

Learn About Second Life!

- How to use Second Life
- See what librarians are doing in Second Life
- How Second Life is being used for education
- Tour Info Island, winner of ALA's 2007 "Library of the Future" award for innovation

What is Second Life (SL)?

Second Life is a user-created virtual environment that is home to over 100 colleges and universities.

Info Island ?

Info Island is a collaborative learning environment, and just one of the many library related islands within Second Life, and is staffed by more than 500 librarians and 1000 volunteers globally!

I've got more questions...

We've got more answers! Contact Corrine Syster for more information, and help setting up your Second Life account.

New to Second Life? Sign up for Boot Camp!

It's tough being a newbie, but it's much easier if you have someone there by your side to show you the ropes! I can help you set up an account, show you how to navigate second life, customize your avatar, and much more! E-mail Corrine Syster, and we can arrange a time to get your avatar ready for the big tour!



Tour Information

In order to give you the best tour for your lindens, "seating" is limited. To sign up, e-mail Corrine Syster with your preferred date and time slot.

Monday, April 23, 8PM

Tuesday, April 24, 8PM

Wednesday, April 25, 8PM



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Getting into Second Life

- 1) Create an account at <https://secure-web7.secondlife.com/join/>
- 2) Once your account has been created, download and install the Second Life software
- 3) Run the client and Log In! Be sure to learn your way around on Orientation Island!

Getting to Info Island

- A) If you have Second Life open, click the blue "Map" button along the bottom-right hand side of your screen. Along the right you will see a search box. Type "Info Island" (without the quotes) into the search box. Three options will appear below: Choose the first one, Info Island, and then click "Teleport".
- B) If you do not have Second Life open, paste <http://slurl.com/secondlife/Info%20Island/92/130/34> into your web browser, and click the orange "teleport now" button. This will open Second Life and take you directly to Info Island.
- C) If you're completely lost, Instant Message Calliope Wexler or Donna Upshaw, and we can teleport you directly to our location.

As always you can find more information at the Second Life Knowledge Base, online at <http://secondlife.com/knowledgebase/>

If everything on this page is leaving you confused, don't hesitate to contact Corrine Syster and set up an appointment for a Second Life Boot Camp! I will work with you one-on-one to get you started in Second Life.

Don't know how to IM yet? Click the "Search" button along the bottom-middle of your screen. Select either the "All" or "People" tab or search for the person you wish to contact. Their profile will appear in that window. Click the "Instant Message..." button and type away!

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