Library Central
What is it? Why should you care?

- Replaces the traditional library catalog
- Combines book and article searching into one simple search box
- Expands borrowing loan periods & implements a recall process
- Simplifies off-campus access to full-text articles
- Provides searchable access with integrated interlibrary loan & courier delivery service to other Iowa academic library collections

First things first:
- Access Library Central via the Library page on MySAU Portal
- Always Always Sign-in: you won’t have full functionality if you aren’t signed into Library Central

Manage My Account
- Loan periods for students
- Renew online
- Overdue fines & notices
- Hold Requests & Recalls
- E-shelf
- Off-campus access

Define
- Search Scopes
  - Books, Articles & More...
  - SAU Libraries Only
  - SAU Ebsco Databases
    **limited search capability**
- Advanced Search

Refine
- Facets & Limiters

Acquire
- View it – electronic/online
- Get it – print
- Request from another library
- Details tab

Remember:

MySAU Portal Library Page
Quick Links

- Library Central
- Library Databases
  Search specific databases, such as Academic Search Premier, CINAHL, ProQuest Central, PsycINFO, ScienceDirect, etc.
- Interlibrary Loan
  borrow books or request articles from another library
- Research Guides
  libguides.sau.edu
  Libguides created by library and teaching faculty for specific course assignments

Want assistance?
Contact A Librarian –
librefdesk@sau.edu or 563-333-6245