

01. Special Features

Search, Discover, and Make the Most of It!

Let's make a full use of library services

Want to use the library smarter and more efficiently?
Library resources are indispensable for learning and research.
By using the library system, you can smoothly handle everything
from searching and reserving to managing references.
This issue introduces how to use the online catalog system "OPAC"
and the personal service "My Library."

More convenient! Six ways to use library OPAC

The "Collection Search" allows you to search SIT's master's theses as well as valuable and specialized materials such as repair work reports of national treasures and important cultural properties.

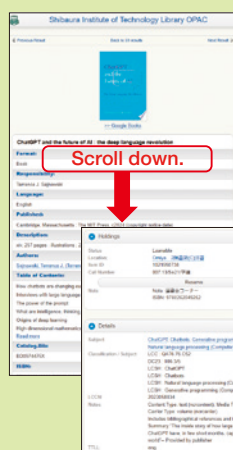
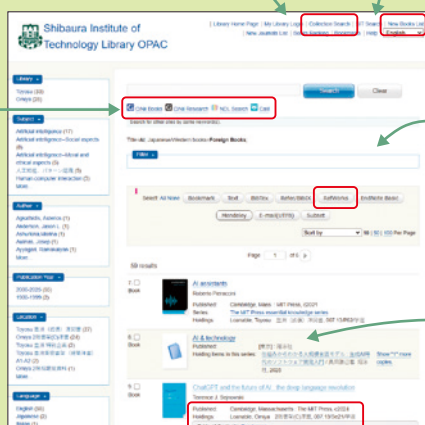
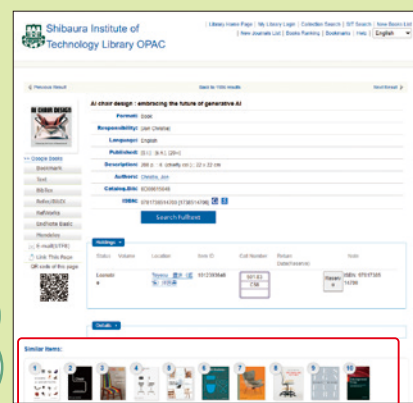
Just click on the "New Arrivals" link on the OPAC top page, you'll see a list of newly arrived books. If there is a book you want to read, you can reserve it, too.

You can also search major national databases. With just one search, you can access the materials you need without switching to an external information source.

Use the literature management tool "RefWorks," which makes information gathering easier by allowing you to import literature data directly from OPAC and databases.

Some of the documents displayed in the search results list have a table of contents and an introduction to the contents.

Browse books with similar content by viewing their cover images.



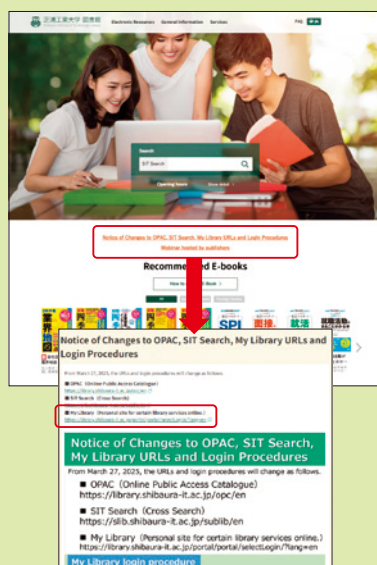
When using OPAC on a smartphone, try scrolling down the screen.

Information such as shelf location and table of contents will appear.

Since the display differs slightly between PC and mobile, please make sure to scroll and check carefully!

Useful Search Tips

When searching with Kanji, even a slight typo can cause your search to fail.
If you're unsure, try entering the term in hiragana instead.



Easy & Convenient Personal Service: "My Library"

My Library is a personal-use service where you can check loan status, view loan records, and make reservations and renewals. Simple login is available with user authentication (SSO: Single Sign-On).

You can also request materials from other campus libraries or suggest new purchases.

If the material you need is not available on campus, you can request interlibrary loans or copies (photocopies) from other universities.

Click here to visit the library website /

<https://lib.shibaura-it.ac.jp/>



Long-term book lending in summer season will be available
from Tuesday, July 8 to Friday, October 3.
Take advantage of it!

02. Library News



"From Research to Real-World Application - Connecting the Future with VR"

Launched—Library and student research team collaboration

A collaborative exhibition between the library and the student research team "Ribbon Architects" is now open!

The team is developing a VR exposure therapy app called "Haru," aimed

at treating agoraphobia.

Their research findings on VR technology and related materials are available.

Please visit us to see how they are tackling real social challenges through research.



Special exhibition "Robots × Books: Shaping Society Together" Now Open!

A collaborative exhibition with the cultural club "Robot Yuukou-bu Karakuri" is underway.

Alongside various electronic craft works including robots, the exhibit features recommended books by club members and literature on electronics and robotics. Guided by their motto, "Let children experience the joy of making things," the exhibition also introduces Karakuri's activities in organizing workshops at local elementary schools and community centers.



Project Exhibition by Omiya Library



「Robots × Books ~The shape of a connected society~」



Through robot creation and other activities, we convey the joy of engineering to people by Robot yuukou club Karakuri. Public release of materials such as robots and rocket structures that were actually produced.

Dates : June 16, 2025 -September 30, 2025
Venue : 1F Exhibition space of Omiya Library

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03. Library Best 5

Five most loaned books (Mar.1, -May.31, 2025)

Paperback

- 1 The Wall of Fools**
Call number: 304/Y84/Shinsho
- 2 Birth of Neo-Sapiens**
Call number: 501.84/H44/Shinsho
- 3 After ChatGPT: How to Survive in a World Transformed by Generative AI**
Call number: 007.13/Y31/Shinsho
- 4 "Concrete ⇄ Abstract" Training: 29 Exercises to Sharpen Your Thinking Skills**
Call number: 141.5/H95/Shinsho
- 5 Making Use of Vacant Houses: Japan's Wisdom as a Spatial Resource Superpower**
Call number: 365.3/Ma82/Shinsho



Qualifications books

- 1 Focused Study for Information Security Specialist: Expert Knowledge + Afternoon Exam Preparation**
Call number: 007.6/Mi91/Shikaku
- 2 Learn Deeply: Type II Electrical Engineering (Machines)**
Call number: 540.79/Y48/Shikaku
- 3 Kayanoki Sensei's Basic Information Technology Engineer's Classroom : explained with the use of images & Clever method**
Call number: 007.6/Ka98/Shikaku
- 4 Type 4 Hazardous Materials Handler Exam: 562 Questions from the Past 10 Years**
Call number: 317.73/O89/Shikaku
- 5 The Most Wanted! FP Level 3 Problem Set**
Call number: 338.18/Ta73/Shikaku

