

HISTORY 111 Library Research Skills - UBC's Okanagan Library

Books: Use **Catalogue** link on Library webpage
<http://webcat1.library.ubc.ca/vwebv/searchBasic>

Searching tips:

Keyword search – results returned in **relevance order** or **date order** - Watergate
Put **quotation marks** around phrases – “jim crow”
Put **and** between keywords – kennedy and assassination

Limit search for items in **Okanagan** – Filter by location: Okanagan Library
Find **videos** or **DVDs** – Filter by item type/ Format: Videorecording
Online books - Filter by location: Online

In Pursuit of Equity: Women, Men – paper and online copies

Document Delivery= intercampus borrowing from UBC. Order online.
No cost. Delivery time: Books = 4 working days & articles = 2 days.

Library of Congress Subject Headings

“new deal” → “new deal 1933-1939”
reconstruction – “reconstruction U.S. History 1865-1877”
segregation → “African Americans” and segregation

Journal Articles:

- a) Find a citation: “Brooks Hays and the New Deal”. Atto, William J. *Arkansas Historical Quarterly* Summer 2008. Vol 67 issue 2. p 168-186.
<http://toby.library.ubc.ca/webpage/webpage.cfm?id=677>
- b) Search for articles: **Subject Guide** link on library webpage – to identify databases
<http://www.library.ubc.ca/home/subjects-all.html#arts>

Databases

America: History and Life
<http://resources.library.ubc.ca/1641>

Academic Search Complete
<http://resources.library.ubc.ca/196>

JStor
<http://resources.library.ubc.ca/49>

Project Muse
<http://resources.library.ubc.ca/65>

Many articles are full text online. Click on **PDF full text link** or the yellow **UBC eLink** button to link to full text articles.

Off campus access for online items (journal articles & online books).
You will be prompted to login using CWL or library number & PIN.

Historical Newspapers – database

Proquest Historical Newspapers

<http://resources.library.ubc.ca/796>

Roosevelt and fireside chat

Primary Sources

Catalogue: sources and “reconstruction
U.S. history”

Google: “primary documents” and Roosevelt
and “new deal”

My Library Account

Online renewal of books and DVDs

<http://www.library.ubc.ca/home/libaccount.html>

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