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Boatwright Library Hours
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A faculty ID is required each time materials are borrowed. Most materials may be checked out for 120 days with unlimited renewals. Overdue notices will be sent to faculty via email after the 120-day loan period and then faculty may renew materials online through the library catalog or return them to the library. Please note that materials must be renewed in a timely manner or the computer system will revert items to “lost status” and they will appear unavailable to other users.

Faculty Proxy Service
Faculty proxy forms are available to allow student assistants the opportunity to check out materials for faculty using their own student ID. Faculty are fully responsible for issuing proxy authorization forms and for materials checked out through their students.

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Print, Media, and Electronic Reserves
Due to safety and sanitary concerns during COVID-19, the library will not provide print course reserves for the fall semester. Please note that we will continue to offer the “Scan for Blackboard” option that allows the library staff to provide faculty with high-quality electronic scans of articles or chapters for posting on Blackboard. Library staff members will also provide permalinks to e-resources, such as journals, eBooks and online articles if faculty need links for Blackboard. We will continue to offer media reserves (DVDs) for faculty.

If you need to have materials scanned or if you need to submit a media reserve, please use the reserves submission form on the library’s website.

Film and Image Resources
Faculty have access to an extensive collection of image and film resources. The library has both circulating and streaming film options that include global films, documentaries, popular movies, and TV shows from digital platforms including Kanopy and Swank. Image resources are available through online collections, such as Artstor (including local collections) and Bridgeman Education. E-books and E-audiobooks are also available for download. Liaison librarians with expertise in Film and Visual Media are available to assist faculty with ways to incorporate film and image resources into their classes.