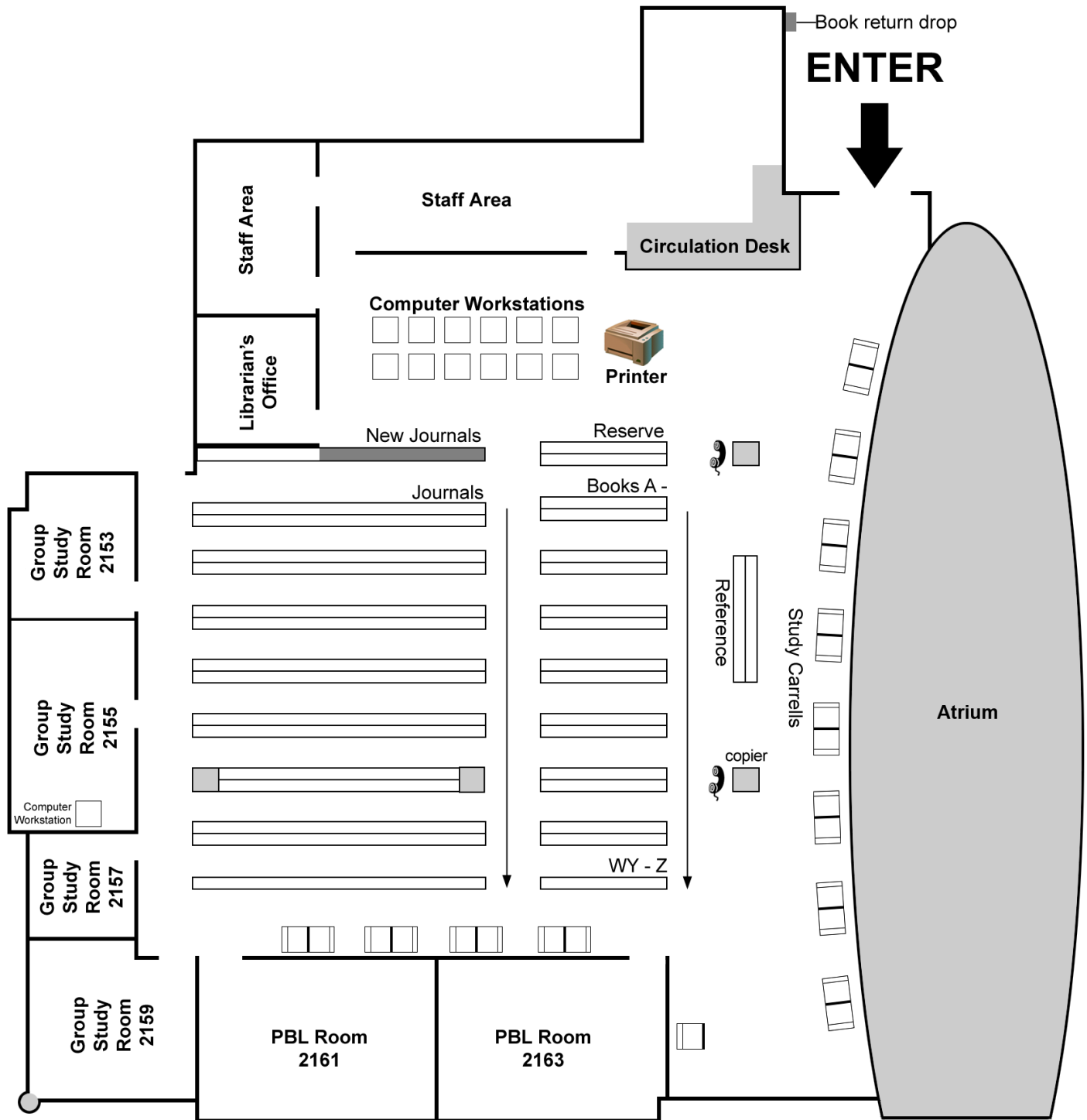


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**PBL Room**

PBL Rooms must be booked in advance. Sign up through the Faculty of Medicine.

**Group Study Room**

Group Study Rooms are first come first served.

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**THE UBC BIOMEDICAL BRANCH (BMB) LIBRARY** is located on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor of the Gordon and Leslie Diamond Health Care Centre at Oak & 12<sup>th</sup> Avenue. We provide library services to UBC faculty, staff and students, and onsite staff of the Vancouver General Hospital (VGH). As part of the UBC Life Sciences Libraries, BMB provides access to a range of e-resources and services.

## UBC LIBRARY WEBSITES

**UBC Library:** <http://www.library.ubc.ca/>  
**Biomedical Branch Library:** <http://woodward.library.ubc.ca/bmb/>  
 Access to the UBC library catalogue, indexes & databases, fulltext ejournals & ebooks is available. The Library provides access to thousands of ebooks and new digital information online. To locate content, use 'Books & More' at the UBC Library home page *search box*. Enter some keywords and refine by selecting 'Online Resources' (or call 604-875-4505 for assistance).

## LIBRARY CARDS

- A **UBCCard** can be obtained in person at the UBC Bookstore – Carding Office (Point Grey campus) or online: <https://www.ubccard.ubc.ca/> (please call 604-875-4505 for information on *temporary library cards*.)
- All VGH staff can get a hospital library card and should get it validated annually. The hospital library card, however, does *not* provide access to online resources from home. Hospital employees can access some e-resources and databases through the **eHLBC agreement** and for free using tools such as **PubMed** and **Google scholar**.

## ONLINE ACCESS

- **From home:** to access the UBC Library from home and to set your 'myVPN': <http://services.library.ubc.ca/off-campus-access/connect-from-home/>
- **UBC Internet Wireless** (ubcsecure) is accessible in the BMB library and nearby: <http://it.ubc.ca/services/email-voice-internet/witel-service>. Access to the BMB library after 7pm weekdays and weekends *is restricted* to pass-holders and those with a valid *swipe card*.

## LOAN POLICIES

Books:	2 weeks
Print journals:	Library Use Only
Reference collection:	Library Use Only
Reserve Collection	3 days (UBC faculty, staff, students only)

## BOOK RENEWALS

- Renew online from Library homepage under "My Account" <http://www.library.ubc.ca/>
- 604-875-4505 (or *in-person* at any UBC Library location)
- Reserve items cannot be renewed

## PHOTOCOPIERS

Please use your *pay for print (P4P)* [<https://payforprint.ubc.ca:9192/>] account. Ask for assistance at the front desk.

## INTERLIBRARY LOAN SERVICE

Need something we don't have at UBC Library? Request it using the Interlibrary Loan (ILL) service: <http://services.library.ubc.ca/borrowing-services/ill/>

## LIBRARY SERVICES & WORKSHOPS

- Information and reference services are provided 9am – 5pm Monday to Friday. Assistance is available for searching the Library catalogue, ejournals, indexes and databases such as MEDLINE, CINAHL, **PubMed** and **Google scholar**.
- Instruction, advanced search techniques and systematic review consultations can be arranged with the reference librarian at BMB Library *call* 604-875-4505. Register online for workshops here: <http://woodward.library.ubc.ca/research-help/workshops-and-drop-in-sessions/> or through the Vancouver Coastal Health (VCH) website: <http://www.vchri.ca/s/Workshops.asp>

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