



Information Retrieval

Equivalent of 2 ECTS credits

Course Schedule

Date and location	Content	Preparation
<p>April 8 9.15 – 16.00, with a lunchbreak 12.00-13.00.</p> <p>Location: U1191, the Main Library, Campus Örebro.</p>	<p>Course introduction and group exercises on how to plan a literature review and conduct a systematic literature search, the role of the systematic literature review in research and group exercises on the information retrieval process. (attendance is compulsory)</p>	<p>Read:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <i>PhD on Track (2018). Sections: "Searching", "Searching techniques", "Reviewing" and "Types of Review" under Review & write.</i> www.phdontrack.net/ • <i>Rumsey, Sally (2008). How to find information: a guide for researchers. (Read chapters 6 plus glossary and checklist. Also available as e-book via the library catalogue.)</i> <p>Complete: <i>Reflect on how you work with literature reviews/-searches today.</i></p>
<p>April 9 – April 28 (All participants should book and attend <i>one</i> seminar within this time frame, preferably in the first week after the course introduction)</p>	<p>Individual seminar on databases and database searching with your Academic Liaison Librarian (attendance is compulsory)</p>	<p><i>Familiarise yourself with relevant databases.</i></p> <p><i>Bring your search matrix to the session! You should already have chosen and listed relevant databases in the matrix and started to think about your search terms and phrases.</i></p>
<p>April 29 11.59 p.m.</p>	<p>Deadline to submit examination assignment in BB Learn.</p>	

May 12 9.15 – 12.00 Location: U1191, the Main Library, Campus Örebro.	Peer-review seminar on the examination assignment (attendance is compulsory)	<i>Participants are expected to have read all assignments handed in by participants in their own seminar group. Moreover, all participants will be assigned one assignment to read more carefully and peer-review.</i>
May 19 11.59 p.m.	Final submission of examination assignment in BB Learn.	