

Essential Research Resources

This guide identifies key online journals, books, media and other business information to support your class projects and assignments for **BTM 382: Database Management**, as well as guidance on careers, avoiding plagiarism and citing and referencing. For more, visit: <http://library.concordia.ca/> .

1. Course Textbook

- [Coronel, C., Morris, S., & Rob, P. \(2012\). Database systems: Design, implementation, and management \(10th ed.\). Australia; United States: Course Technology Cengage Learning.](#)

2. Recommended References

- [Kroenke, D. \(2012\). Database processing :Fundamentals, design, and implementation. Upper Saddle River, NJ: Prentice Hall.](#)
- [Mannino, M. V. \(2012\). Database design, application development, and administration. Boston; New York: McGraw-Hill.](#)

Other Useful Resources

3. Journal Articles on Database Design

Search Tip:

Example search keywords: "information systems" AND "competitive advantage"

Select 'Scholarly peer-reviewed' to just retrieve highly reputable journal articles.

- [IEEE Xplore Digital Library](#)
- [Compendex \(Engineering Village\)](#)
- [Proquest Business Databases](#)
- [ABI Inform Global](#)
- [Scopus](#)

4. Books / e-Books

- [Database Design](#)
- [Supply Chain Management](#)
- [Enterprise Resource Planning](#)
- [E-commerce & business](#)
- [Decision Support Systems](#)

- [Safari Books Online](#): e-books in the areas of computer programming and applications, desktop publishing, information technology management and certification
- E-Books - [Emerald Ebook Collection](#) & [Palgrave Connect](#) - full-text e-books in Business, Management, and Economics.

5. Trade Magazines / Associations

- www.datamation.com/: The site of the American magazine, *Datamation*. A good source of material on contemporary information systems topics.
- [InformationWeek](#): A good source of news about ICT and information systems. See also [ABI Inform Global](#), [CBCA Complete](#) & [CPI.Q \(Canadian Periodical Index\)](#).

6. News / Media - including, Wall Street Journal, National Post, Globe & Mail etc.

- [Factiva](#): Canadian & international financial news, company snapshots and financial data
- [Canadian Newsstand Major Dailies](#)
- [CPI.Q \(Canadian Periodical Index\)](#)
- [Lexis Nexis](#): Financial, legal and media, international coverage (Available onsite at Vanier & Webster Libraries. See the Reference Desk for login details).

7. [Finding Case Studies – via Publishers Websites](#)

Also Explore

8. Academic Integrity

- [Avoiding Plagiarism – 1 minute video](#) (Sheridan Libraries)
- [Concordia University - Academic Integrity](#)
- [Concordia University – What is Plagiarism?](#)

9. Citing & Referencing

- [Citing Business Databases in APA format](#)
- [Citation Style Guides](#)
- [RefWorks](#): Online bibliographic management tool. Use it to store and organise your references as well as to automatically create your in-text citations and bibliography.

10. Careers & Job Searching

- [JMSB's Career Management Services](#)
- [Finance Career Guide](#): includes a wealth of valuable links and resources for business career research including company rankings, salary expectations etc.
- [DiscoverIT](#): by the Information & Communications Technology Council of Canada. Information on IT careers, labour market and training.
- [What can I do with a major in...?](#) plus - job search and resume, interview planning etc.
- [Working in Canada](#): explore careers in all areas of business by occupation, job title e.g. 'supply Control Co-ordinator', city, province, wages outlook and education and skills requirements.