



**Murray State University
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Database Guides

EBSCOHost

Databases

Finding EBSCOHost Databases:

First, choose *Databases A-Z* or *Subject Sources* from the Library's Home Page.

Choose an appropriate EbscoHost database..

(In this case **Academic Search Premier**)

The "about" screens will identify which are EbscoHost.

Databases A to Z - Murraystate University

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Databases A to Z (alphabetical by title)

Off-campus access to library resources is available to all current MSU faculty, staff and students. Please log in using your last name as your username and the last 4 digits of your social security number as your password.

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Searching:

To search on a single database, choose a database title from the list on *Databases A-Z* or *Subject Sources*

Enter your search term in the find field.

Select a field in which to search.

Enter additional search terms in the optional search boxes.

Connect your multiple search terms with Boolean operators (AND, OR, NOT) to create a very broad or very narrow search.

The screenshot displays the EBSCOhost search interface within a Netscape browser window. The browser title is "EBSCOhost - Netscape". The address bar shows a session ID: "ionmgr3%2Dsessionmgr4+7426&_us=db+0+ex+default+hs+0+sm+ES+ss+50+9AA2&newsrch=1". The page header includes the EBSCO logo, "Research Databases", and "MURRAY STATE UNIV". Navigation buttons include "Basic Search", "Advanced Search", "Choose Databases", "Keyword", "Subjects", "Publications", "Company Info", and "Images". The selected database is "Academic Search Premier". The search form consists of a "Find:" field, followed by "and" operators and dropdown menus for field selection. A dropdown menu is open, showing a list of search fields: "Default Fields", "AU Author", "TI Article_title", "SU Subject", "AB Abstract", "AN Accession_Number", "IS ISSN", "SO Journal_name", and "AS Author_Supplied_Abstract". The "Default Fields" option is highlighted. Below the search form are "Search Options", "Search History", and "Results" tabs. A "Limit your results:" section is visible, with a "Full Text" checkbox. The browser status bar shows "Document: Done".

Choosing Subjects: Most Ebsco Databases include subject or thesauri buttons that help you choose the best term in that area.

Click this subject button and retrieve this list of hyperlinked resources & options

The screenshot shows the EBSCOhost search interface in a Microsoft Internet Explorer browser window. The address bar shows a URL with session information. The page header includes the EBSCOhost logo, navigation tabs for 'Basic Search', 'Advanced Search', and 'Choose Databases', and a 'MURRAY STATE UNIV' logo. Below the header, there are tabs for 'Keyword', 'Subjects', 'Publications', and 'Images'. The 'Subjects' tab is highlighted. The main content area shows the 'Database: Academic Search Premier' search interface with a search box and several 'and' filters. A 'Folder has 0 items.' message is visible. At the bottom, there is a 'Refine Search' section with various filters like 'Full Text', 'Magazine', 'References Available', 'Scholarly (Peer Reviewed) Journals', 'Published Date', and 'Publication Type'.

The screenshot shows the EBSCOhost search interface displaying a list of subject terms and hyperlinked resources. The address bar shows a URL with session information. The page header includes the EBSCOhost logo, navigation tabs for 'Basic Search', 'Advanced Search', and 'Choose Databases', and a 'MURRAY STATE UNIV' logo. Below the header, there are tabs for 'Keyword', 'Subjects', 'Publications', and 'Images'. The 'Subjects' tab is highlighted. The main content area shows the 'Database: Subjects—Academic Search Premier Hierarchical' search interface. A 'Folder has 0 items.' message is visible. Below this, there is a 'Subjects' section with a 'Page:' dropdown, a 'Browse for' search box, and radio buttons for 'Alphabetical' and 'Relevancy Ranked'. A list of subject terms is displayed, each with a 'View' link and a count of references. The terms include: CENSORSHIP (93 NEWSPAPER REFERENCE(S), 1588 PERIODICAL REFERENCE(S), 91 REVIEW REFERENCE(S)), CENSORSHIP & ART IN PRE-ENLIGHTENMENT LIMA (BOOK) (2 REVIEW REFERENCE(S)), CENSORSHIP & FREEDOM OF EXPRESSION IN JEWISH HISTORY (BOOK) (2 REVIEW REFERENCE(S)), CENSORSHIP & INTELLECTUAL FREEDOM (BOOK) (1 PERIODICAL REFERENCE(S), 3 REVIEW REFERENCE(S)), CENSORSHIP & INTERPRETATION (BOOK) (1 PERIODICAL REFERENCE(S), 2 REVIEW REFERENCE(S)), CENSORSHIP & LIBEL (BOOK) (1 REVIEW REFERENCE(S)), and CENSORSHIP & LIBRARIES (BOOK).

Limits:

There may be special limiters available that are specific to the database you are searching

The screenshot shows a Netscape browser window titled "EBSCOhost - Netscape". The address bar contains a long URL. Below the browser window is a search filter interface with the following sections:

- Limit your results:** A yellow header bar with "Limiters" and "Expanders" links, and a "Clear" button.
- Full Text:** A checkbox with an arrow pointing to it from the text "Full Text" on the right.
- Magazine:** A text input field with an arrow pointing to it from the text "Magazine" on the right.
- Date Published:** Two "Month" dropdown menus and "Yr." input fields.
- Scholarly (Peer Reviewed) Journals:** A checkbox with an arrow pointing to it from the text "Scholarly/Peer Reviewed Journals" on the right.
- Publication Type:** A dropdown menu with "Periodical", "Newspaper", and "Book" options.
- Number Of Pages:** A text input field.
- Cover Story:** A checkbox.
- Articles With Images:** A dropdown menu with "Full Page Image" and "Text with Graphic" options.

Select from available limit options at the bottom of the screen. For example: **Full Text** – Limits search results to articles that are full text on the computer

Magazine – Limits search results to articles from a specific periodical.

Scholarly/Peer Reviewed Journals – Limits search results to content from scholarly journals only.

The Results List:

The information retrieved from the databases that are searched is called the results list. This list provides citations and information on the availability of HTML full text, PDF full text or images.

A complete list of articles in reverse date order.

Complete citation information available at this level.

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Internet Explorer browser window displaying the EBSCOhost search results page. The search criteria are 'libraries' and 'censorship'. The results list contains five entries, each with a title, author, journal information, and options for HTML or PDF full text. A folder icon is visible next to the first result, and a message indicates 'Folder has 0 items'.

Item	Title	Author	Journal	Options
1.	The new censorship. (cover story)	By: Paretsky, Sara.	New Statesman, 6/2/2003, Vol. 132 Issue 4640, p18, 3p, 1c; (AN 9898930)	HTML Full Text PDF Full Text (60K)
2.	CENSORSHIP WATCH.	American Libraries, Jun/Jul2003, Vol. 34 Issue 6, p21, 1p, 1c; (AN 9923210)	HTML Full Text PDF Full Text (261K)	
3.	Should Libraries Censor Patrons' Surfing?	By: Swartz, Nikki.	Information Management Journal, May/Jun2003, Vol. 37 Issue 3, p6, 1p; (AN 9908127)	PDF Full Text (159K)
4.	CENSORSHIP WATCH.	American Libraries, May2003, Vol. 34 Issue 5, p19, 1p; (AN 9666143)	HTML Full Text PDF Full Text (66K)	
5.	TX Librarian Wins Free Speech Award.	By: Ishizuka, Kathy.	School Library Journal, May2003, Vol. 49 Issue 5, p19, 3/4p, 1c; (AN 9689201)	HTML Full Text PDF Full Text (66K)

Note: “libraries” and “censorship” have been combined as subjects.

1008 total citations are available.

Folder: To create a list of citations, click here to add to a Folder.

Full Text of the Articles Online – HTML or PDF

The screenshot shows a Microsoft Internet Explorer browser window displaying the EBSCOhost search results page. The address bar shows a URL from epnet.com. The page header includes the EBSCOhost logo, search options (Basic, Advanced, Choose Databases), and navigation links (New Search, View Folder, Preferences, Help). The search criteria are 'libraries' and 'censorship'. The results section shows a list of 5 articles, each with links for 'HTML Full Text' and 'PDF Full Text'. Two arrows point from the text below to the 'HTML Full Text' links for the first and second articles.

Refine Search	Search History / Alerts	Results
To print, e-mail, or save an article or citation, add it to your folder.		
1 to 10 (of 1008) Pages: 1 2 3 4 5		
1.	The new censorship. (cover story) By: Paretsky, Sara. New Statesman, 6/2/2003, Vol. 132 Issue 4640, p18, 3p, 1c; (AN 9898930) HTML Full Text PDF Full Text (50K)	Add
2.	CENSORSHIP WATCH. American Libraries, Jun/Jul2003, Vol. 34 Issue 6, p21, 1p, 1c; (AN 9923210) HTML Full Text PDF Full Text (261K)	Add
3.	Should Libraries Censor Patrons' Surfing? By: Swartz, Nikki. Information Management Journal, May/Jun2003, Vol. 37 Issue 3, p6, 1p; (AN 9808127) PDF Full Text (158K)	Add
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5.	TX Librarian Wins Free Speech Award. By: Ishizuka, Kathy. School Library Journal, May2003, Vol. 49 Issue 5, p19, 3/4p, 1c; (AN 9689201) HTML Full Text PDF Full Text (222K)	Add

HTML or web versions of the full text are available to read, save, email, or print. This is best for emailing since many browser email services do NOT have sufficient space for PDF files. **“PDF”** means a scanned image of the original journal article is available. This is best for printing, and provides all the original citation information including page numbers.

Full Text Online *NOT* Available?

If the full text of the article is NOT available in HTML or PDF versions, click on the title to see a full record of the article. Full Records *without* full text will look like this:

Complete citation
information for
research – Author,
Title, and “Source”.

Abstract, or a short
summary of the
contents.

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Author(s): [Vastag, Brian](#)

Source: [JAMA: Journal of the American Medical Association](#); 4/2/2003, Vol. 289 Issue 13, p1625, 1p

Document Type: Article

Subject(s): [DURBIN, Richard](#)
[MOTHERS -- Health](#)
[MATERNAL & infant welfare](#)
[BIRTH control](#)
[ABORTION](#)
[LATE-term abortion](#)
[ABORTION -- Law & legislation](#)

Abstract: Details of a bill in the United States Senate regarding so-called partial-birth **abortions**. When in the delivery process that the ban on partial-birth **abortions** would apply; Amendment to the bill offered by Senator Richard Durbin with respect to the health of the mother.

ISSN: 00987484

Accession Number: 9421953

Persistent Link to this Article: <http://search.epnet.com/direct.asp?an=9421953&db=aph>

Database: Academic Search Premier

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Internet

Full Records *with* full text online look like this:

Print, Save to disk, or Email this document from here.

If a PDF version is preferred, choose here.

Locate pertinent sections of text here.

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "EBSCOhost - Murraystate University". The address bar contains a long URL. The page features a navigation bar with links for "Result List", "Refine Search", "Print", "E-mail", "Save", "Add to folder", and "Folder has 0 item(s)". Below this, there are format options: "Citation", "Full Text", and "PDF Full Text (704K)". The main content area displays the following information:

- Title:** *BEA RETURNS TO NEW YORK: IT'S A SMASHING SUCCESS*, By: Burns, Ann, Fialkoff, Francine, Hoffert, Barbara, Miller, Rebecca, Oder, Norman, Rogers, Michael, Ward, Nathan, Williams, Wilda, Library Journal, 03630277, Jun2002, Vol. 127, Issue 10
- Database:** Academic Search Premier
- Section:** News
- BookExpo America**
- BEA RETURNS TO NEW YORK: IT'S A SMASHING SUCCESS**
- Contents**
 - [Day of Dialog](#)
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- Librarians turn out in force to find books, meet publishers, and take advantage of admission discounts**
- The BookExpo America (BEA) annual conference drew legions of librarians, publishers, and booksellers who packed New York City's Jacob Javits Center, May 1-5. Approximately 2000 exhibitors--up 160 from last year--were spread over two floors, offering a bonanza of treasures from publishers great and small. "Overwhelming" seemed to be the most prevalent word heard on the floor from both attendees and exhibitors.**

Save this item to folder here.

The full citation needed for a research bibliography is here.

Complete text in HTML format.

Creating and Using Folders:

Multiple articles OR citations may be saved to a folder. This is a handy way to print, email or save materials. At the Results List page, simple click on “add” at the end of each citation. Why write it all if you can simply save the list?

The screenshot shows a web browser window titled "EBSCOhost - Murraystate University". The address bar contains a long URL. The page displays search results for "Folder has 3 item(s)". The results list includes:

- 1. [Web-Filter Law On Pornography Is Struck Down](#); By: Dreazen, Yochi J., Wall Street Journal - Eastern Edition, 6/3/2002, Vol. 239 Issue 107, pA6, 0p. **Added**
- 2. [BEA Returns to New York: It's a Smashing Success](#); By: Burns, Ann; Fialkoff, Francine; Hoffert, Barbara; Miller, Rebecca; Oder, Norman; Rogers, Michael; Ward, Nathan; Williams, Wilda., **Library Journal**, Jun2002, Vol. 127 Issue 10, p18, 3p, 4c. **Add**
- 3. [Jackson, WY](#); School **Library Journal**, Jun2002, Vol. 48 Issue 6, p20, 1/9p, 1c. **Added**
- 4. [CENSORSHIP WATCH](#); By: Goldberg, Beverly., **American Libraries**, May2002, Vol. 33 Issue 5, p23, 1p, 1c. **Added**
- 5. [How Many Times Can They Say 'Children and Pornography'?](#); By: Kniffle, Leonard., **American Libraries**, May2002, Vol. 33 Issue 5, p41, 2/3p. **Add**
- 6. [HOW DO YOU MANAGE?](#); By: Rogers, Michael., **Library Journal**, 4/1/2002, Vol. 127 Issue 6, p72, 2p. **Add**

Click here to view the folder of citations.

Three items are marked for a folder. Clicking the items a second time will remove it from the folder.

SAVE / PRINT / EMAIL

Follow prompts on screen. The email request page looks like this:

The 1 item(s) you selected will be e-mailed. To continue, enter an e-mail address and click Send.

E-mail Address:

Subject:

Empty folder after e-mailing

E-mail content includes:

Additional citation details and abstract

Full Text (when available)

PDF as separate attachment (when available)

Type in any (your) email address here.

Label it to clearly indicate the contents. (Note: when you send an entire folder with several articles in it, they will all have the same subject. To individually mark emailed articles, send individually, not as a folder batch.)

Choose this rather than HTML if PDF format is preferred OR is the only option. **NOTE: It is NOT recommended that you email PDF versions! They are too big.**

Database Help

Still not sure? Need more help?

- Use the EBSCOHost help screens when offered.
- If in the library, ask for help at the Reference Desk.
- By phone, call 762-2053
- By email, reference@murraystate.edu