



City College Libraries

Research Strategy

1. Develop a research question
2. Think of key words
3. Choose a resource to search
4. Look for information
5. Read
6. Evaluate the information you find
7. Modify your search
8. Take notes
9. Citing sources

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Finding Resources

CCNY Library Homepage: <http://www.ccny.cuny.edu/library>

Books, Government Documents

CUNY+

- http://apps.appl.cuny.edu:83/F?func=find-b-0&local_base=city

Articles

CUNY Licensed Resources – journals, newspapers, e-books

<http://www.ccny.cuny.edu/library/Menu.html>

Alphabetical List of Journal Titles Online

<http://www.ccny.cuny.edu/library/Serials/jnlsIndex.html>

Subject Related Databases - EBSCOHOST Premier, Opposing Viewpoints, Lexis-Nexis, New York Times Historical

Research Resources by Subject

<http://www.ccny.cuny.edu/library/ccnysubjectindex.html>

Style Guides

RefWorks – style guide citation database

- Go to the the City College Library homepage - <http://www.ccny.cuny.edu/library/>
- Click “Quick links to selected resources”
- Click “RefWorks” located under “Cite Sources”
- Create an account

- You can import bibliographic information from databases like EBSCOHOST into this database. RefWorks will create a bibliography of your articles which you can import into your word processor.

**HOW TO ACCESS DATABASES FROM OFF CAMPUS
ONLY For City College ID Holders**

- 1) Go to City College Library homepage: <http://www.ccny.cuny.edu/library>
- 2) Click “Quick Links to Selected Resources” – At bottom of page
- 3) Click on the database you wish to access
- 4) **RETURN USERS:** Sign in with email and password you created.
- 5) **FIRST TIME USERS:** Type in your 14-digit CCNY ID barcode.
 - a. You now create email logon and password.
 - b. Then sign in as a “Return User”
- 6) **FORGOT PASSWORD:** Type in your 14-digit CCNY ID barcode.



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Password:	
	or
	First Time Users/Forgot Password:
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