

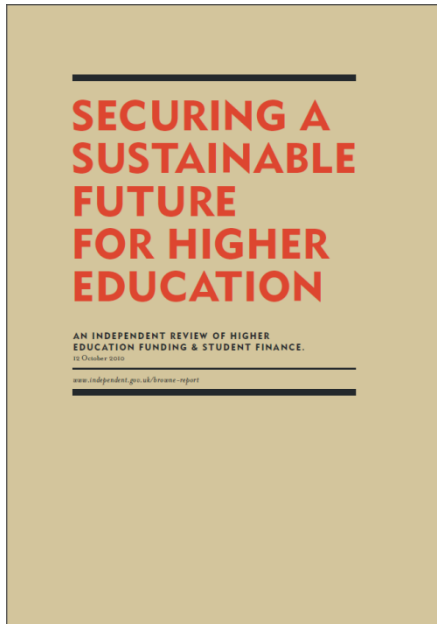
Facing the future: the changing shape of academic skills support at Bournemouth University

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Changing face of HE



Emergence of Digital Literacies



“I want to use a video clip in my assignment”



Academics: What do I understand by this video?

Who can help?



Library: How can I reference this video?



Students: do you know any good videos?

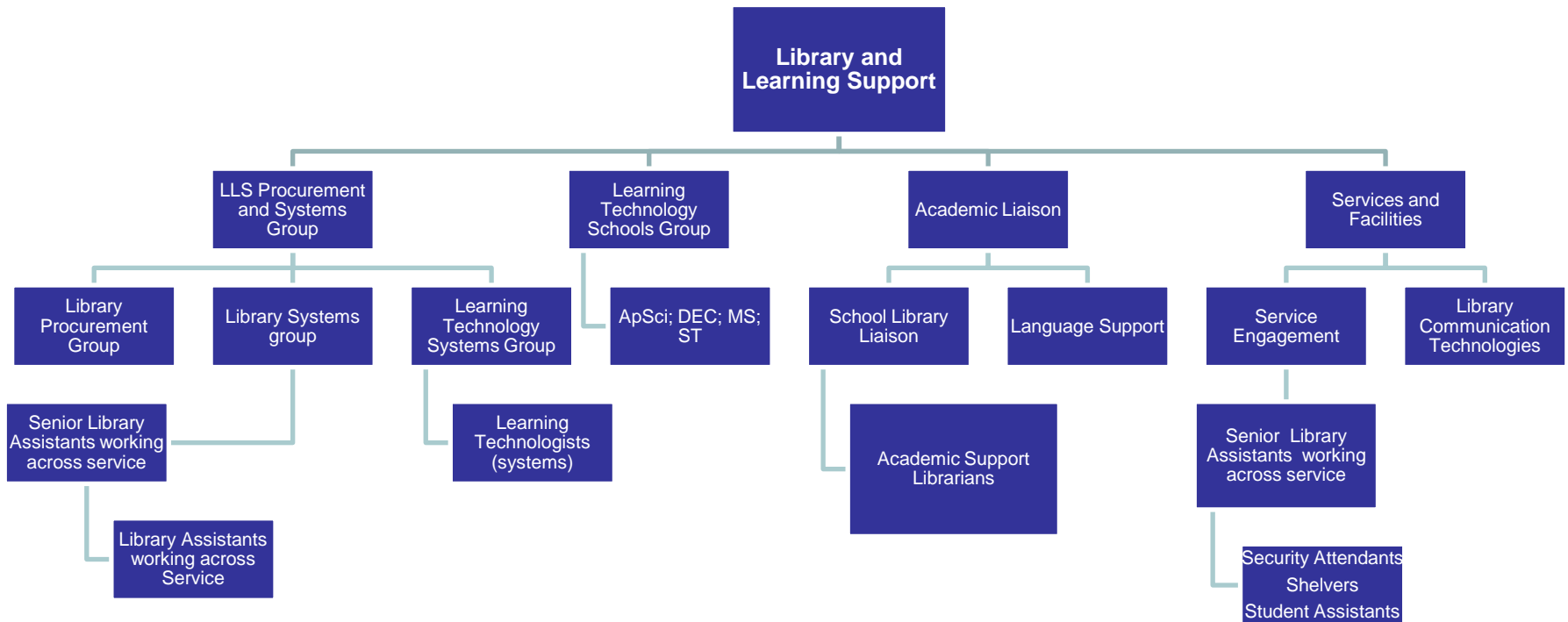


IT Skills: How do I embed this video?



Study skills: should I use this video?

Organisational change for enhanced delivery



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Referencing Bites!
Learn to reference in bite-sized chunks

Episode 2:
How to reference (the basics)

Library and Learning Support

<http://www.bournemouth.ac.uk/library/>

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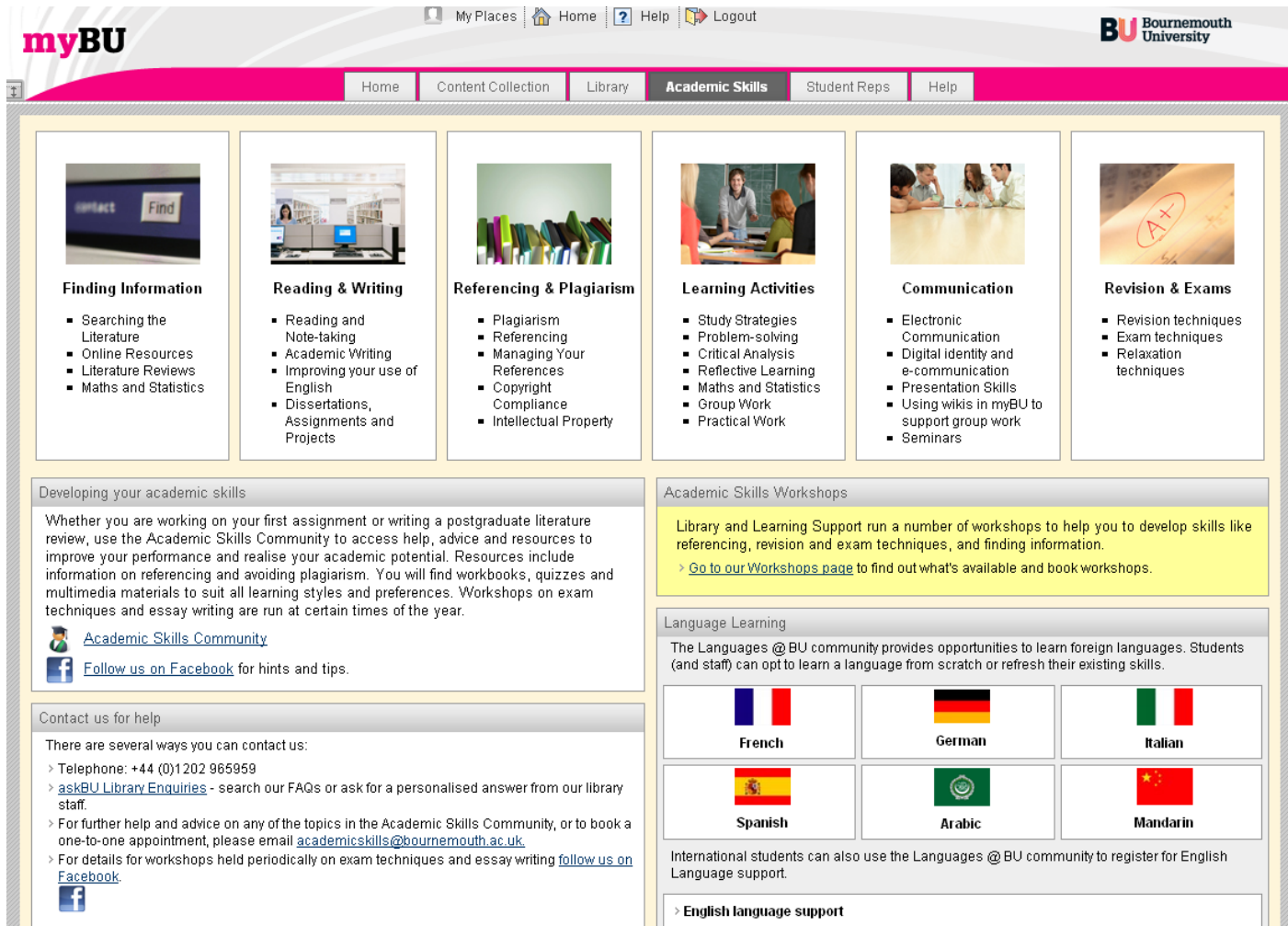
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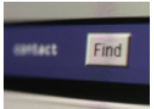


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Home Content Collection Library **Academic Skills** Student Reps Help




Finding Information

- Searching the Literature
- Online Resources
- Literature Reviews
- Maths and Statistics




Reading & Writing

- Reading and Note-taking
- Academic Writing
- Improving your use of English
- Dissertations, Assignments and Projects




Referencing & Plagiarism

- Plagiarism
- Referencing
- Managing Your References
- Copyright Compliance
- Intellectual Property



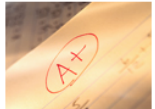
Learning Activities

- Study Strategies
- Problem-solving
- Critical Analysis
- Reflective Learning
- Maths and Statistics
- Group Work
- Practical Work



Communication

- Electronic Communication
- Digital identity and e-communication
- Presentation Skills
- Using wikis in myBU to support group work
- Seminars





Revision & Exams

- Revision techniques
- Exam techniques
- Relaxation techniques

Developing your academic skills

Whether you are working on your first assignment or writing a postgraduate literature review, use the Academic Skills Community to access help, advice and resources to improve your performance and realise your academic potential. Resources include information on referencing and avoiding plagiarism. You will find workbooks, quizzes and multimedia materials to suit all learning styles and preferences. Workshops on exam techniques and essay writing are run at certain times of the year.


 [Academic Skills Community](#)

 [Follow us on Facebook](#) for hints and tips.

Contact us for help

There are several ways you can contact us:

- > Telephone: +44 (0)1202 965959
- > [askBU Library Enquiries](#) - search our FAQs or ask for a personalised answer from our library staff.
- > For further help and advice on any of the topics in the Academic Skills Community, or to book a one-to-one appointment, please email academicskills@bournemouth.ac.uk.
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Academic Skills Workshops

Library and Learning Support run a number of workshops to help you to develop skills like referencing, revision and exam techniques, and finding information.

> [Go to our Workshops page](#) to find out what's available and book workshops.

Language Learning

The Languages @BU community provides opportunities to learn foreign languages. Students (and staff) can opt to learn a language from scratch or refresh their existing skills.

 French	 German	 Italian
 Spanish	 Arabic	 Mandarin

International students can also use the Languages @BU community to register for English Language support.

> [English language support](#)

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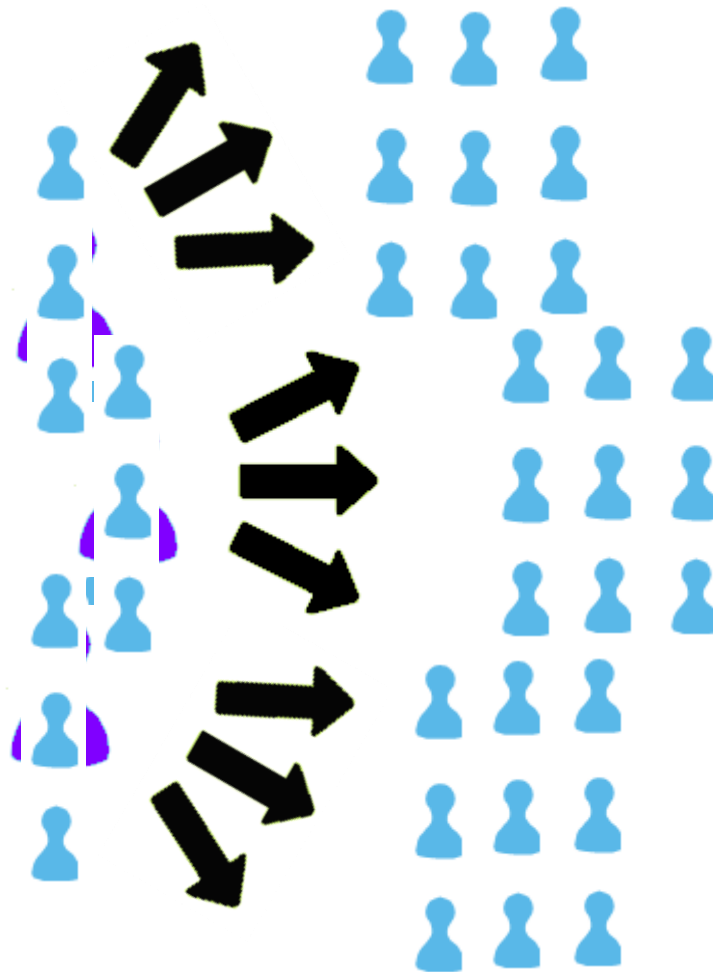
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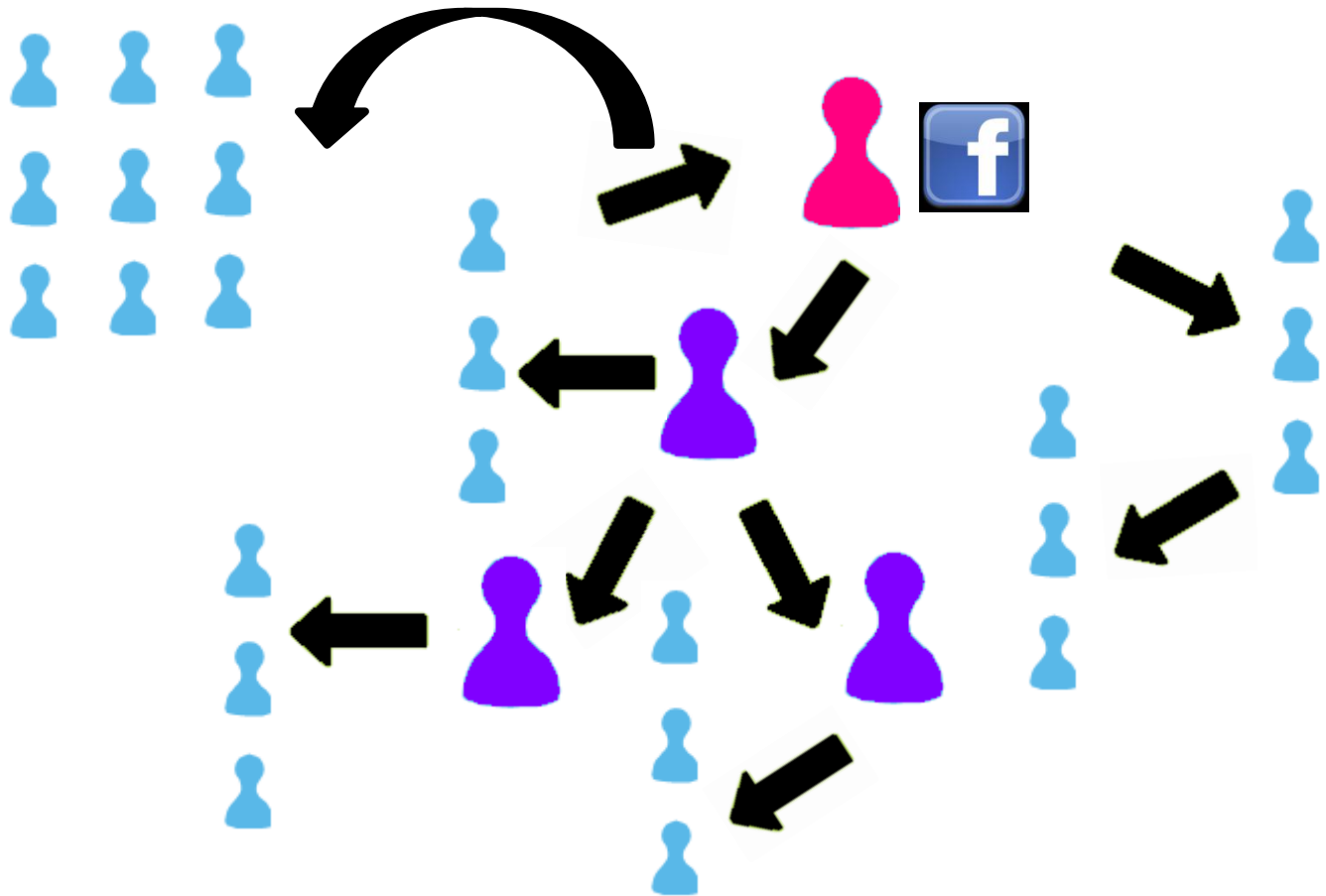
= Students



= Academics



Making the most of our social networks



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I'm on our CHAT service (<http://www.bournemouth.ac.uk/library/>) at the moment. Everyone seems to want to know about referencing! For info. there's loads of useful materials under Referencing and Plagiarism on the Academic Skills tab in myBU :-)

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Kip Jones Please teach them about the use of the ampersand!
March 10, 2011 at 1:44pm · Like

Bournemouth University Library and Learning Support Use or misuse? :-)
March 10, 2011 at 2:02pm · Like

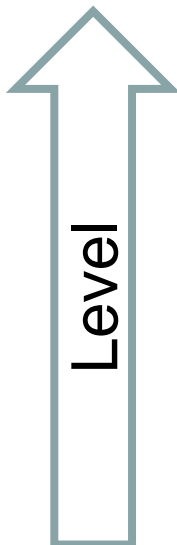
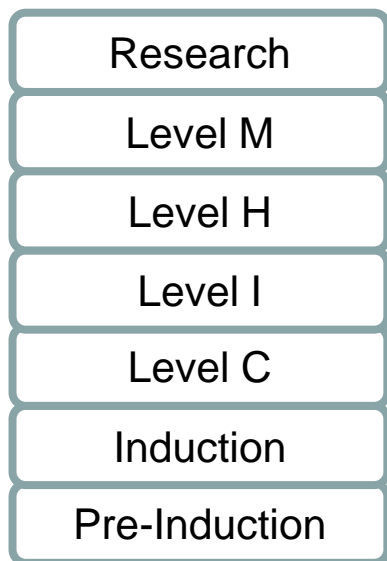
Kip Jones Misuse is the starting point, obviously (Crap & More Crap, 2011).
March 10, 2011 at 2:03pm · Like

Bournemouth University Library and Learning Support You heard it folks... Ampersands in citations = Bad!
March 10, 2011 at 2:09pm · Like

Kip Jones Actually, ampersands in the text: bad. Ampersands in citations in brackets: good. The simplest way to learn is to look at a published journal article to see how they are used (or not).
March 10, 2011 at 2:19pm · Like

Bournemouth University Library and Learning Support Interesting point Kip - but how do I know that whoever's marking my work agrees with the way the journal have done it? I'd follow the guidance in the BU Guide to be on the safe side (p.2 of http://www.bournemouth.ac.uk/library/citing_references/docs/Citing_Refs.pdf), p.s. Nice to see a bit of debate about referencing on here!
March 10, 2011 at 2:36pm · Like

Dimensions of skills development



To manage:

- Resource constraints
- Diverse students and lifestyles
- Changing expectations

We need to:

- Look at how we are organised
- Involve students in creating support
- Exploit new delivery methods



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Any questions?

