

 **Welcome to the Cicu library of law!**

Our Law library holds more than 273.000 printed books (of which 1/3 foreigner books), more than 3.000 printed periodicals (of which almost 600 current periodicals) and provides access to more than 1.000 electronic journals and 95 online data banks.

Our services for UNIBO students, staff, researchers and visitors include: loan, reference service, reference rooms, photocopying, data bank consultation, inter-library loan and document delivery.

**Opening hours**

Library premises (reading rooms): from Monday to Friday 8:30-24:00, on Saturday 8:30-13,30.

Loan services (circulation desk): from Monday to Friday 8,30-17:45, on Saturday 8,30-13,00. Request stops half an hour before loan services close.

**Reference service**

You can ask for basic library information at the circulation desk in Sala Pighi room. Librarians can help you to find resources for your subject in our library and recommend databases, information and references. This service is also available online by sending an email to arpac.bibliotecacicu@unibo.it (for our library) or visiting the Unibo libraries service “ask a librarian” www.chiedialbibliotecario.unibo.it

For advanced reference, please contact data bank consultation service (in person; by telephone 051 2099688; sending an e-mail to arpac.banchedaticicu@unibo.it).

**Requesting and borrowing books**

* Ordinary books are stored in repositories: they must be requested by searching their shelfmark (location) and inventory number in electronic catalogue (OPAC Sebina you), filling the requesting form (call slip/card) and presenting it to the circulation desk (located at sala Pighi room);
* Textbooks (*Libritesto* signature) are available directly on shelves near the circulation desk;
* Items from external deposits, displayed on OPAC (online catalogue) in the library called “B. Giuridica Antonio Cicu (su prenotazione)”, must be requested at the circulation desk;

If you wish to borrow books you'll need to join and become a library member: in fact, loan is reserved to registered users: registration can be made in our library or in another library of the University of Bologna or public library of the city

**Borrowing rules**

Number of books on loan / Loan period:

*8 loans / 30 days* for ordinary books and textbooks for students (also for exchange students e.g. Erasmus);

*12 loans / 60 days* for ordinary books only for UNIBO staff (professors, researchers, visiting professors, employees).

**Book returning**

Books can be returned or at the circulation desk or, beyond its opening hours, in the book drops located near the exit.

**Online requesting and reserving:**

You can request items which are already on loan (reservation) or are available in our library using OPAC service.

**Renewal of loans**

Your loans (also textbooks) will be renewed once more, provided they have not been requested by anyone else, for another month (30 days).

**Other services:**

* **Photocopies**

You can purchase a photocopying card, which enables you to use the self-service photocopiers in the library.

* **Historical collections**

Old books (i.e. books published before 1830) are located in old book rooms (Sale storiche). The service is available only by appointment (send an e-mail to arpac.fondoanticocicu@unibo.it ).

* **Electronic resources**

The service aims to supply institutional users with detailed support in data bank and other electronic resources consultation. The service is available by appointment (in person; by telephone 051 2099688; sending an e-mail to arpac.banchedaticicu@unibo.it).

**Fines**

Overdue loans (beyond 2 days after due date of return) are subjected to a suspension period from loan services. This fine is also applied to not withdrawn reservations.

**Lost or stolen books**

If any library items are lost by you, please replace it with a new copy or contact our library immediately. You will be liable for the replacement of any items which are lost or stolen from your possession.

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