

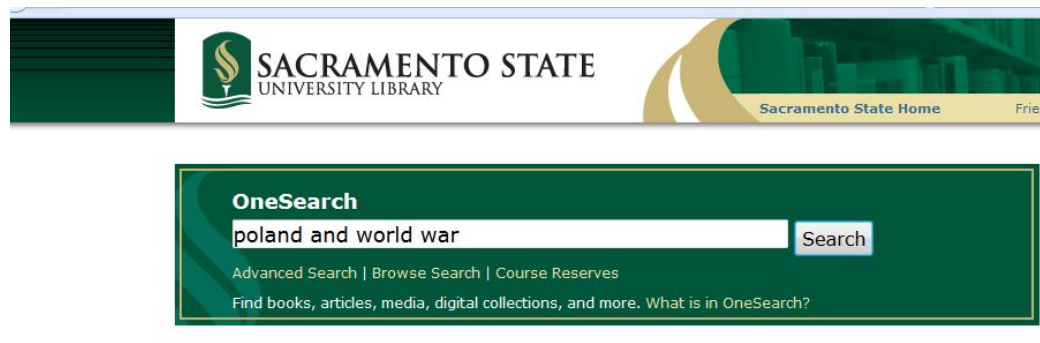
General Research Guidance

As you research, you will need to try different **search terms** in order to find the sources you need. For example, you may start with *Poland and WWII*, but if you are not finding enough results, you may need to try a more general search, such as *Eastern Europe and WWII*, or a more specific search, such as *Catholics and Nazis WWII*. Ask your instructor or a librarian if you need help with search terms.

As you find sources, keep **an open document** to save links. You will also need **a flash drive**, cloud drive, or access to your email to save documents, images, and other files.

Sac State Library Materials:

Go to the Sac State Library homepage and type a general description of your topic into the OneSearch bar.



This search will bring up EBooks, books, videos, and reference materials.

Note that some sources are available online, and some are available in the library. Some library materials may be taken out on loan; others must be viewed (and photocopied) in the library.

Notice the buttons available under each source: “View it” or “Get it,” “Details,” and “Virtual Browse.”

The screenshot shows the OneSearch interface with the search term "poland and world war". A yellow banner suggests a correction: "Did you mean: poland second world war?". The results are sorted by Relevance and show 7 items. The first item is "The eagle unbowed: Poland and the Poles in the Second World War" by Halik Kochanski, available online. The second is "Scattered the forced relocation of Poland's Ukrainians after World War II" by Diana Howansky Reilly, also available online. The third is "Nightmares of an East Prussian childhood a memoir of the Russian occupation" by Ilse Stritzke, available online. The fourth is "Die Stunde der Frauen: Bericht aus Pommern 1944 bis 1947: nach einer Erzählung von Libussa Fritz-Krockow" by Christian Graf von Krockow, available at University Library 2 SOUTH. The fifth is "The river of angry dogs a memoir" by Mira Hamermesh, available online. The sixth is "The dark side of the moon, 1946" by an unknown author, available at University Library 2 SOUTH. The seventh is "The Dybbuk and other writings" by S. An-Ski, available at University Library 3 NORTH.

Consider adding the word “encyclopedia” to your search (for example “Poland and encyclopedia”). Note that the following library reference books may be useful for your topic. You can find them in OneSearch.

- *Multicultural America*
- *Culture and Customs*
- *American Immigrant Cultures*
- *American Eras (pre-1900)*
- *American Decades (post-1900)*

Google Scholar:

Type “Google Scholar” into your search bar.

Type a specific description of your topic into the Google Scholar search bar.



 Articles include patents Case law

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If you are logged in to the Sac State Library (on campus or remotely), this search will bring up sources with a “View it @ SacState” button to the right. Some sources are also available online as a PDF.

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<p>Articles</p> <p>Case law</p> <p>My library</p> <p>Any time</p> <p>Since 2014</p> <p>Since 2013</p> <p>Since 2010</p> <p>Custom range...</p> <p>Sort by relevance</p> <p>Sort by date</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> include patents</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> include citations</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Create alert</p>	<p>“Remembering” World War II and Willingness to Fight Sociocultural Factors in the Social Representation of Historical Warfare Across 22 Societies D.Fazl, J.H. Liu, E. Techio, P. Slawuta... - Journal of Cross-... 2008 - jcc.sagepub.com ... For instance, Poland and Russia lost 15% to 20% of their populations (www.wikipedia.com). ... Nonparametric Spearman Rho correlations at country level were performed to compare relationships between sociocultural factors, WWI, and WWII recall and evaluation scores. ... Cited by 35 Related articles All 17 versions Web of Science: 11 Cite Save</p> <p>Remaining a Pole or Becoming a Canadian: National Self-Identity among Polish Immigrants to Canada¹ P Boski - Journal of Applied Social Psychology, 1991 - Wiley Online Library ... Correlated aspect of identity was measured as the similarity between self and Canadian/ Polish prototypes. ... Correspondence concerning this article should be sent to Dr. Pawel Boski, Institute of Psychology, Polish Academy of Sciences, 00-901 Warsaw, Poland. 41 ... Cited by 34 Related articles Web of Science: 6 Cite Save</p> <p>^(CITATION) The evolution of human engineering: A selected review WF Moroney - Research techniques in human engineering, 1995 Cited by 11 Related articles Cite Save</p> <p>The Political Geography of Europe: 1900-2000 AD BW Blouet - Journal of Geography, 1996 - Taylor & Francis ... like Halford Mackinder(1919), wanted tocut Germany down tomanage- able size, create a middle tier of states-running from Poland on the Baltic to Yugoslavia on the Adriatic-acting as a buffer between Germany and the ... One-third of the population of Poland was not Polish. ... Cited by 6 Related articles All 2 versions Web of Science: 1 Cite Save</p> <p>^(BOOK) The Search for Reconciliation: Sino-Japanese and German-Polish Relations since World War II Y He - 2009 - books.google.com ... It is also noteworthy thatliberal intellectuals in Poland attacked Sovietstyle history ... even whentwo sides are still strategic adversanes (asinWest German-Polish relations inthe ... ideas are theory force shaping foreign policyandinterstate relations between former enemycountries. ... Cited by 67 Related articles All 3 versions Cite Save More</p> <p>Perennial Conflict between International Criminal Justice and Realpolitik, The MC Bassiouni - Ga. St. UL Rev., 2005 - HeinOnline ... As stated above, during the period between 1948 and 1998, and throughout the 250 various ... 1918 that the victorious allies, in the treaty of Versailles that ended WWI, announced their ... officers in 1939, on the eve of their aggression against Czechoslovakia and Poland, "and who ... Cited by 33 Related articles All 6 versions Cite Save More</p>	<p>[PDF] from europd.it View it@Sac State</p> <p>View it@Sac State</p> <p>View it@Sac State</p> <p>View it@Sac State</p> <p>[PDF] from gsu.edu</p>
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Notice the buttons available under each source: “Cited by” (which tells how many other articles reference this one, indicating its importance), “Related Articles,” “Cite,” “Save” and more. If an article is not available at Sac State, use these buttons to cite and save the article.

Use “Related Articles” to find similar sources.

Click on the “View it @ SacState” button to see if an article you are interested in is available in full-text. If so, click on the “Full Text” link.

The screenshot shows the EBSCO search interface. At the top, there are navigation tabs: New Search, Publications, Thesaurus, Images, and More. A search bar contains the query: (SO (Journal of Geography))AND(DT 1996). Below the search bar are two rows of filters, each with an 'AND' dropdown and a 'Select a Field (optio...)' dropdown. The search results section shows 'Search Results: 1 - 1 of 1' with a 'Relevance' dropdown. The first result is '1. The political geography of Europe: 1900-2000 A.D.' by Blouet, Brian W., from the *Journal of Geography*, January/February 1996, Vol. 95, pp. 5-14, 10p; DOI: 10.1080/00221349608978398. The result includes a document icon, 'Academic Journal', and an 'HTML Full Text' button. On the left, there is a 'Refine Results' section with a 'Current Search' box containing the Boolean/Phrase: (SO (Journal of Geography))AND(DT 1996)AND(TI the political geogr...

Notice the buttons to the right.

This screenshot shows the full article page. At the top left, there are links for 'Result List', 'Refine Search', and '1 of 1'. Below that is a 'Choose Language' dropdown and a 'Translate' button. The article title is 'The Political Geography of Europe: 1900-2000 A.D.' by Blouet, Brian W., from the *Journal of Geography*, 00221341, January/February 1996, Vol. 95. The database is 'Education Full Text (H.W. Wilson)'. A 'Listen' button with a play icon and 'American Accent' is visible. Below the article information is a 'Tools' sidebar with the following options: Add to folder, Print, E-mail, Save, Cite, Export, Create Note, Permalink, and Share. The 'Cite' button is highlighted in the original image.

Click on the “Cite” button; then scroll down to the citation and save it. (Note that there may be minor errors here you will need to correct later.)

The 'Citation Format' window is open, showing instructions to review the EBSCO Support Site and pay special attention to personal names, capitalization, and dates. It lists three citation styles:

- Harvard: Australian** - References: Blouet, BW 1996, 'The political geography of Europe: 1900-2000 A.D.', *Journal of Geography*, vol. 95, pp. 5-14. Available from: 10.1080/00221349608978398. [3 December 2014].
- MLA (Modern Language Assoc.)** - Works Cited: Blouet, Brian W., 1936-. "The Political Geography Of Europe: 1900-2000 A.D." *Journal Of Geography* 95.(1996): 5-14. *Education Full Text (H.W. Wilson)*. Web. 3 Dec. 2014.
- Vancouver/ICMJE** - References

 At the bottom, there is a yellow box with the text: 'Export to Bibliographic Management Software (EndNote, ProCite, Reference Manager, RefWorks, BibTeX, etc.) >>'.

Lastly, click the “Permalink” button.



The screenshot shows a search result interface. At the top, there are links for "Result List", "Refine Search", and "1 of 1". Below this is a "Permalink" button with a small icon and a text input field containing the URL: `http://proxy.lib.csus.edu/login?url=http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=eff&AN=50...`. Underneath the permalink field is a "Choose Language" dropdown menu and a "Translate" button. The citation information is displayed below: "Title: The political geography of Europe: 1900-2000 A.D. By: Blouet, Brian W., Journal of Geography, 00221341, January/February 1996, Vol. 95" and "Database: Education Full Text (H.W. Wilson)". At the bottom, a highlighted box contains the text: "The Political Geography of Europe: 1900-2000 A.D."

Be sure to save the permalink; otherwise you may not be able to find the source again. (Note that you will need to be logged in to the Sac State Library in order to access this link in the future.)

Credible Websites:

Type “Advanced Google Search” into your search bar.

In the field “all these words,” type a general description of your topic.

In the field “language,” type “English” and any other languages you read.

In the field “site or domain,” type “.edu”

Note that websites designed for K-12 students are not acceptable for college research papers. Look for university and college sites.

Repeat the search as needed, trying “.gov” or “.org” and/or with modified search terms as necessary.



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Popular Studies:

Go to Google and type in the kind of study you are trying to find. Begin the search terms with “study of.”



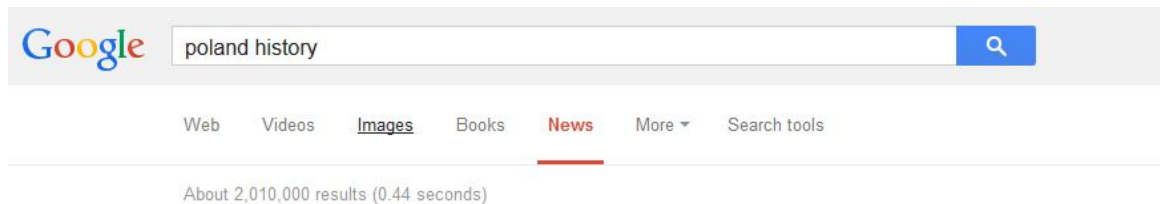
Click on an article that interests you, and look for a linked “study” or “report” within the text of the article. Note that there may be more than one, so look carefully.

A National Center for Education Statistics [report](#), "New Americans in Postsecondary Education: A Profile of Immigrant and Second-Generation American Undergraduates," shows the differences are stark.

Often that link will take you directly to a PDF you can download and save to your flash drive. Other times, you will need to copy the author, sponsoring organization, and/or title of the report or study and go back to Google Scholar to track it down.

News Articles (Current Events and Controversies):

Go to Google and type in your general topic. Begin the search terms with "news" or select the "news" category.



Films:

Go to the Sac State Library homepage and click on "Database and Article Searching."



Click on the letter “F.”

Click on “Films on Demand.”

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Click on a film you are interested in exploring.

Note the length of the film, the “Citation” button, and the “Segment URL.”

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Save the citation and URL for any film you want to explore later. (Note that you will need to be logged in to the Sac State Library in order to access this link in the future.)

Images:

Go to the Sac State Library homepage and click on “Database and Article Searching.”



The screenshot shows the Sacramento State University Library homepage. At the top is the library logo with the text "SACRAMENTO UNIVERSITY LIBRARY". Below the logo is a search bar with the text "OneSearch" and "Advanced Search | Browse Search". Underneath the search bar is a list of "Resources & Collections" including: Database & Article Searching, Course Reserves, Journal Titles A-Z, Digital Collections, ScholarWorks, and Research Guides. A "[more...]" link is visible at the bottom of the list.

Click on the letter “A.”
Click on “AP Images.”

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Type a general description of your topic into the search bar. If you wish, you can specifically search for historical images.

The screenshot displays the AP Images search interface. At the top, the AP Images logo is visible. Below it, there are navigation links for 'Editorial Images' and 'More Media'. The search bar contains the text 'Poland and World War', and a 'SEARCH' button is to its right. A date filter is set to 'Any Time'. On the left side, there are sections for 'Showcases' (with 'No Showcases available') and 'Features' (listing 'The Week in Pictures', '(Graphics) Recent US News', '(Graphics) AP Science', and 'September 11'). A 'Photos' section is also visible. A search filter menu is open, showing 'Your Searches' (Selected Items (0) and Recent Searches), 'Search Sections' (Editorial Images selected, Photos, All Photos, Sports, Entertainment, US Domestic News, International News, Financial News), and 'Historical' (selected), along with 'Audio', 'More Media', and 'Spotlight' options. The background shows a grid of search results, including a photo of Fidel Castro with the text 'Castro' and '2010'.

Click on the images you want to save and download them.

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Your instructor may have other specific databases or websites to recommend for your research. For example, Congressional Quarterly (CQ Researcher) includes pro and con arguments for many current issues, and WestLaw archives court cases.

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