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## Welcome!

The Law Library staff is excited to welcome new and returning students for the Fall 2016 semester.

Featured:

- Doughnuts!
- New Law Library hours
- Study guides
- Power cables, laptop risers, and book stands for check-out
- New Law Library website

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## DOUGHNUTS!

Please stop by the tables outside of the Commons on Tuesday, August 30th between 8:30 and 10:30am for a doughnut from Washtenaw Dairy. While you're there, you can see some of the new items the Law Library has purchased for students, including phone and laptop chargers, book stands, and laptop risers. You can also pick up information about the new subscription to the West Study Aids electronic study guides.

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## NEW LAW LIBRARY HOURS

Beginning this fall, the Reading Room will close at midnight instead of 2:00am, except during study days and exam periods. During study days and exams, law students will be able to remain in the Reading Room until 2:00am, but other users will still have to leave at midnight.

A detailed breakdown of hours for the Reading Room and the underground library can be viewed [here](#).

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## STUDY GUIDES

We are happy to announce that the Law Library has purchased a subscription to the **West Study Aids online package**. This subscription contains over 500 titles from West, Fountain, and Gilbert publishers, and includes such popular series as Hornbooks, Nutshells, Gilbert Law Summaries, Black Letter Outlines, Flash Cards, and more. Bookmark [this link](#) to access the platform; you may need to log in with your unqiname and Kerberos password.

The Law Library also has a print collection of other popular study guides, including Examples and Explanations, Mastering the Law, the Understanding Series, Hornbooks, Concise Hornbooks, and Nutshells. You can see which titles we have by course [here](#), and the books can be checked out at the Circulation Desk on sub-2 for 4 hours at a time. These books cannot leave the Library.

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## POWER CABLES AND MORE TO CHECK OUT

The Law Library now has a collection of power cables and adapters to charge a variety of mobile devices and laptops available for checkout at the Circulation Desk on sub-2. Power cables and adapters can be checked out for 24 hours and can be taken out of the building. We also have book stands and laptop risers for checkout, as well as other items. A complete list of items can be viewed [here](#); you can also leave a suggestion for more items for the Library to purchase.

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## REDESIGNED LAW LIBRARY WEBSITE

The redesigned [Law Library website](#) went live in May. The front page now provides quick access to the most frequently used resources by law students, including Ask a Law Librarian (reference help by chat, email and phone), an online appointment scheduler for research consultations with Reference Librarians, a link to lists of study guides, and the group study room reservation system.

We would love to hear suggestions from you if there are ways in which we can improve the website!