



NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF RWANDA'S LIBRARY



The NUR Library has been serving and is still serving Rwandan Citizens and different users from various parts of the World.





NUR LIBRARY

- The NUR Library is one of the core units whose mission is “to provide excellent services for the promotion of teaching and research activities at NUR”
- The library of NUR is accessible for everyone, students, lecturers and the public





NUR LIBRARY ...

The Library is divided into three main Departments

- Internal Department
- External Department
- ICT Department





NUR LIBRARY ...

- The NUR Main Library consists of more than 150 000 books
- The Library subscribes to more than 33 000 E-journals with the assistance of the SIDA/SAREC Project





LENDING SYSTEM

- The Library has a computerized catalogue, OPAC, which makes it possible to find three quarters of the books within the library electronically
- The search engine makes it possible to find all the books that are within the typed key word





LENDING SYSTEM

- If you want to find out how our electronic catalogue works, you are most welcome to visit our website www.lib.nur.ac.rw, or ask someone within the Library staff
- The electronic catalogue has free access





LENDING SYSTEM

- An automatic lending system has been tried out successfully with library users' cards
- The System will be put in use very soon





ACQUISITION SERVICE

- Acquisition of books, bachelor and master thesis
- Receive suggestions from different faculties
- Acquire and receive books that are gifts





ACQUISITION SERVICE





CATALOGING AND CLASSIFICATION SERVICES

- The most important task within the catalogue service is to make books accessible and retrievable, by using a classification system
- The classification is to identify a book
- The identity describes: the author of the book, the title, when it was published etc





CATALOGING AND CLASSIFICATION SERVICES

- The Library is using the Dewey system to classify the information, this is a decimal system
- The important element how to locate books, is to use the code through this system, together with the author





THE PERIODICAL SERVICE

- A periodical is a publication with a general and stable title and is being published on a regular basis daily, weekly or monthly
- The periodical service is about handling the latest periodicals that have been published and to make them accessible for the library users





THE PERIODICAL SERVICE

- Monitor and coordinate the periodical service
- To guide the users in how the periodicals are arranged





REFERENCE SERVICE

- The reference service is an orientation and assistance service for the users of the NUR Library
- It is through this service that the library staff is guiding the library users how to find the information that they request





THE RWANDAN ´S COLLECTION SECTION

- The Rwandan´s collection section is specialized to serve the community with information concerning Rwanda and the neighbouring countries
- This implies all the information that is produced in Rwanda and documents produced about Rwanda abroad





THE RWANDAN ´S COLLECTION SECTION

- The section is gathering and conserving all material that concerns Rwanda
- The information is documentation and reports about Rwanda, for example about the genocide, Rwandese culture and the history of Rwanda





THE RWANDAN´S COLLECTION SECTION

- The documents within the Rwandese´ collection is divided into two categories:
 - Books
 - Diverse periodicals. For example: Journal Officiel, Imvaho, Imvaho Nshya, Etudes rwandaises





ICT – INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES

- Has a computer lab with 20 computers
- Access to a large number of e-resources





ICT – INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES

- Provides search help for users
- Technical support
- Website development





OPENING HOURS

- Monday to Friday 8:00 am – 10:00 pm
- Sunday 8:00 am – 1:00 pm
- In the near future the NUR Main Library will start to open on Saturdays





NUR LIBRARY SERVICES

- The Library consistently makes an effort to improve our services towards the users:
 - Please help us to improve by leaving your suggestions in the Suggestion box





NUR LIBRARY SERVICES

Welcome to the NUR Library

