboard Integration
Project Timeline

- **Spring 2019**: Piloted in BIOL 150, ENGL 102, PSYC 102
  - Based on feedback from the pilot, the library made some minor changes.

- **Summer 2019**: Rollout to all BIOL 150, CCJS 110, ENGL 102, ENGL 103, and PSYC 102 sections
  - Credo Instruct integration is still in the early stages. We are beginning with a selection of videos and tutorials; more content may be available later.

- **Fall 2019**: Roll out to all courses and sections, collegewide
What are we embedding?

- Library Course Reserves: textbooks and faculty-identified course reserve materials
- Library Course Pages and Research Toolkits
- MC Library homepage
- Information Literacy Content: Credo Instruct content & MC Library Tutorials
Blackboard Integration

Click here to learn how to create a Library link on your course page.
Library Landing Page

Library Integration Test Site

Library

Build Content  Assessments  Tools  Partner Content

Library Course Reserves

Library Course Pages & Research Guides

Library Homepage

Information Literacy Content: Credo Instruct & MC Library Tutorials

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<td>Lists existing course reserves</td>
<td>Request that course related items (textbooks, videos) be placed on reserve.</td>
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<td>Unless you want to use a different course page or guide than was matched with.</td>
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<td><strong>Information Literacy Content</strong></td>
<td>Visible only to faculty. Goes to a menu of information literacy tutorials and videos.</td>
<td>Select the content that your students will need. Link to it within your Blackboard course content.</td>
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Credo Instruct Videos & Tutorials

- We recommend selecting videos and tutorials that address areas your students struggle with the most, when it comes to research
  - Example: Why Citations Matter
  - Curriculum mapping examples: A selection of courses, learning outcomes, and suggested information literacy content
Example: Information Literacy Content in Blackboard

Tutorials and videos fit seamlessly into course content.

Regular course content

A Credo Instruct tutorial and video, followed by more faculty-written content.
Example from Pilot Faculty Member

Library Course Reserves

Library Course Pages & Research Guides

Information Literacy Content: Credo Instruct & MC Library Tutorials
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Choosing and Using Keywords Tutorial
Enabled: Statistics Tracking

Keywords quiz
Enabled: Statistics Tracking
After going through the tutorial on keywords, take this quiz. The deadline is March 26, midnight.

Why Citations Matter Video
Enabled: Statistics Tracking
Please watch this video on why citations are important. Deadline is April 14.
Credo Instruct & MC Library Tutorials

Go to [https://libguides.montgomerycollege.edu/bbinetration](https://libguides.montgomerycollege.edu/bbinetration)

Choose content to preview or add from these drop-down menus.
Activity: Explore Content (20 min)

- Go to: Blackboard Integration LibGuide
  https://libguides.montgomerycollege.edu/bbintegration

- Review content on the Blackboard Integration LibGuide

- Select a video or a tutorial that you may be interested in using in your class.

- Share/Discuss
  - Which tutorial/video do you think you might use?
  - Where would it fit within your course content?
Use the links below to learn more about how information literacy content created by Credo Instruct can support important skills in your classroom.

From off-campus, users will be prompted to log-in with their MC ID number.

Getting Started with Instruct

Video: Why IL Matters to Faculty

Tutorial: Designing Effective Research Assignments

Searching for Information

Select Content about Searching for Information

Evaluating Information

Select Content about Evaluating Information

Presenting Research and Data

Tutorial: Annotated Bibliography

Students will become familiar with annotated bibliographies and the role annotations play in research and scholarship. Use this tutorial to help students identify the purpose, structure, and content of annotated bibliographies and create their own annotations. Contains ungraded practice activities.

Preview the Annotated Bibliography Tutorial

Embed the Annotated Bibliography Tutorial: https://frame.credocourseware.com/LTI_provider/courses/course-v1:Montgomery-College+INFOLIT+2017+block-v1:Montgomery-College+INFOLIT+2017+type@sequential+block@62ded4d378f43a1b3b1fc487fc227af

Download the Annotated Bibliography Tutorial Quiz for Blackboard

Citations and Academic Integrity

Select Content about Citations and Academic Integrity

Be sure to copy the embed link, not the preview link!
Create a Web Link

WEB LINK INFORMATION

- Name: Video: Choosing a Database
- URL: https://frame.credocourseware.com/ll_provider/
- This link is to a Tool Provider: Yes

DESCRIPTION

Text:

Path: p
Words: 0
Adding Content

1. Select a video or tutorial from the menu

2. Copy the LTI link
   - Students will automatically be able to access the content (no need to sign in again)

3. Go to your Blackboard course module

4. Select Build Content > Web Link
   - Enter the tutorial/video name
   - Paste the LTI link and select “This link is to a Tool Provider”
   - Choose “No” next to Enable Evaluation

**NOTE:** To add MC Library tutorials, *do not* click the Tool Provider option
Additional Training Support Videos

- Link to MC Library Tutorials and Embed Credo Videos and Tutorials in Blackboard
- Import MC Library Tutorial and Credo Quiz Zip Files into Blackboard
Assessment Options

- Use the MC Library’s tutorials and quizzes as before, with emailed results
- Upload one of the MC Library’s provided quizzes into your Blackboard course
- Create your own assessment/quiz within Blackboard, and integrate into the course material
- Track student page views using Blackboard tools
Activity: Embed Content (25 min)

- Your turn! Choose a video or tutorial to include in a live or old course site.
- Upload a quiz into your course content.
Library Instruction…

- … is still available -- both in-person and online!
- Use the library’s online request form to set up a time for a librarian to teach information literacy skills to your students
Questions?

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