

## The Campus

The Antioch Seattle campus is conveniently located in a modern building in the Belltown neighborhood, near Seattle's downtown core and just a few short blocks from Seattle Center and the Space Needle. The building houses classrooms, faculty and staff offices, a library, computer facilities, an art studio, lounge and study spaces, a bookstore and a café. Metered and other paid parking is available adjacent to the campus, together with easy access to Metro bus lines. The campus is designed to be accessible to everyone, regardless of physical ability.

Adult learners and the great majority of the Antioch Seattle faculty generally prefer small group discussions rather than lectures. As a result, Antioch classrooms are relatively intimate – with most designed for 20 or fewer students – and to facilitate interchange, they are arranged seminar style with moveable tables and chairs. Central atrium spaces on each floor of the main building are comfortably furnished and class discussions often spill out into these spaces in class sessions and during breaks. The result is a lively intellectual atmosphere in which students learn from one another as well as from their instructors.

The campus bookstore, located on the first floor, stocks textbooks, general reading material likely to be of interest to students, school supplies, snacks, greeting cards, clothing and other items.

Also located on the first floor is a small cafe, with coffees, teas, warm sandwiches, pastries, and salads. Artfully decorated, it holds an avant garde collegiate energy able to spark lively conversations around the table spaces. Newspapers and other reading materials are also available here to connect with the neighborhood and the whole city.

## Disability Support Services (DSS)

Antioch University recognizes that functional limitation is an experience shared by up to 1 in 5 people and is committed to ensuring disability non-discrimination as outlined Section 504 of the 1973 Rehabilitation Act, the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990, and related laws. The Disability Support Services (DSS) office provides resources for the campus community to build effective understanding and implementation of disability civil rights.

One key role of DSS is to provide reasonable accommodations to qualified students with a physical, sensory, psychological or learning disability or disabilities in order to ensure that all students have equal opportunity to benefit from and have access to programs and services. Accommodations may include, but are not limited to: extended time on assignments, interpreters, note taking, books on CD, large print, adaptive equipment, recorded class sessions and priority registration.

All students requesting reasonable accommodations must register with the DSS office and submit recent documentation of disability from a health care professional. All accommodations are determined on a case by case basis, since functional limitations can vary uniquely. Contact the DSS Office as early as possible so that individual accommodation needs can be addressed in a timely manner. All DSS information is kept confidential.

For more detailed information, including policies, procedures and resources, please contact the DSS Office at 206-268-4151 or 206-268-4403/TTY 206-728-5745 or e-mail [DSS@antiochseattle.edu](mailto:DSS@antiochseattle.edu).



## Library and Computer Services

Located on the first floor by the atrium, the Antioch Seattle Library offers both print and non-print materials. These support the University's curriculum and its commitment to teaching to diverse learning styles. The collection is accessible through the online catalog on the library's web page at [www.antiochseattle.edu/lib](http://www.antiochseattle.edu/lib). The library offers efficient document delivery and interlibrary loan services as well as course reserves.

Antioch Seattle has licenses to numerous academic databases with full-text journal articles and e-books. Through the library, members of the Antioch community have access to a vast collection of electronic resources. All library staff are trained to help access these.

To augment the on-campus print collection, currently registered Antioch Seattle students and core faculty can be reimbursed the cost of a library card at one public research library. This could include the University of Washington, Seattle University, community colleges or any

research library close to home. See the librarian for reimbursement procedures.

Computers, scanners, a printer and a copy machine are available during the library's liberal open hours. (Please see the library web page for the current schedule.) The computer classroom (room 105) hosts computer classes that provide training to students with varied research and technology skills. In the library, students also can view films from a growing DVD and online film collection. In addition, the library sponsors regular artistic and other cultural events of interest to the campus community.