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1 – 2:30 p.m.

Room MEC 224

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Technical Reference Librarian

R. W. Van Houton Library

New Jersey Institute of Technology

Library Resources and Support for Graduate Students

This NJIT Library Graduate Seminar caters to graduate students in the disciplines of Mechanical and Industrial Engineering. This initiative is intended to promote library services and engineering resources. Students will learn about the library's digital and print collections. Seminar attendees will be introduced to research databases features and functionalities that enable scholarly research efficiencies for literature reviews and research profiling. Searching the web efficiently and using major criteria for evaluating web resources will also be discussed in terms of lifelong learning skills. Students will also be introduced to the basics of using the time-saving bibliographic reference and citation management software EndNote and other simple and user-friendly citation generators.

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