

Autism Resource List

Note that the creators of some of these resources use content warnings. We have chosen not to report content warnings on this list.

Resources used for the introductory presentation:

- [1] Walker, Nick (2016). What Is Autism? Retrieved from <http://neurocosmopolitanism.com/what-is-autism/>
- [2] Saxe, Amanda (2017). The Theory of Intersectionality: A New Lens for Understanding the Barriers Faced by Autistic Women. Retrieved from <http://cjds.uwaterloo.ca/index.php/cjds/article/view/386/623>
- [3] Autistic Self Advocacy Network (2017). Autism and Safety Toolkit: Research Overview on Autism and Safety. Retrieved from <https://autisticadvocacy.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/11/Autism-and-Safety-Pt-1.pdf>
- [4] Autism and Race (2019). Retrieved from <https://autismandrace.com/>
- [5] S., Kassiane (2012). Acceptance vs. Awareness. Retrieved from <https://autisticadvocacy.org/2012/04/acceptance-vs-awareness/>

Inclusive teaching resources:

- UM-ITS instructional accessibility tips: <https://its.umich.edu/computing/accessible-computing/atcs/instructional-accessibility-tips>
- CRLT's website on inclusive teaching: <http://www.crlt.umich.edu/multicultural-teaching/inclusive-teaching-strategies>
- CRLT's list of inclusive teaching strategies: <https://docs.google.com/document/d/1wsoF0NgRbj1IZFM8H7FXydbBgxUIKfQchwHLrjMQu8E/edit?usp=sharing>

Some blogs, articles, and papers by Autistic people:

- Various papers on Autism and disability by Alyssa Hillary Zisk: <http://uri.academia.edu/AlyssaHillary>
- Just Stimming... - a blog by Julia Bascom, an Autistic woman, writer, and self-advocate: <https://juststimming.wordpress.com/about/>
- We Are Like Your Child - a group blog: <http://wearelikeyourchild.blogspot.com/>
- Ballastexistenz - a blog by Mel Baggs, a disabled writer and artist: <https://ballastexistenz.wordpress.com/>
- Radical Neurodivergence Speaking: <http://timetolisten.blogspot.com/>
- Musings of an Aspie: One woman's thoughts about life on the spectrum: <https://musingsofanaspie.com/aspergers-and-autism-resources/>
- The Third Glance - a blog by an Autistic PhD student: <https://thethirdglance.wordpress.com/about/>
- Autisticity - a blog by a writer, knitter, 22 year old autistic nonbinary human: <https://autisticity.com/>
- Crippledscholar - a blog by a PhD student in Critical Disability Studies: <https://crippledscholar.com/tag/academia/>
- Women in Astronomy blog post about bullying and harassment in academia: [Autism Isn't the Problem](#)

- Yes, That Too - a blog by Alyssa Hillary, an autistic graduate student:
<http://yesthattoo.blogspot.com/search/label/Engineering>

Disability-related resources at the University of Michigan:

- Services for Students with Disabilities Office - processes accommodations for students:
<https://ssd.umich.edu/>
- Rackham Resolution Officer - processes accommodations for graduate students in their role as employees: <https://rackham.umich.edu/about/directory/resolution-officer/>
- Further information about accommodations for graduate students with disabilities by Rackham:
<https://rackham.umich.edu/rackham-life/students-with-disabilities/accommodations-for-graduate-students-with-disabilities/>
- UM Council for Disability Concerns: <http://ability.umich.edu/links.html>
- Support for Students with Disabilities at UM: <http://supportforu-mstudents.yolasite.com/>
- UM Initiative on Disability Studies: <https://sites.lsa.umich.edu/uminds/>
- Office for Institutional Equity (OIE):
<https://hr.umich.edu/working-u-m/workplace-improvement/office-institutional-equity>
- Information about the Americans with Disabilities Act by UM Human Resources:
<https://hr.umich.edu/working-u-m/workplace-improvement/office-institutional-equity/americans-disabilities-act-information>
- Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS): <https://caps.umich.edu/>
- University Health Services (UHS): <https://www.uhs.umich.edu/>

Some resources for making events accessible:

- A guide for planning inclusive events by the Pacific Alliance on Disability Self Advocacy:
<http://pacific-alliance.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/02/Accessible-Event-Planning.pdf>
- Notes from the Autistic Self Advocacy Network (ASAN) on making events accessible:
<http://autisticadvocacy.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/06/Autistic-Access-Needs-Notes-on-Accessibility.pdf>
- A sarcastic explanation of how to organize a disability conference through the extensive use of negative examples:
<https://www.autistichoya.com/2015/07/how-not-to-plan-disability-conferences.html>
- Videos and guides for making presentations and conferences accessible:
<https://u.osu.edu/composingaccess/>