#### Using Research Resources & Managing Bibliographic Information

Communication Studies 463/533

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#### **Today**

Library website and resources

Managing your research: Zotero

Finding relevant and useful information (search strategy)

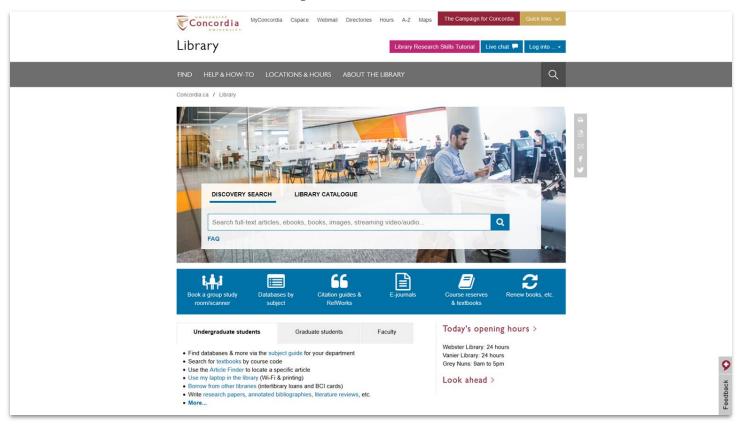
Resources (e.g. books, databases, government documents)

Citing sources (annotated bibliography, group collaboration)

Getting help



#### library.concordia.ca



#### **Key resources**

#### **Communication Studies Subject Guide**

- Subject-specific databases, books, ebooks, etc.
  - bibliographic or full text
- Encyclopedias, and dictionaries
- Guides for courses, projects, writing, citation, etc.
- Librarian contact information

Avoid paywalls & access problems by connecting to these databases through the library website.

Go to the top menu:

Help & How-To -> Subject & course guides -> Communication Studies ->

Look under the **Humanities** heading

#### **Document sources to consider**

Peer-reviewed articles in scholarly journals

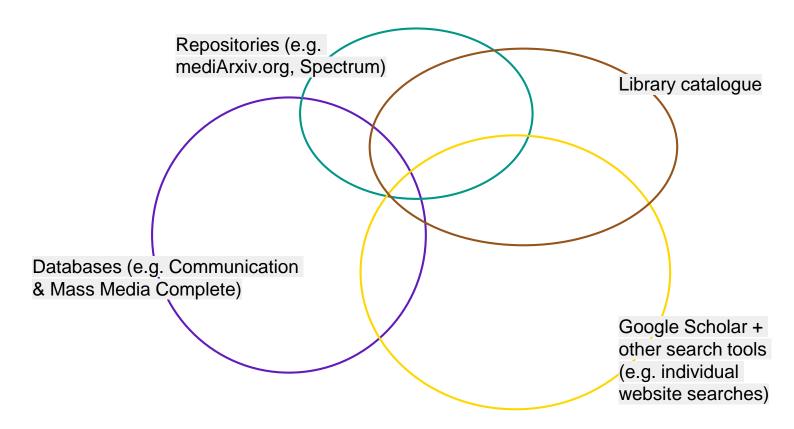
Books/ebooks (slower publication cycle, often more theoretical)

Government or legal documents and reports

NGO documents and reports

Open access repositories

#### Where to find and access research?



#### Be critical of the source!

- Who published the document? Motives? Audience?
  - government
  - not-for-profit organization
  - non-governmental organization
  - trade association
- About page on the website (or similar information the document)
  - history
  - mission
  - members
  - funding sources
- Includes official government symbols, report numbers
- Contact information, e.g. URL, address, phone numbers
- Dates of publication

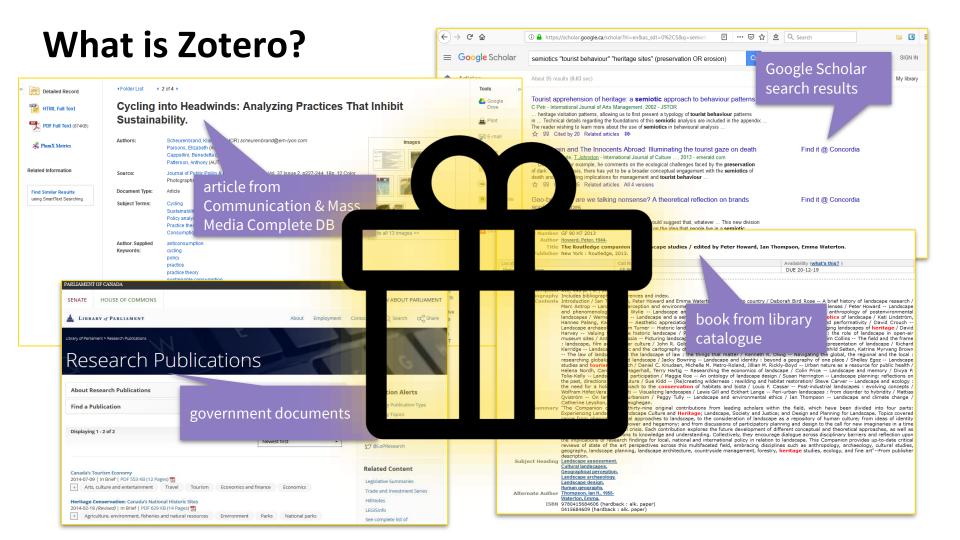
See the Library guide
(Help & How-to
menu) on Evaluating
research

#### **Government / NGO / Trade Association Examples**

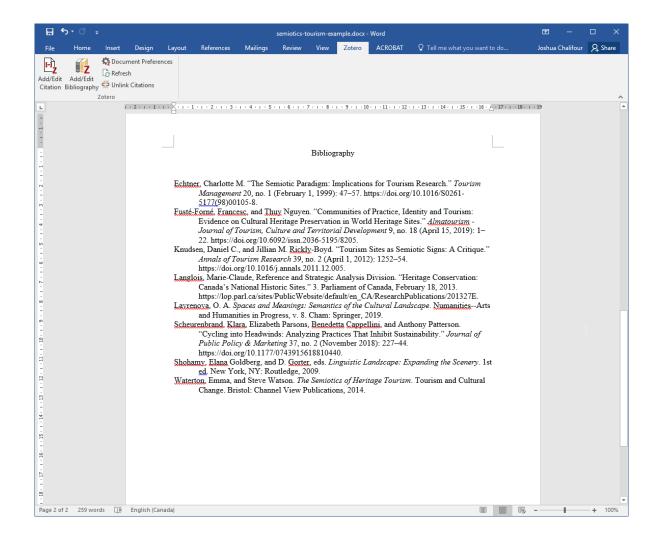
Source	Туре	URL
Nuclear Waste Management Organization Atomic Energy of Canada Limited	Canadian not-for-profit org funded by industry Federal crown corporation	www.nwmo.ca www.aecl.ca
Waste Isolation Pilot Plant (WIPP)	US government-based organization	wipp.energy.gov
Agence nationale pour la gestion des déchets radioactifs (ANDRA)	French government-based organization	www.andra.fr
International Atomic Energy Agency	Intergovernmental organization, lots of docs/data/publications	www.iae.org
International Solid Waste Organization	NGO – publishes its own journal: Waste Management & Research	www.iswa.org
International Waste Working Group World Nuclear Organization World Association of Nuclear Operators	These are all trade associations. Members may be commercial or nuclear (and related) producers, note their agenda. Many publish documents. IWWG has a journal: Detritus	www.tuhh.de/iue.html www.world-nuclear.org www.wano.info
Government information subject guide	Concordia Library page covering many sources of government information	library.concordia.ca/find /government

#### Organizing your research

#### zotero



### Zotero gives you this:



#### **Activity 1: Zotero Setup**

- 1) Register <a href="https://www.zotero.org">https://www.zotero.org</a>
- 2) Start the desktop application & go to the Tools menu
- 3) Check that the Browser Connector for Chrome is installed
- 4) Check that the word processor add-on is installed
- 5) Login to your account
  - Web browser
  - Website
  - Desktop application

#### Demonstration: Zotero interface & groups

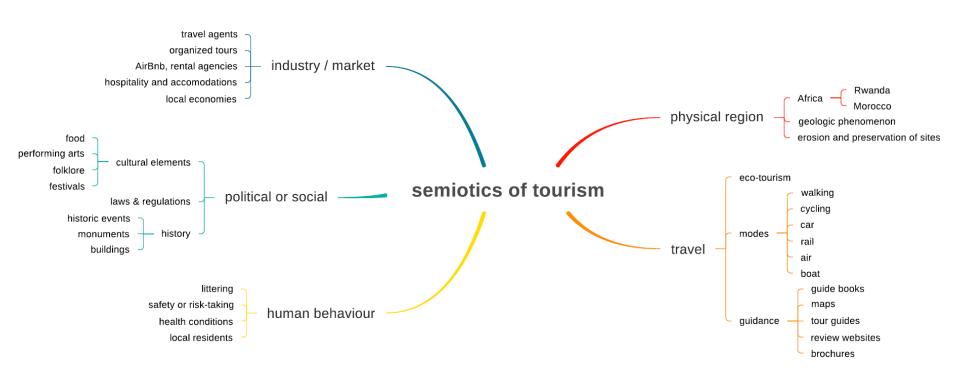


#### **Activity 2: Group Library**

- 1) Go to the group library for this class: <a href="https://www.zotero.org/groups/2362435/semiotics\_of\_nuclear\_waste">https://www.zotero.org/groups/2362435/semiotics\_of\_nuclear\_waste</a>
- 2) Click the button (right side of the page) to Join the group
- 3) One member of each team should **create a collection** (folder) in the group library for your team's references
- → Note: you must tag your individual references with your name

# Deciding what to look for and finding it

#### Choosing your research question



#### A question to focus our search

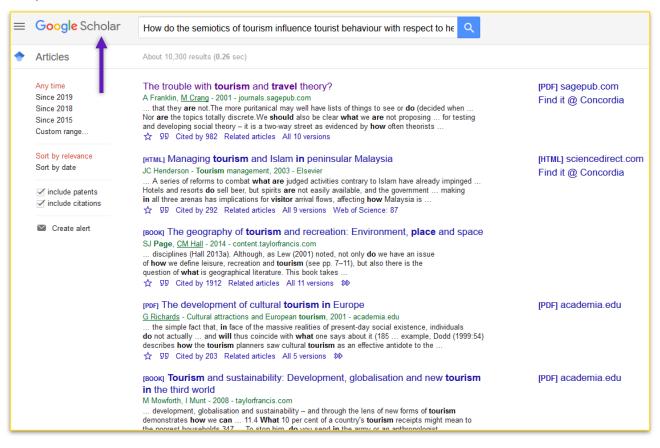
How do the semiotics of tourism influence tourist behaviour with respect to heritage site preservation?

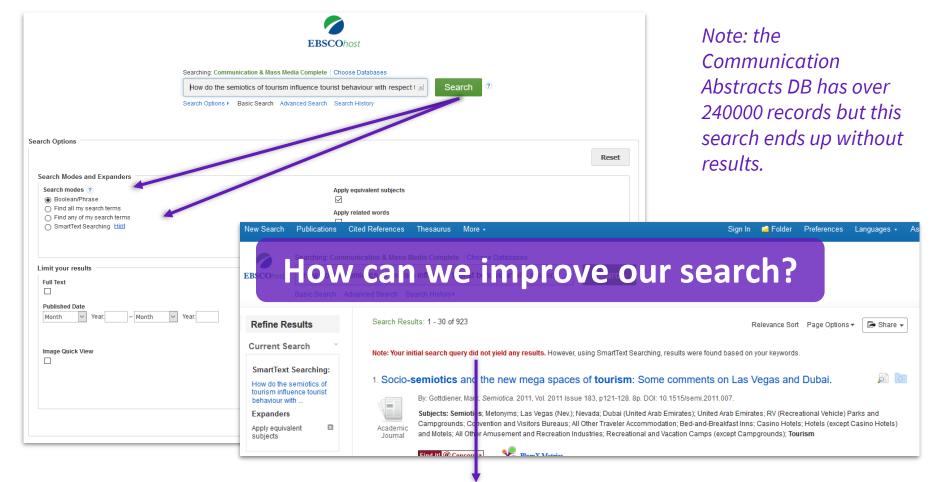
#### **Activity 3: Research question**

- 1) Brainstorm aspects of your topic
- 2) Make lists of your concepts
- Write down a good research question

#### Searching

#### How do the semiotics of tourism influence tourist behaviour with respect to heritage site preservation?





1042 sources of articles (journals), why no initial results?

#### **Identify key concepts**

How do the semiotics of tourism influence tourist behaviour with respect to heritage site preservation?

#### **Creating a search strategy**

How do the semiotics of tourism influence tourist behaviour with respect to heritage site preservation?

Concept 1 OR Synonym

**AND** Concept 2 OR Synonym

**AND** Concept 3 OR Synonym

#### **Boolean operators**

**AND** OR **NOT** 

Narrows search

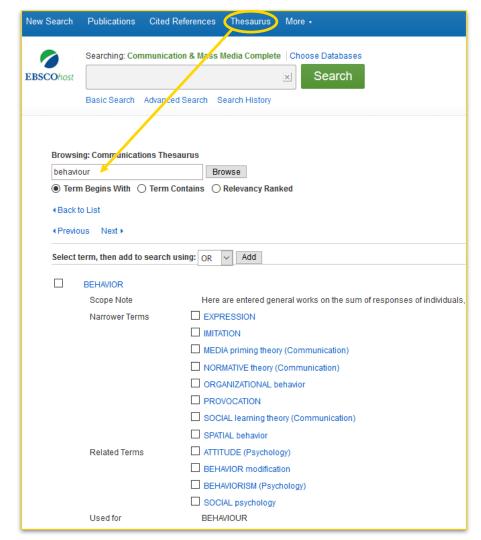
Broadens search

Narrows search

#### Brainstorming related words (e.g. synonyms)

How do the semiotics of tourism influence tourist behaviour with respect to heritage site preservation?

## Controlled vocabulary of the database



#### Try also:

wordnik.com thesaurus.com wikipedia.org

#### Search strategy

Search tip: truncation

tourist = tourist

tour\* = tour OR tours OR tourist OR tourism

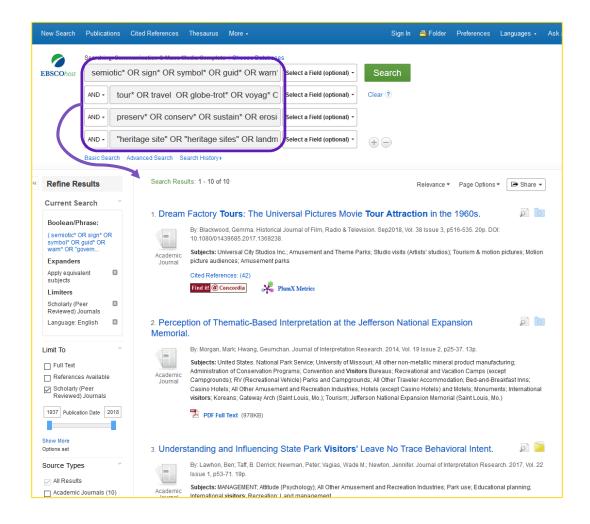
#### Search strategy

Search tip: quotation marks

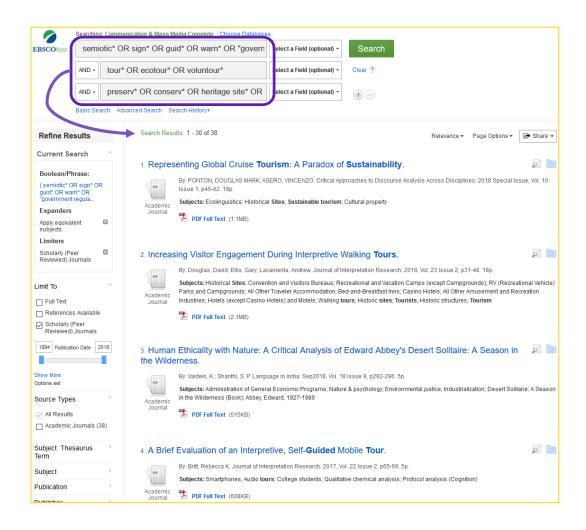
heritage site = heritage AND site

"heritage site" = phrase search

## Synonyms (OR field) with additional terms helped expand our results



**Fewer concepts** (AND fields) retrieves more results but these may be less precise



#### Search strategy

Search tip: proximity (near/within)

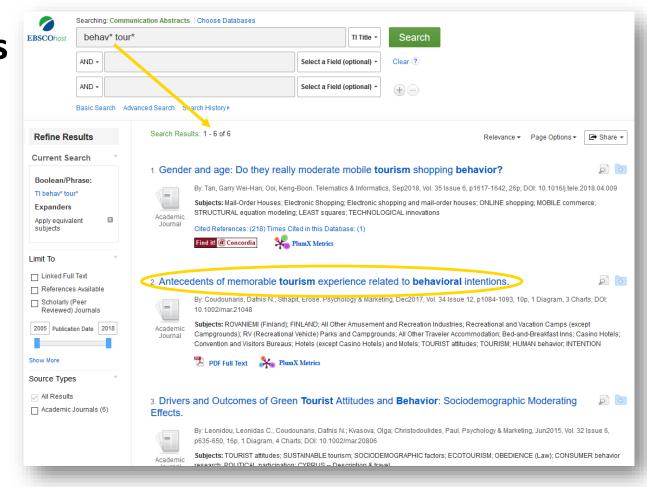
tourist behaviour  $\rightarrow tour^* AND behav^*$ 

- We live in Montreal but behave just like crazy tourists every weekend.
- "Behave yourself!" Said the boy's mother during the museum tour.

tour\* **N2** behave\* = max. 2 words between tour\* **W2** behave\* = max. 2 words between & in order

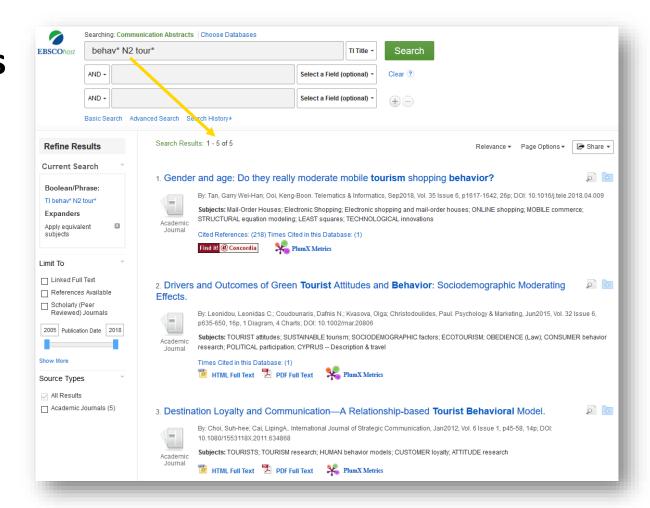
## Searching titles without using proximity operators

3 words between tourism and behavioral

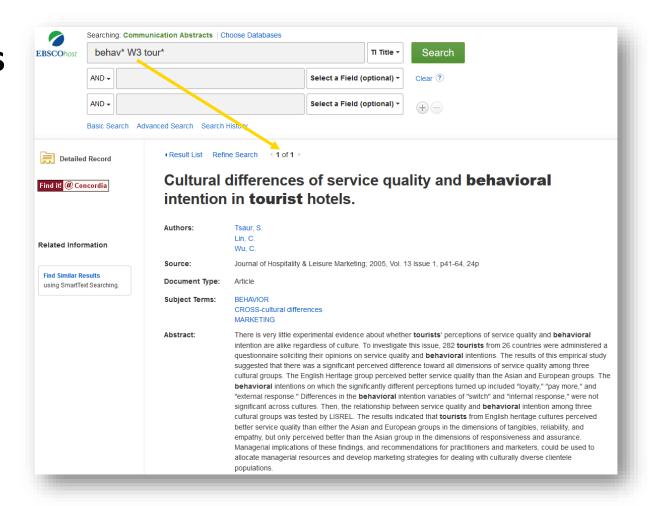


## Searching titles using N proximity operator

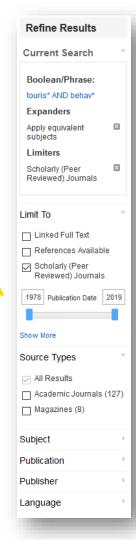
"antecedents" article disappears



## Searching titles using W proximity operator



#### Use limits to filter results



# Capturing bibliographic information &

**Getting documents into Zotero (demo)** 



# I found an article I want in (e.g.) the Communication Abstracts DB. How do I get the full text?

- 1. Look for **PDF Full text** link.
- 2. Look for Find it! @ Concordia button
- 3. Request a copy through Interlibrary Loan (COLOMBO)
- 4. Ask a Librarian if you need help

### 1. Antecedents of memorable **tourism** experience related to **behavioral** intentions.







Journal

By: Coudounaris, Dafnis N.; Sthapit, Erose. Psychology & Marketing, Dec2017, Vol. 34 Issue 12, p1084-1093, 10p, 1 Diagram, 3 Charts; DOI: 10.1002/mar.21048

Subjects: ROVANIEMI (Finland); FINLAND; All Other Amusement and Recreation Industries; Recreational and Vacation Camps (except Campgrounds); RV (Recreational Vehicle) Parks and Campgrounds; All Other Traveler Accommodation; Bed-and-Breakfast Inns; Casino Hotels; Convention and Visitors Bureaus; Hotels (except Casino Hotels) and Motels; TOURIST attitudes; TOURISM; HUMAN behavior, INTENTION







### 2. A hedonic motivation model in virtual reality **tourism**: Comparing visitors and non-visitors.







Academic Journal

By: Kim, Myung Ja; Hall, C. Michael. International Journal of Information Management, Jun 2019, Vol. 46, p236-249, 14p; DOI: 10.1016/j.ijinfomgt.2018.11.016

Subjects: VIRTUAL reality; VIRTUAL tourism; INFORMATION technology; VIRTUAL reality equipment; WELL-being

Cited References: (117)







### You are looking for:

### How Merchandising works?

International Journal of Advertising v. 3 no. 2 p. 139 Year: 19840401



### Check the library catalogue:

Search for the Journal in the library catalogue (by Journal Title International Journal of Advertising)

Search for the Journal in the library catalogue (by ISSN 02650487)

Library has (print): Vanier Journals: v.2-23, 1983-2004.

### Interlibrary Loan:

Get the publication through another library using Interlibrary Loan (COLOMBO) COLOMBO login help

### Search For Article

Article Finder using DOI

CrossRef Search using DOI

CrossRef Search using ISSN



### More options:

Get the publication from Concordia's collection through Inter-Campus & Article Delivery

Get the publication through another library using Interlibrary Loan

Ask a Librarian

Search the library catalogue

What is "Find it! @ Concordia"?



### You are looking for:

Triggering effects of mobile video marketing in nature tourism: Media richness perspective.

Information Processing & Management v. 56 no. 3 p. 756 Year: 20190501

## Click on the link(s) below to get the article:

ScienceDirect - CRKN --- Permitted Uses



Search for the Journal in the library catalogue (by Journal Title Information Processing & Management)

Search for the Journal in the library catalogue (by ISSN 03064573)

Library has (print): Vanier Journals: v.11-34, 1975-98.

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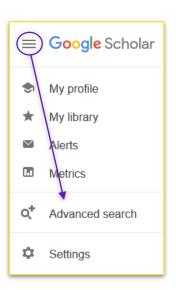
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# Tips for using <a href="https://scholar.google.ca">https://scholar.google.ca</a>



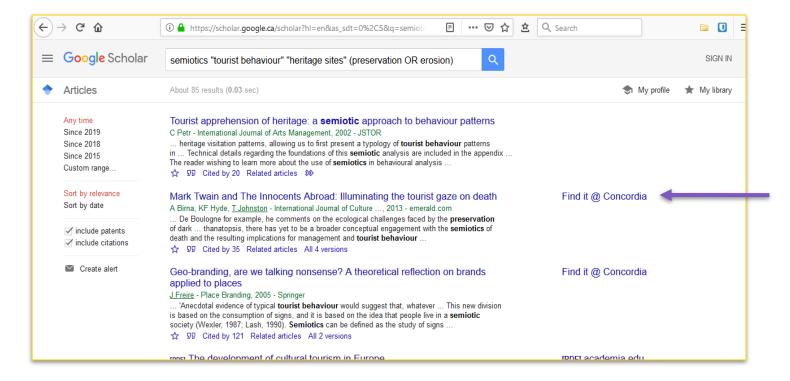


# **Google Scholar Tips**



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More help at <a href="https://library.concordia.ca/find/google-scholar.php">https://library.concordia.ca/find/google-scholar.php</a>



# Finding and using other resources

# **Books and ebooks**

Library catalog: <a href="https://clues.concordia.ca/">https://clues.concordia.ca/</a>

Or try **Discovery Search** on library website

Approach searching the same way as for databases:

- 1) Break question into research topics
- 2) Brainstorm search terms and synonyms
- 3) Combine search terms and synonyms using AND and OR operators

# Activity 4: Key concepts, search, capture in Zotero

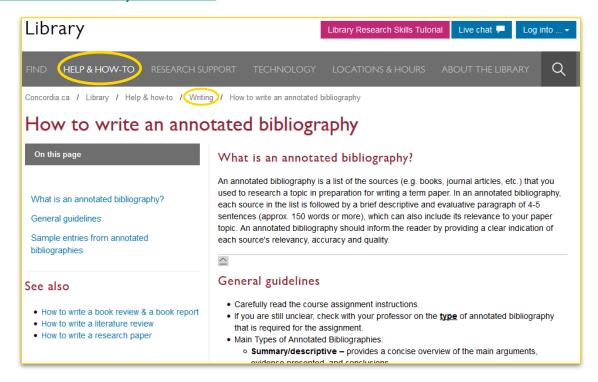
- 1) Identify the key concepts in your question
- 2) Write down a list of synonyms for each
- 3) Query databases, Google Scholar, and other sources
- 4) Import useful documents to your Zotero group folder

→ Don't forget to **tag** the references you add with **your name**!

# Citing sources & making bibliographies

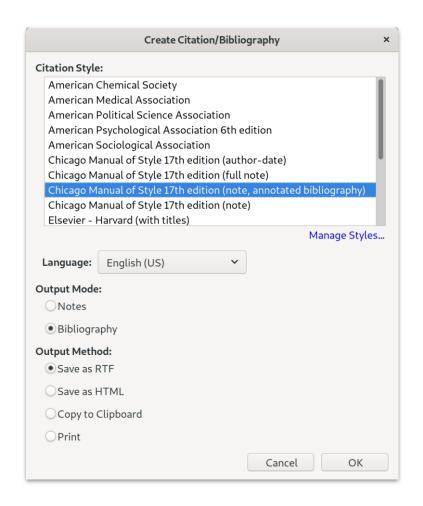
# **Annotated Bibliography**

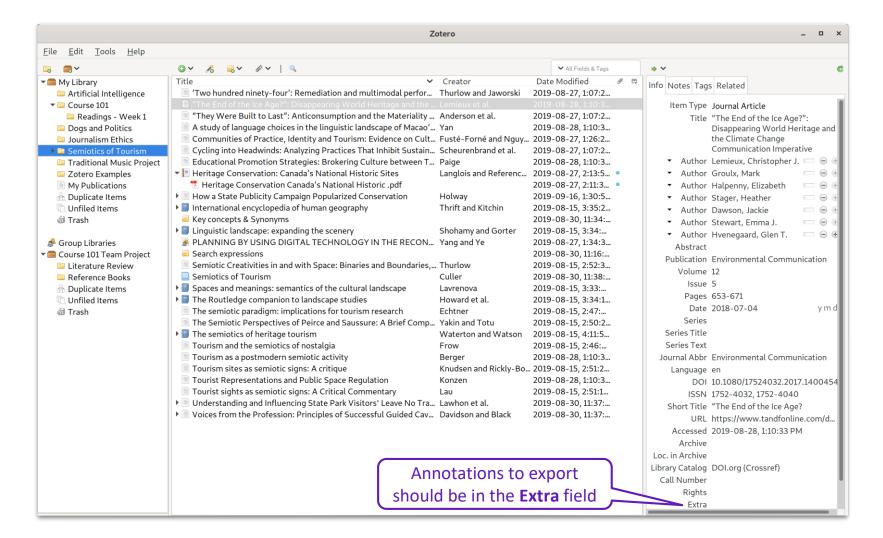
See our guide on the library website



# Creating a bibliography ZOTEIO

- Easily insert citations while you're writing
- Create a bibliography for you in Chicago style, MLA, APA, or hundreds of other styles
- Collaborate using a shared, library of sources and word processor





# **Activity 5: Make an annotated bibliography**

# Choose a technique for your team:



Write annotations in Zotero and export

or

 Copy references from Zotero to word processor and write annotations

https://frama.link/-DFUJkcm

# Questions? How to get more help.

- In person at the Reference desk (Vanier) or Ask Us! desk (Webster)
- Subject guide
- Online chat

## **Zotero**

E-mail us: <a href="mailto:lib-citation@concordia.ca">lib-citation@concordia.ca</a>



