

SUBJECT: JOURNALISM RESOURCES

Keywords to use when searching **eLibrary** (<http://library.cuesta.edu/>), **databases** (<http://library.cuesta.edu/database.htm>) and print indexes:

Journalism

Newspapers

Electronic Journalism

Broadcast Journalism

Photojournalism

(Any subject you are researching)

HOW TO FIND:

Internet Resources

- Individual Web Sites

<http://www.refdesk.com> - A reference site with links to newspapers from all over the world, news sources from network television to newswire services, and much more.

<http://bailiwick.lib.uiowa.edu/journalism/> A huge academic site with links to journalism resources, such as Working Journalism Resources, Media Resources, and many other subjects of interest.

<http://journalism.indiana.edu/faculty-and-research/scholastic-resources/> Another academic site from Indiana University, it has links to scholastic journalism sites and more.

<http://www.journalism.org/> Another portal site with links to resources of interest to journalism students.

<http://www.state.gov/r/pa/ei/bgn/> This State Dept. page has Background Notes on countries of the world.

<http://www.fedstats.gov/> A gateway site to statistics from more than 100 Federal agencies.

- **Search Engines**

Use any search engine (Google: <http://www.google.com>, Ask: <http://www.ask.com> etc.) and type in *Journalism directory* (or other keyword + directory), for a list of sites with many links to this subject. Most search engines also have directories by subject. For links to some search engines go to [Additional Links and Resources](#)

(<http://library.cuesta.edu/workbook/index.htm#additional>) under **English 201A Workbook** on the Library home page or the Library channel on myCuesta.

- **Subject Directories**

Choose an academic subject directory, such as *Internet Public Library* <http://www.ipl.org>, or *Infomine* <http://infomine.ucr.edu>. Type in your keyword. For links to other subject directories go to *Additional Links and Resources* (<http://library.cuesta.edu/workbook/index.htm#additional>) under **English 201A Workbook** on the Library home page or your myCuesta Resources tab.

Books from the Cuesta College Library

- From the Library's home page <http://library.cuesta.edu> under **Find a Book**, select **eLibrary** and type a keyword or phrase (for instance: Toys psychological aspects) in the *Search* field. Books are arranged by the Library of Congress Classification System and are found in the bookstacks by this number. For a good introduction on using LC call numbers go to York University's LC page <http://www.info.library.yorku.ca/yorkline/lc/lc.html>
- Your teacher may have placed books on Reserve at the Circulation Desk in the lobby. Check there, or click on **Reserve Desk** above the search box in **eLibrary**. You can search by your instructor's name or the course number.
- Online books (eBooks) are also accessed from **eLibrary**. The eBook call number is ONLINE and the URL link is provided.
- To access eBooks or any other library resource from home, use your myCuesta login. You can find the library page through myCuesta on the Resources tab, or use the library home page.
- Subject encyclopedias, found in the **Reference** book stacks, have good background articles. Use the Index at the end of the set and look under your term.

Books from other libraries

- On the Cuesta Library's home page <http://library.cuesta.edu>, look under **Find a Book** and choose **Other Library Catalogs**.
- Request books from other libraries by using the online link to the **interlibrary Loan Request** (<http://library.cuesta.edu/illoan.htm>) form, found under **Find an Article** on the Library home page

<http://library.cuesta.edu>. Allow 7-10 working days to receive your materials.

Periodicals (Journals, Magazines, Newspapers) in online databases

- Cuesta subscribes to the following online databases: **EBSCOhost**, **SIRS**, and **National Newspaper Index** (<http://library.cuesta.edu/database.htm>). They can be accessed from the Library's home page or your myCuesta page at Cuesta or from home. Simply use your myCuesta login.

Periodicals in print indexes

- *Readers' Guide to Periodical Literature* (ref AI 3 R48) is a general periodical print index that can be searched by author or subject. Use *Readers' Guide* to get a list of citations for articles. Then go to the [Cuesta College Periodical Holdings List](http://library.cuesta.edu/phl.htm) (PHL) - <http://library.cuesta.edu/phl.htm> to see if Cuesta carries the journal title for the articles you want.

Readers' Guide is especially useful for historical topics, since it goes back to 1900. It also indexes periodicals not indexed in online databases. Link to a *Readers' Guide* tutorial:

<http://lib.northern.edu/infolit/tablesversion/lessons/lesson5/readersguide.htm>.

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