

REALTOR® University Library Resources

A concise guide to free library resources for students

APA Formatting & Citation Standards

- See the Library's [APA Help page](#) for guides, templates, and helpful videos.
- Review the [APA Citation and Copyright guide](#) for information on APA formatting and links to citation generators.
- Check out the [Sample RU Paper](#) for some of the most important elements of an APA-formatted paper.

Writing Papers

- See the Library's [Writing Help page](#) for sample papers, guides, and videos.
- Use the [Student Writing Center!](#) Whether you're starting out and need to plan your research strategy or you have a complete paper ready for review, the RU Library can help. Use the [Writing Center Submission Form](#) to get started.
- Review the [Research Process & Writing Papers – Best Practices](#) guide for an overview of the steps involved in conducting research and writing research papers.

Peer-Reviewed & Scholarly Articles

- See the Library's [Research Help page](#) for helpful video tutorials.
- Find scholarly and trade journal articles with [EBSCO](#) (contact us for the password).
- Use the [Research Guides](#) as a starting point for your research, homework, and paper writing. We've pulled together resources that correspond with each course offered in the MRE program.

Books

- See the [eBooks Help](#) or [Library Catalog Help](#) pages for instructional videos and handouts for these collections.
- Search the [eBooks website](#) for audio and PDF books for your MP3 device, computer, or eReader. You can access these books immediately, but be sure to download the free required software under "Applications" on the Help page first.
- Search the [library catalog](#) to find books, eBooks, and other media. Physical materials housed in the Chicago library must be checked out and shipped, so allow plenty of time.

Law & Legal Information

- Begin your real estate law research with the [Real Estate and General Law Research Guide](#) for resources on real estate law, land use law, and mortgage finance law.
- Search the NAR Government Affairs [State Issues Tracker](#) for current real estate issues and state requirements.
- Search the NAR [Legal Pulse](#) to learn about new and emerging issues in real estate law and regulation.

Company Information

- Use EBSCO to find valuable intelligence on numerous public and private companies (contact us for the password). Click "Company Information" at the top of the page after logging in.

NAR Historical Archives

- The NAR Archives documents the history and development of the Association and the real estate profession in the United States. View the [Archives](#) page for information about our physical archives collection, or visit the [Realtor.org Archive](#) for archived website content.

Help!

- Watch [Library Orientation videos](#) anytime for a refresher.
- View our [Help](#) page for APA, research, writing, catalog, and eBooks help.
- View our list of helpful [LibTips](#) on topics like finding scholarly articles, APA formatting, and more.
- See our Library [FAQs](#).
- Contact us! Call (800) 874-6500 and ask for a librarian, or send email to librarians@realtors.org.