# CIRCULATION POLICIES

#### **Book Loan Periods**

Undergraduate Students: 21 Days
Graduate Students: 120 Days
Faculty: 120 Days
SLU Staff: 120 Days
Courtesy Borrower: 21 Days

MERLIN Loaned Books:

Undergraduate: 21 Days Graduate/Staff/Faculty: 120 Days MOBIUS Loaned Books: 28 Days

### Renewals

Books may be renewed 7 days before the due date if not held by another patron.

MOBIUS books may only be renewed twice.

#### Holds

Books in the SLU/MOBIUS system can be placed on hold online by the requestor or at the Circulation Desk. When the book is received at Pius Library, the requestor will be notified to pick up the book at the Circulation Desk.

### **Searching Books**

If an item cannot be located in the general collection, a patron may fill out a search card at the Circulation Desk. When the item is found the patron will be contacted via their SLU email. If the item is not found after being searched three times, Circulation staff will automatically request the item from another MOBIUS library. If this option isn't available, the patron will be notified and Circulation staff will help the patron request the item through ILLiad Interlibrary Loan service when needed.

# CIRCULATION POLICIES

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#### Overdue Books & Fines

Overdue Notices for SLU Pius, MCL and Law Library are sent when books are 5 and 15 days overdue. After 30 days overdue books are considered lost, and the borrowing patron will be billed with a lost book fee of \$120.

Media and reserve items are subject to separate overdue and billing policies.

Overdue notices for MOBIUS loaned books are sent when books are 5 and 30 days overdue. After 31 days overdue books are considered lost, and the borrowing patron will be billed with a lost book fee of \$120.

Failure to receive a notice does not exempt a borrower from the responsibility to return books on time and is not grounds for the cancellation of fines.

Billed books and fine totals exceeding \$50 will result in a loss of borrowing privileges, registration holds, and transcript holds.

If material is returned in a damaged condition, the library will bill the borrower \$120 for replacement cost and a \$20 processing fee. Examples of damage can include writing or highlighting, food spills, water damage, Post-It note usage, folding pages, tearing or removing pages, excessive heat or sunlight on media materials.

If you have any questions, email Circulation at **piuscirc@slu.edu**, call 314-977-3087, or visit the Circulation Desk and ask to speak with a full-time staff member.

## PIUS XII MEMORIAL LIBRARY

AT SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY

BUILDING HOURS SPRING 2021



3650 LINDELL BOULEVARD ST. LOUIS, MO 63108

http://lib.slu.edu/

### SPRING 2021

JANUARY 4 – MAY 19

ALL HOURS SUBJECT TO CHANGE

## IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Library Hours 314- 977-3580

Patron Services Desk 314-977-3087 E-Mail piuscirc@slu.edu

Interlibrary Loan 314-977-3104 E-Mail piusill@slu.edu

Reserves and

Electronic Reserves 314-977-3585 E-Mail eres.slu.edu

ATC askSLU Desk 314-977-3103

E-Mail piusref@slu.edu

All Hours Subject to Change—Please check the library website

Library Web Site http://lib.slu.edu/

### WINTER RECESS JANUARY 4 – JANUARY 26

### **Regular Hours**

Sunday Closed
Monday—Friday 7:30am—6pm
Saturday 10am—6pm

### Martin Luther King Day

Monday, January 18 Closed (Official University Holiday)



Beware the man of one book.
-Thomas Aquinas

### REGULAR HOURS JANUARY 27 - MAY 10

Sunday 10am—12am Monday—Thursday 7:30am—12am Friday 7:30am—6pm Saturday 10am—6pm

### MIDTERM EXAMS

Saturday, March 13 10am—9pm Sunday, March 14 10am—2am Monday—Thursday, March 15—18 7:30am—2am Friday, March 19 7:30am—6pm Saturday, March 20 10am—6pm

### **EASTER**

Thursday, April 1 7:30am—12am
Friday, April 2 (University Holiday) 7:30am—6pm
Saturday, April 3 10am—6pm
Sunday, April 4 CLOSED

### STUDY DAY AND FINAL EXAMS MAY 11 – MAY 19

Tuesday—Thursday, May 11—13 7:30am—2am Friday, May 14 7:30am—9pm Saturday, May 15 10am—9pm Sunday, May 16 10am—2am Monday-Wednesday, May 17—19 7:30am—2am