

Full-Text Indexes at WPUNJ

ACADEMIC SEARCH PREMIER

Academic Search Premier is a general index to articles in scholarly journals and other periodicals, with full-text access to over 3,100 titles. It can also be accessed through four major indexes (ERIC, CINAHL, PsycINFO, and Basic BIOSIS).

LEXIS-NEXIS ACADEMIC UNIVERSE

LEXIS-NEXIS Academic Universe offers over 4,800 full-text sources, including newspapers, trade publications, scholarly journals, law reviews, federal and state statutes, case law, and reference publications. This index is updated daily.

WILSON OMNIFILE

Wilson OmniFile: Full Text Mega Edition is a multidisciplinary database drawn from six H. W. Wilson full-text periodical indexes (including education, general science, the humanities, business, and social science). Together, these indexes offer full-text content from almost 3,000 titles.

ABI/INFORM

ABI/Inform is a full-text index to articles on business, management, advertising, marketing, economics, human resources, finance, taxation, computers, and more.

LITERATURE RESOURCE CENTER

The LRC provides literary criticism and reviews from over 130 periodicals. Also included are reference and biographical materials.

HEALTH / WELLNESS RESOURCE CENTER

These resources include health-related research from over 340 journals and magazines, plus dictionaries and medical guides.

CONTEMPORARY WOMEN'S ISSUES

This database includes over 150 journals, plus additional full-text materials from 1,800+ newsletters, pamphlets, reports, and bibliographies. Coverage is global.

ETHNIC NEWSWATCH

Ethnic NewsWatch provides access to 212 newspapers from ethnic, minority, and native presses.

Getting Connected to E-Journals:

On Campus...

All offices and labs connected to the campus network can access e-journals from the Library Webpage.

Students living in the Residence Halls can connect

their personal computers upon registration, payment of a one-time setup fee, and installation of an Ethernet network interface card and cable. Complete details are available from Information Technology Services at:

ww2.wpunj.edu/itservices/

[select "Residence Halls Network Services" from menu]

At Home...

From off-campus locations, there are two options. In both cases, you must have a valid University email account and know your username and password:

1) **Dialup Access** - If your home computer is equipped with a modem, you can configure a dialup connection to access the campus network. Complete instructions are available online for Windows 95/98/ME at:

ww2.wpunj.edu/itservices/

and for Macintosh computers at:

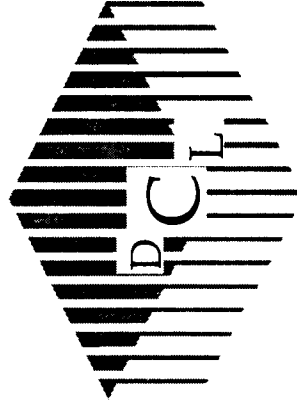
www.wpunj.edu/irt/commkit/mac/

2) **VPNKit** - If you connect to the internet from home using an internet service provider and the Wayne telephone exchange is not local to you, you may prefer to access the campus network by installing and running Virtual Private Network (VPN) software now available on CD-ROM from the library: ask for the VPNKit at the Library's Electronic Resources Center. Please note that VPN software is only available for Windows operating systems at this time.

Need More Help Getting Connected?

For software configuration or network connection help, call 720-HELP (4357) or email help@wpunj.edu.

Guide to E-Journals and Online Periodicals



Electronic Journals

The Cheng Library is pleased to offer a growing number of online resources bringing periodical citations, abstracts and full-text documents to your computer workstation in labs, offices, and at home.

This brochure provides

- ◆ An overview of our major e-journal collections
- ◆ Instructions on how to access and use them
- ◆ Information on your off-campus access options
- ◆ Answers to some common questions

What is an E-Journal?

Our e-journal collections - ScienceDirect, JSTOR, IDEAL, Project Muse, EBSCO Online, and the CQ Library - represent efforts by publishers to make their scholarly periodicals available electronically. Most e-journals retain key features of their print counterparts and allow you to browse issues, view tables of contents, and stay current with articles as they are published.

Full-Text Indexes: Another Way to Find Articles

Our full-text indexes - - LEXIS-NEXIS Academic Universe, Academic Search Premier, ABI/Inform, Wilson OmniFile, Contemporary Women's Issues, Ethnic NewsWatch, Literature Resource Center, and the Health and Wellness Resource Center - - offer access to full-text content from many different publishers, and are better suited for searching than browsing.

Questions?

Call the Library Reference Desk at 720-2116 or send an email message to refdesk@wpunj.edu for assistance in the use of these resources.

How to Find Articles in E-Journals:

Search and Link

We recommend you begin any search by using an appropriate subject index or database. E-journals offer great convenience when browsing a specific journal, but most e-journal collections do not provide the kind of broad subject coverage that can be found only in the best subject indexes (e.g., ERIC for education, the MLA Bibliography for literary criticism, PsycINFO for psychology research, etc.).

Fortunately, a growing number of online subject indexes now offer direct links to full-text content in many e-journal collections. This search and link feature saves you the trouble of having to search in other databases once you have found citations to useful articles. To view our subject indexes online, go to:

www.wpunj.edu/library/erclist.htm

Browse the Directory

A current alphabetical title directory of all e-journals that can be accessed from the Library is available online. The directory includes direct links to e-journal home pages or other access points and, where available, information on the date range for which individual titles can be found online. To view the directory, go to:

www.wpunj.edu/library/e-journals.htm

The directory is especially useful when you are searching for citations already obtained from another source and want to check for online availability. Electronic journal publishing is a fairly recent development, so you are most likely to find articles from scholarly journals online if they were published during the last decade. They are less commonly available before 1990. The text for many older citations can be found in print, microfilm, and microfiche in the Periodicals Department.

E-Journal Collections at WPUNJ

SCIENCE DIRECT

ScienceDirect is produced by Elsevier Science, one of the world's largest publishers of scholarly and research journals. Get full-text access to some 800 leading journals in biology, chemistry, clinical medicine, computer science, mathematics, engineering and physics, plus several titles in the social sciences.

JSTOR

The JSTOR (Journal Storage) collection is a full-text archive of 117 key journals in the humanities, social sciences and mathematics. Unlike most e-journal collections, JSTOR was designed to offer the complete historical backfile for all titles, and many of these extend to the nineteenth century.

IDEAL

IDEAL is the International Digital Electronic Access Library of Academic Press, a major publisher of scientific journals. Get full-text electronic access to over 190 journals in biomedical and life sciences, mathematics, physical science, social/behavioral sciences, and engineering.

EBSCO Online

EBSCO Online provides over 300 full-text electronic journals for which we also hold print subscriptions. The titles cover a wide range of subjects in the humanities, the social and natural sciences, business, and education. Journals from over 60 major academic publishers are available through EBSCO Online.

PROJECT MUSE

Project MUSE is the Johns Hopkins University Press electronic publishing project, specializing in humanities and social science titles. Our subscription includes 48 full-text journals in literary and cultural studies, history, philosophy, and politics.

CQ LIBRARY

The CQ Library, produced by Congressional Quarterly, offers current and in-depth coverage of Congress and Washington politics through its *CQ Weekly* (1983-Present) and *CQ Researcher* (1991-Present).