

## SPECIALIZED INFORMATION SEEKING

### Register for library's elective course

Now you can register for the library's interdisciplinary course, Specialized Information Seeking. This five-ECTS-credit course is meant for 2nd and 3rd year students, especially for those preparing their theses. Master's Degree and Open Studies students are welcome, too.

The course (ZWRZ0120) starts in January 2012, extending over the 3rd and 4th periods.

#### AFTER COMPLETING THE COURSE, THE STUDENT

- can collect and utilize available professional information comprehensively and critically
- will master advanced information retrieval methods
- knows the field-specific information sources and advanced Internet search methods
- can perform a systematic search on a chosen topic and write a report or review on the obtained information.

#### COMMON PART (PART A)

- preparing for information retrieval, search techniques, and locating information
- exploring relevant field-specific information sources, e.g. article databases, e-books and the Internet
- acquiring information assessment skills, e.g. source criticism, personal information seeking process and its consequences
- writing a review on one's own subject field.

#### OPTIONAL PART (PART B): SELECT ONE OF THE FOLLOWING

- field-specific information retrieval
- information seeking in the company
- project-specific information retrieval
- advanced Internet search.

#### FURTHER INFORMATION

Further information on the course on library's website [www.jamk.fi/library](http://www.jamk.fi/library) or contact Kristiina Åberg, Information Specialist, 0400 375 011, [kristiina.ahberg@jamk.fi](mailto:kristiina.ahberg@jamk.fi), JAMK Library

