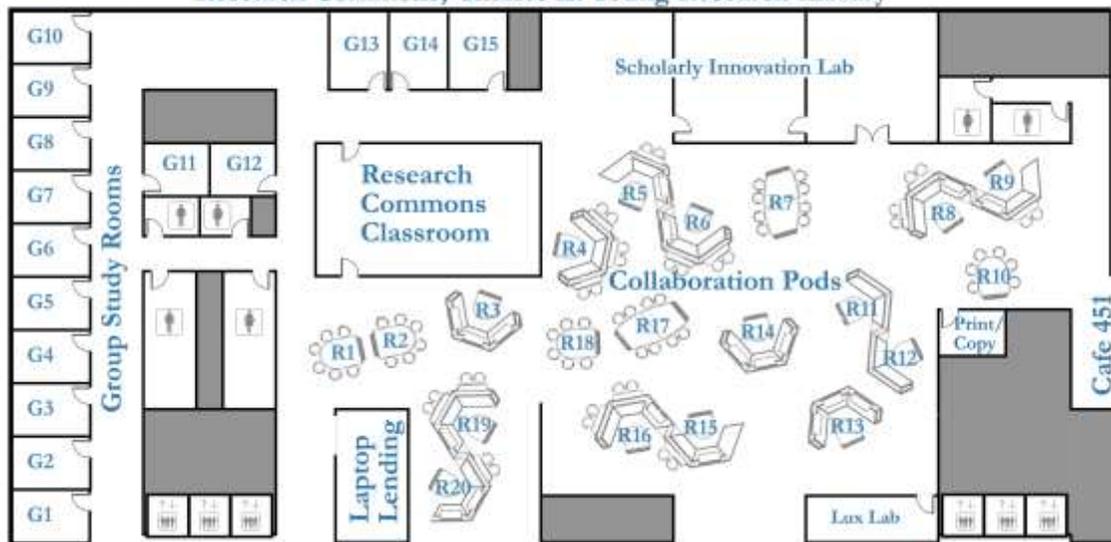


RESEARCH COMMONS

Charles E. Young Research Library

The Research Commons on the first floor of the Charles E. Young Research Library offers a variety of flexible, technology-enabled spaces, services, and equipment for students and faculty to use library resources, conduct research, and collaborate. More information, including online reservations, is at <http://www.library.ucla.edu/destination/research-commons>. Check the web page, or our Facebook page at <http://www.facebook.com/uclayrl>, for the latest updates, news, and activities.

Research Commons, Charles E. Young Research Library



Collaboration Pods

The central commons area contains twenty “pods” for collaborative work, equipped with large LCD screens with simultaneous inputs for laptops or mobile devices. Designed for interdisciplinary exchanges such as study groups, meetings, office hours, seminars, and classes, the pods are ideal for groups that are happy to have their projects and discussions open to others. Each seats six to twelve people, depending on the configuration, and the pod area also contains a central projection screen and sound system.



Group Study Rooms

Fifteen group study rooms each accommodate two to six people. All have white boards, and ten are equipped with LCD screens that can be connected to a laptop or mobile device.

Online Reservations for Pods and Study Rooms

<http://www.library.ucla.edu/destination/research-commons>

UCLA students, faculty, and staff members can make reservations up to 3 hours. Current BruinCard and ucla.edu e-mail address required.

Laptop Lending

UCLA students, faculty, and staff members can check out a dual-boot (Mac or Windows) laptop with software that is ready for use on UCLA's wireless network. A BruinCard and UCLA Logon ID are required. For a list of software applications, or to check on laptop availability, go to <http://www.library.ucla.edu/clicc/software>. Student employees at the laptop lending desk also provide technical assistance for equipment in the collaboration pods, group study rooms, and classroom.

Classroom

The Research Commons Classroom features:

- Twenty-four moveable desks
- Twenty-four dual-boot (Mac or Windows) laptops
- High-definition projector
- Ceiling-mounted document camera
- Built-in cameras and microphones for web conferencing

Faculty, instructors, and teaching assistants can reserve the room online at <http://www.library.ucla.edu/clicc/clicc-classrooms>.



Scholarly Innovation Lab (SIL)

These three connected rooms, jointly managed with the UCLA Center for Digital Humanities, provide flexible, collaborative work spaces for groups up to ten. To apply for SIL access for your research team, see <http://www.library.ucla.edu/yrl/sil>.



Outer SIL



Inner SIL



Window SIL

The Outer SIL specifically supports mapping and visualization projects with a 12' x 5' high-definition, rear-projection screen, controlled by a presenter computer. To reserve this space, email SIL@ucla.edu.

