



GULF UNIVERSITY FOR SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY



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Library Hours

Sunday—Thursday	Saturday
8:00 a. m.—9:00 p.m.	9:00 a.m.—7:00 p.m.

The Library is closed on Fridays and public holidays.

TOP TEN TIPS ON REFERENCING

- 1. Be aware:** if you don't already know, check with your tutor which referencing style you are expected to use
- 2. Be positive:** used properly, references strengthen your writing, demonstrating that you have spent time researching and digesting material and produced your own opinions and arguments
- 3. Be decisive** about the best way to cite your sources and how you balance your use of direct quotations, paraphrasing and summarising (read about these in the introductory [Basics](#) sections of *Cite them right online*)
- 4. Be willing** to ask for help: library/learning resource staff offer support with referencing and academic skills.
- 5. Be organised:** prepare well and keep a record of all potentially useful sources as you find them
- 6. Be prepared:** read the [Basics](#) sections of *Cite them right online* before you begin your first assignment
- 7. Be consistent:** once you have established the referencing style required, use it consistently throughout your piece of work
- 8. Be patient:** make time and take your time to ensure that your referencing is accurate
- 9. Be clear:** clarify the type of source you are referencing and check *Cite them right online* for examples
- 10. Be thorough:** check through your work and your references before you submit your assignment, ensuring that your citations all match with a full reference and vice versa.

Source: [Cite Them Right](#)

INDIAN CORNER OPENING @ A. M. AL-REFAI LIBRARY



GUST and the Indian Embassy in Kuwait held a ribbon cutting ceremony at the A.M. Al-Refa'i Library on Sunday, November 15, 2015 to celebrate the inauguration of the Indian Corner and officially launch three new books authored by the university's faculty members. The event was attended by H.E. Sunil Jain, Ambassador of India to Kuwait, Professor Donald Bates, GUST President, and Dr. Salah

Al-Sharhan, Vice President of Academic Affairs. Attendees were introduced to the various books on display depicting the amazing literary work available at the Indian Literature Corner, which boasts 125 books about India, its history and culture, fulfilling its goal of creating a corner for students to be able to understand India and acquaint themselves with the country's best and brightest.





WHAT'S NEW?

IFIS SHIFTS TO GLOBALCAPITAL

The new IFIS platform is hosted within the Emerging Markets section of GlobalCapital and will continue to provide the high caliber of daily Islamic finance market coverage that is expected.

What will the new IFIS platform now provide?

- ⇒ Daily email alerts – to keep you up to speed with transactions and market developments.
- ⇒ Sukuk database – Fully searchable database, focusing on the international deals in the Islamic market.
- ⇒ Customizable bookrunner league tables – Use the database to create your own bookrunner league tables and make the data even more useful.
- ⇒ Insightful and unbiased coverage – Coverage of the Islamic financial market and the Shariah-compliant financial industry.
- ⇒ News archive and database – Easier to navigate and consult on a daily basis.

ASSOCIATED PRESS (AP) STYLEBOOK ONLINE

AP Stylebook Online takes everything one loves about the traditional Stylebook and adds digital functionality and online-only features to make it an even better resource.

The AP Stylebook is a writing style guide for journalists. It is published and updated annually to reflect changes in writing style and new guidelines. Updated regularly since its initial publication in 1953, the AP Stylebook is a must-have reference for writers, editors, students and professionals. It provides fundamental guidelines for spelling, language, punctuation, usage and journalistic style. It is the definitive resource for journalists.

**Can I
access
eResources
off campus?**

All registered students, faculty, and staff members are offered off-campus access!! You must login using your GUST ID and password when directed to the EZProxy (off campus) login page.

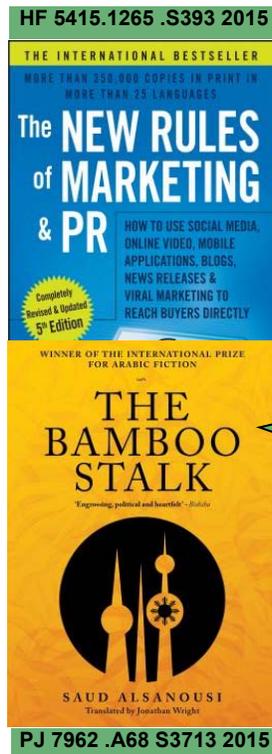
THOMSON REUTERS EIKON

Thomson Reuters Eikon provides easy access to trusted news, data, and analytics, all filtered by relevance to a user's exact needs, and displayed in a highly visual way that's easy to grasp and act on. From the same intuitive desktop or mobile device, users can instantly connect to new and emerging markets, deep and varied pools of liquidity, professional networks and expert support – anywhere, anytime.

Note: EIKON's license at GUST is only for academic research and teaching purposes and not for publishing or distribution.

REDESIGNED PROQUEST INTERFACE

After months of testing and years of contextual research with end users, ProQuest introduced its enhanced interface. The new design is driven by extensive user and librarian feedback, including direct engagement, testing, and in-depth analysis of usage patterns and behavior. Further, the new design is more responsive and better supports the needs of users on tablets or mobile devices. The best part: these changes occurred automatically and required no updates to the library's backend systems.



NO FOOD & DRINK

The Library is a place for study and reflection, hence eating and drinking is discouraged.



- Bottled water may be brought in and consumed by users.
- Drinks other than water, and paper/plastic cups, glass, or open containers are not permitted inside the Library.
- Food items of any kind are strictly prohibited in the Library, whether or not they are being consumed.

LIB QUIZ contd...

1. Because the Internet is free you can download and use anything on it.
 - a) True
 - b) False
2. On the Library Homepage, use Article Search via Discovery Service to:
 - a) Connect to Google
 - b) Connect to LibGuides
 - c) Search multiple databases at a time
 - d) None of the above
3. Ranasinghe, R. (2015). The Transmission of Education across Generations: Evidence from Australia. B.E. Journal Of Economic Analysis & Policy, 15(4), 1893-1917. doi:10.1515/bejeap-2014-0139. Which type of material is described in this citation?
 - a) Book Chapter
 - b) Journal Article
 - c) Conference Paper
4. What does it mean to be information literate?
 - a) To know how to locate information
 - b) To know how to evaluate information
 - c) To know how to use and communicate information
 - d) All of the above
5. Which of the following can you not do from 'My Account' on the Library Catalog online?
 - a) Renew Materials
 - b) Review My Account
 - c) Pay overdue fines



THE WILL TO WIN, THE DESIRE TO SUCCEED, THE URGE TO REACH YOUR FULL POTENTIAL... THESE ARE THE KEYS THAT WILL UNLOCK THE DOOR TO PERSONAL EXCELLENCE.

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Answers to quiz on previous issue: 1.b, 2.d, 3.a, 4.c, 5.a

