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The Reading Room

- Located on the second floor of the main CS building, overlooking the atrium
- As a CS grad student, you will have card access to the room
- Occupancy will be limited and use will be restricted to finding and signing out material and picking up requests



Our physical collection

- *Books & textbooks*: some are available as ebooks, but others are not
- *Journals & magazines*: most content is available in electronic format, but not always in a browsable or digital magazine format



Access to the physical collection

- With approved building access, you may *enter* the Reading Room to find materials on your own
- You may request material for *pickup* in the Reading room (with approved building access)
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Please check our [opening hours](#) [pdf] for information on room access and Zoom drop-in hours. (Aug 25-27: Tuesday 2-3pm & Thursday 10-11am)

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Reinforcement learning : an introduction. 2nd ed. / Richard S. Sutton and Andrew G. Barto.

Title: [Reinforcement learning : an introduction. 2nd ed. / Richard S. Sutton and Andrew G. Barto.](#)

Main Author: [Sutton, Richard S.](#)

Other Author(s): [Barto, Andrew G., author.](#)

Published: Cambridge, MA : The MIT Press, [2018]

Subject(s): [Reinforcement learning.](#)

Edition: Second edition.

Description: xxii, 526 pages ; 24 cm.

Series: Adaptive computation and machine learning series

Summary: "Reinforcement learning, one of the most active research areas in artificial intelligence, is a computational approach to learning whereby an agent tries to maximize the total amount of reward it receives while interacting with a complex, uncertain environment. In Reinforcement Learning, Richard Sutton and Andrew Barto provide a clear and simple account of the field's key ideas and algorithms."--

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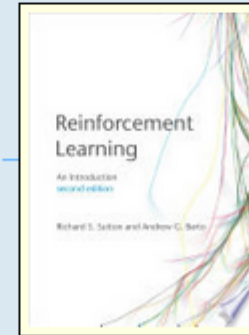
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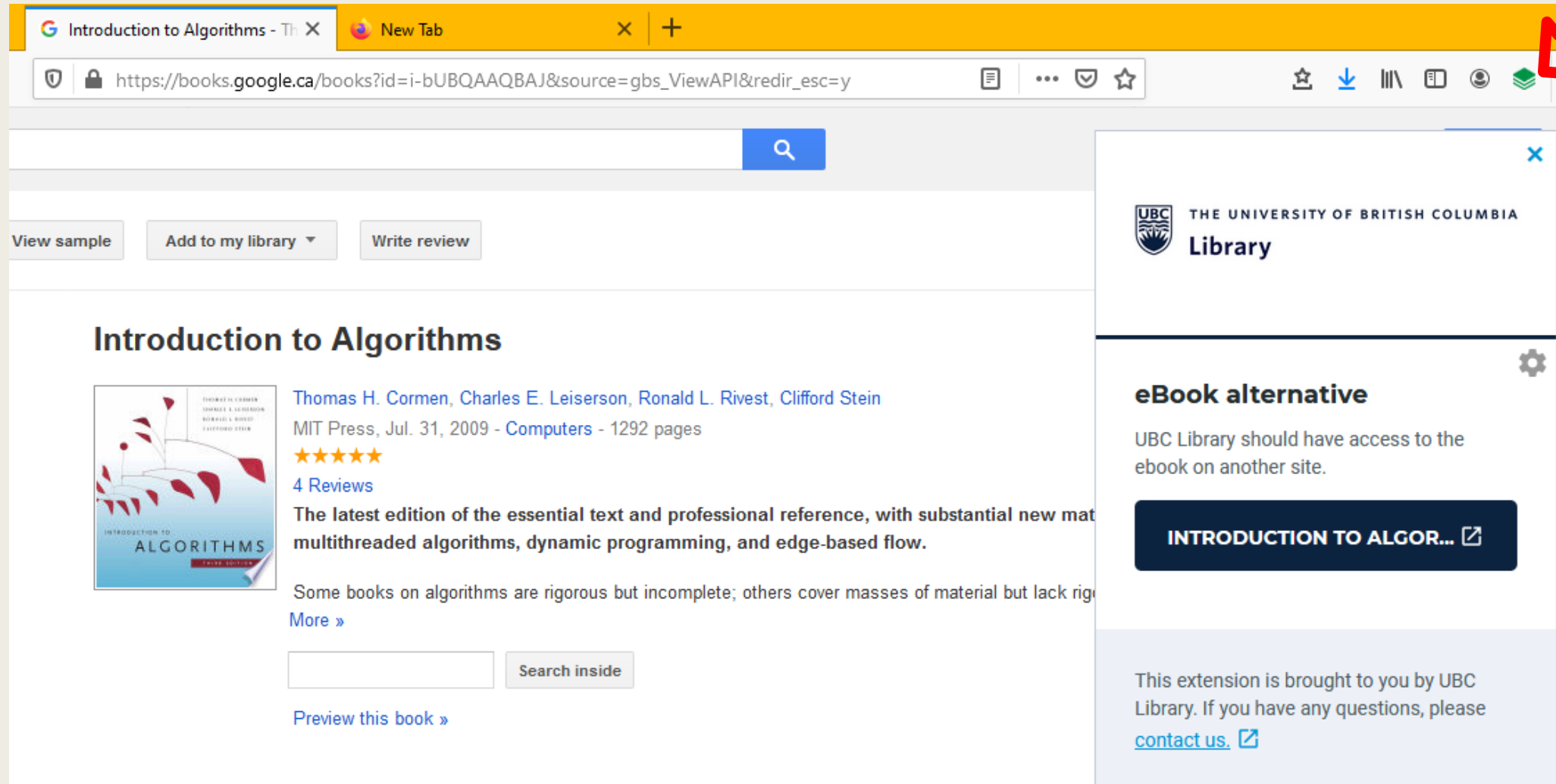
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- I recommend checking out the *Library Access browser extension*, which helps to recognize which e-resources are available to UBC users and enables a direct link to EZproxy authentication
- It can also suggest (legitimate) open access alternatives during your searches
- More information: guides.library.ubc.ca/connect/II

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