

Archer Library

@ Ashland University



Library Overview • Ed.D. Research

Librarians & Research Help

Faculty librarians at Archer Library are available to meet with doctoral students to discuss research strategies and provide search assistance.

Research Consultations

Scheduling a research consultation is easy.

- Email library@ashland.edu, chat with us online,
- call us at 419.289.5402, or
- stop in and work with the librarian on duty.

During the semester, reference help is available Monday through Thursday, 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Friday, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Sunday, from 1 p.m. to 7 p.m. Hours updates are available on the library website.

Databases & Interlibrary Loan

Library databases provide access to an extensive amount of full-text resources. We also have *free* interlibrary loan services for articles where full text is not immediately available. Did you know you can ILL a dissertation's literature review? It's true! We can help.

Literature Reviews

The start of your literature review is a great time to meet with a librarian. Why? Librarians can help you structure a search, suggest Boolean strategies, use search limiters and truncate search terms, and provide tips for managing your search in EBSCO databases and connect Google Drive.

Resources •

Archer Library

<https://www.ashland.edu/library>

A to Z Database List

<https://libguides.ashland.edu/az.php>

Ed.D. Research Library Guide

<https://libguides.ashland.edu/EdDresearch>

Archer Library Guides

<https://libguides.ashland.edu>

Contact Information •

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Archer Library Online •

Need help locating the library website? There are several different pathways from Ashland University's home page to the library, the quickest is just two clicks.

 <https://www.ashland.edu>

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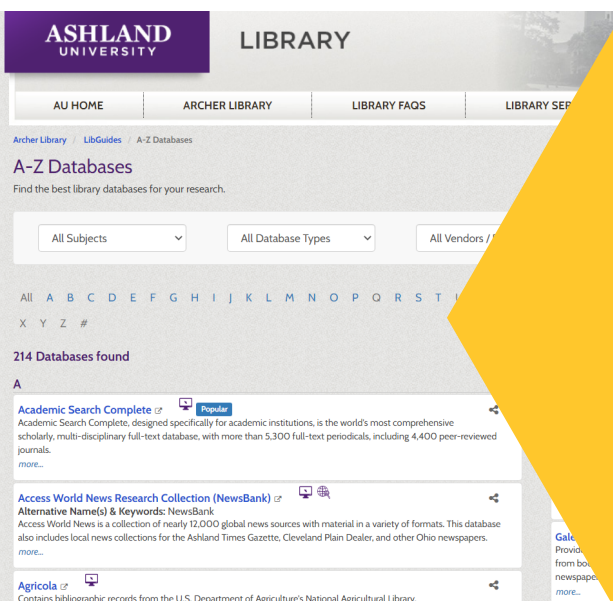
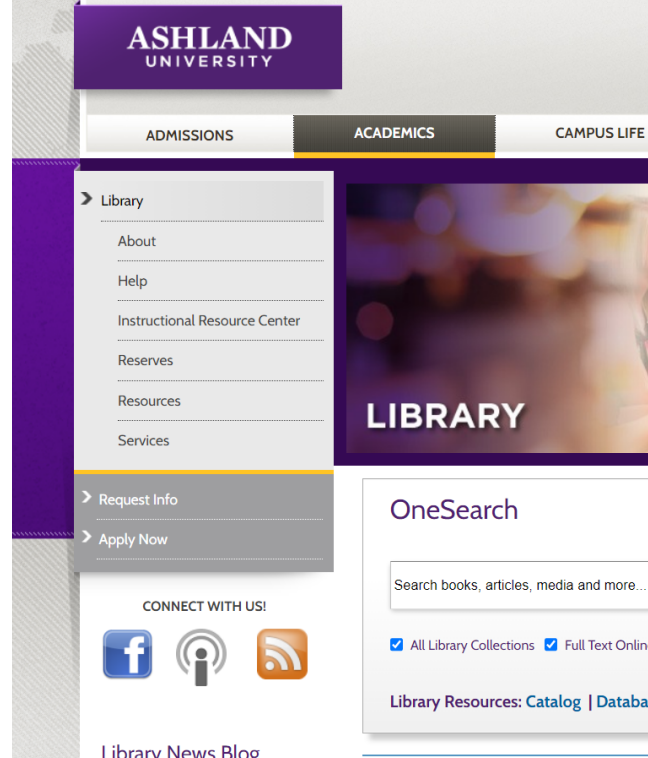


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1 Select "Life at AU" from the main menu.


2 Select "Library" from the student experience menu.

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A to Z Database List •

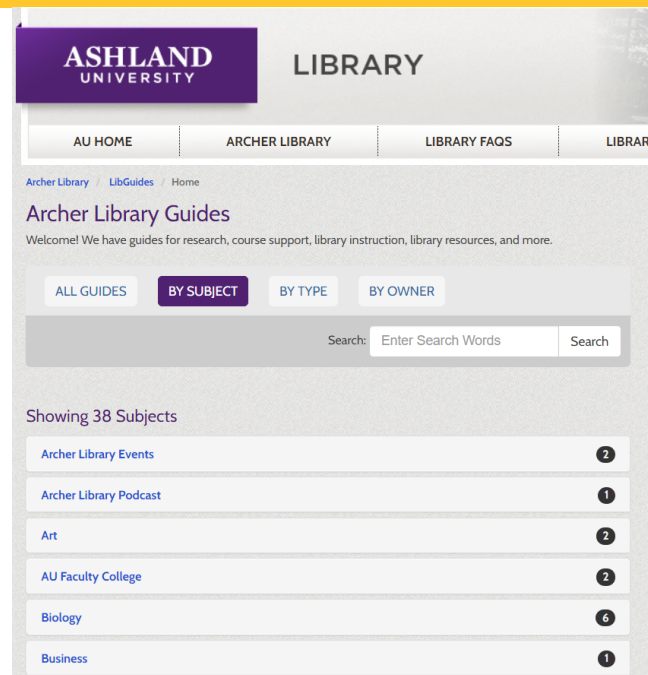
The A to Z Database page features an alphabetical listing of Archer Library and OhioLINK resources available to AU students. It is possible to limit the list by subject (e.g., education), database type (e.g., Research Database), vendor (e.g. EBSCO), or search by resource name. Visit the page directly using the link below, or select 'Databases' from the *Library Resources* menu.

 <https://libguides.ashland.edu/az.php>

Archer Library Guides •

Library guides are developed by subject specialist librarians to provide curated resources and information. The library guide main page presents an alphabetical list of subjects, informational digital slide show, links to the A to Z Database list and Library FAQs, an introduction to Archer library faculty and staff, and library hours. Click on *Education* or *Instructional Resource Center* to view subject guides developed to support courses and provide research help.

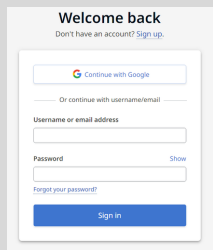
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EBSCO Folders •

Working in an EBSCO database? If so, it is possible to create a free My EBSCOHost account and save items (e.g., articles) in a folder.

Without an account, items saved are cleared at the end of your session. While Google is recommended, you may use any email to create this free account.



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Don't have an account? Sign up.

Continue with Google

Or continue with username/email

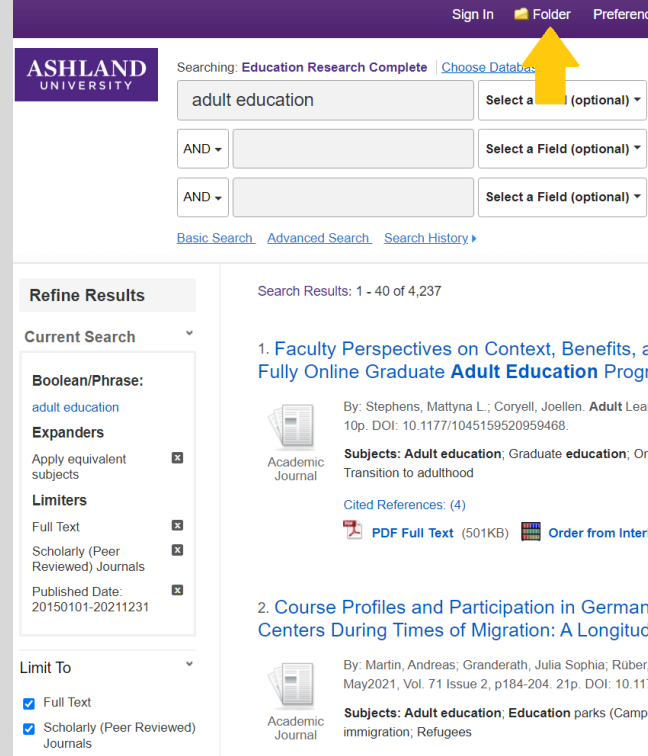
Username or email address

Password Show

Forgot your password?

Sign in

- 1 Select **Sign In**. Returning users log in, new users are prompted to create an account.
- 2 Continue with Google to connect your EBSCO account with an existing Google Account.
- 3 Conduct your research and save to your folder.



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Basic Search Advanced Search Search History

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Expanders

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Limiters

Full Text

Scholarly (Peer Reviewed) Journals

Published Date: 20150101-20211231

Limit To

Full Text

Scholarly (Peer Reviewed) Journals

Search Results: 1 - 40 of 4,237

1. Faculty Perspectives on Context, Benefits, and Fully Online Graduate Adult Education Programs

By: Stephens, Mattyna L.; Coryell, Joellen. Adult Learning Theory, 10p. DOI: 10.1177/1045159520959468.

Subjects: Adult education; Graduate education; Online education; Transition to adulthood

Cited References: (4)

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2. Course Profiles and Participation in German Adult Education Centers During Times of Migration: A Longitudinal Study

By: Martin, Andreas; Granderath, Julia Sophia; Rüber, May2021, Vol. 71 Issue 2, p184-204. 21p. DOI: 10.1177/00131644211011111

Subjects: Adult education; Education parks (Campus); Immigration; Refugees

Cited References: (9)



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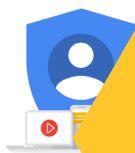
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Use 8 or more characters with a mix of letters, numbers & symbols

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One account. All your data working for you.

Managing Research •

Managing your dissertation research can be complicated. Several library databases provide options for saving to Google Drive or connecting a Google account to their platform.

Research Tip: Sign-up for a new Google account dedicated to your dissertation research. Use it with EBSCO to save articles directly to Google drive and/or register for the My EBSCOHost account.



<https://www.google.com/gmail>

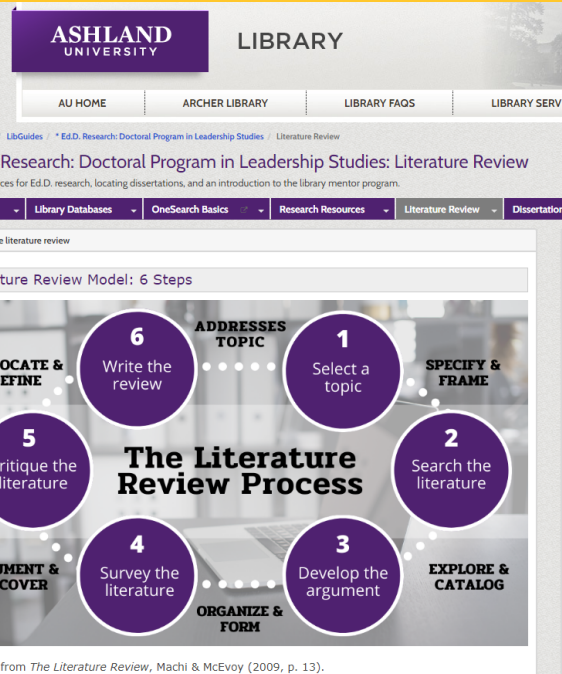
EBSCO & Google Drive •

When researching in EBSCO databases, such as Education Research Complete or ERIC, it is often possible to save full-text articles (PDF) directly to Google Drive: (1) Open your article, (2) locate the tools menu, then (3) select the Google Drive icon, and authorize EBSCO to access your account. A folder will be created in Drive and items saved will be deposited.

Steps for completing this process are provided on with literature review information on the Ed.D. Research library guide. Watch the video for a step-by-step look at the process.



https://youtu.be/sDeNSF_OWwM



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Library resources for Ed.D. research, locating dissertations, and an introduction to the library mentor program.

Welcome Library Databases OneSearch Basics Research Resources Literature Review Dissertation

Exploring the literature review

Literature Review Model: 6 Steps

1 Select a topic

2 Search the literature

3 Develop the argument

4 Survey the literature

5 Critique the literature

6 Write the review

ADVOCATE & DEFINE

ADDRESSES TOPIC

SPECIFY & FRAME

EXPLORE & CATALOG

ORGANIZE & FORM

DOCUMENT & DISCOVER

The Literature Review Process

Adapted from *The Literature Review*, Machi & McEvoy (2009, p. 13).