**Restricted access and reduced level of library services (20 to 26 July 2020)**

As announced by the HKU Task Force on Infectious Diseases on 19 July 2020:

“In light of the current local outbreaks of COVID-19, the University will make further adjustments to its operations. Apart from staffing for emergency and essential services, staff shall work from home to provide basic services for the duration of the week from July 20 to July 26, 2020, subject to review thereafter.”

During the above period of time, the Libraries will **reduce the level of services including opening hours**:

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<td>Main Library</td>
<td>OPEN - 2/F entrance, stack areas and single study spaces on all floors</td>
<td>Please check OUR latest opening hours on <a href="https://lib.hku.hk/general/hours/index.html">https://lib.hku.hk/general/hours/index.html</a> or contact respective service points/offices <a href="https://lib.hku.hk/general/contactus_staff.html">https://lib.hku.hk/general/contactus_staff.html</a> before making a visit.</td>
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<td>ADVANCED ROOM BOOKINGS/RESERVATIONS OF ALL FACILITIES (EXCEPT RESEARCH CARRELS) ARE NOT REQUIRED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE</td>
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**Precautionary health and security measures**

With immediate effect, all entrants are required to **wear a face mask all the time inside the Library** and bring along a HKU student/staff card/library card/authorization documents for security check at university entrances. No service will be provided to any person not wearing a face mask. Please enter the Main Library via 2/F entrance where **body temperature check** will be conducted for all patrons and visitors including HKU staff and students.

Should you need further assistance, please contact us via [https://lib.hku.hk/cgi-bin/comments/form.cgi](https://lib.hku.hk/cgi-bin/comments/form.cgi).

Thank you for your understanding.

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