

# THEO 603 Method in Theology Library workshop

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## **Outline**

- 1. Introduction to the Library's services
- 2. Using Sofia, the discovery tool (finding ebooks, books, journals, media and more)
- 3. Using the ATLA database to find commentaries on Scriptures
- Using general databases to find peer-reviewed articles (demonstration done with the database *Academic Search Complete*)
- 5. Evaluating information online
- 6. Zotero (a bibliographical management tool) & Citation guides

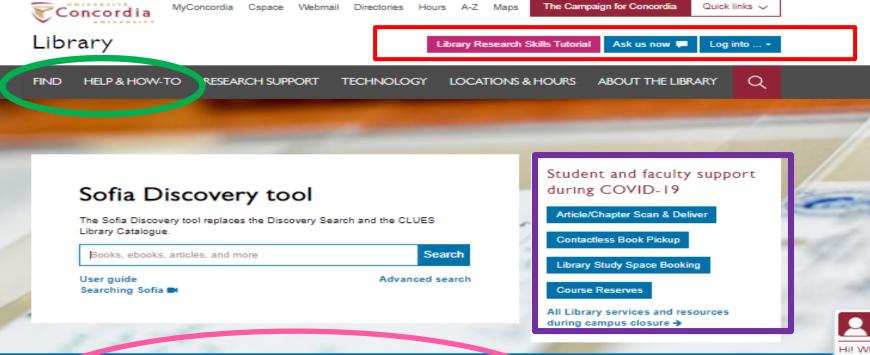


# 1. Introduction to the Library's services



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We're here to help. Each year, we regularly answer over 60,000 questions and offer over 400 workshops.

#### Live Chat with a Librarian

Ask your question from anywhere and get a transcript for future reference

#### Email

You should receive a response within 24 hours (with some exceptions)

#### GradProSkills

The Library has partnered with GradProSkills every year to offer specialized Library workshops for graduate students

#### Workshops

See our fall 2020 general workshop schedule

#### Find your subject librarian

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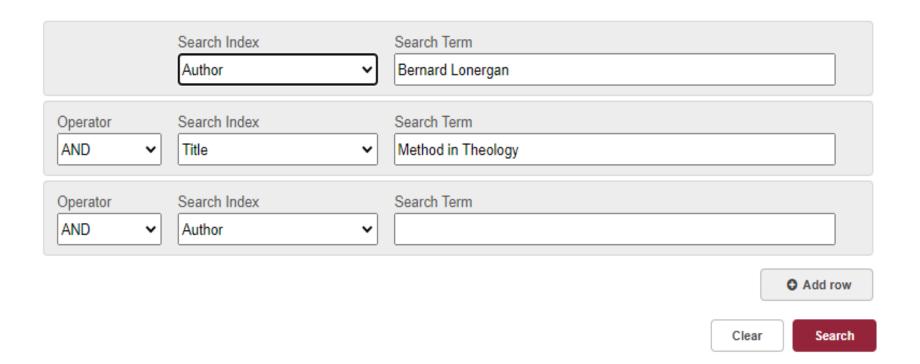
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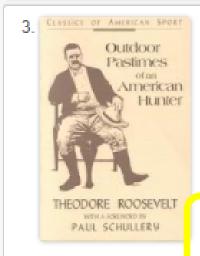
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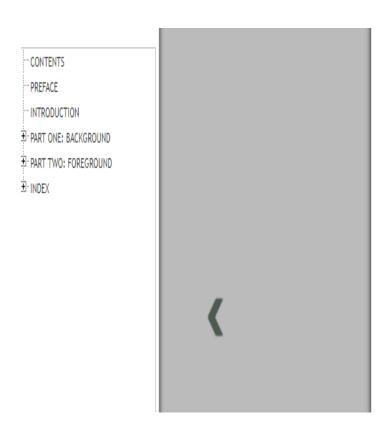
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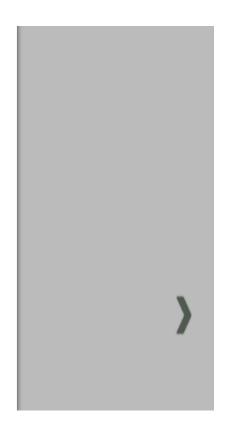
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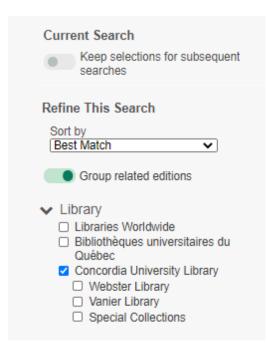
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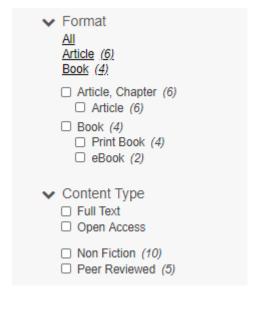
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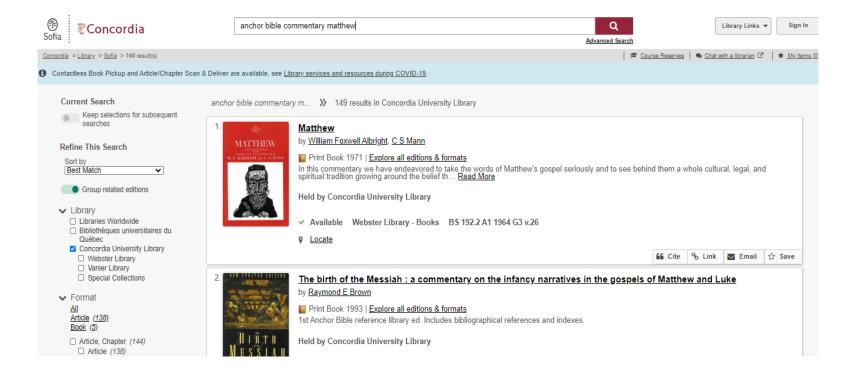




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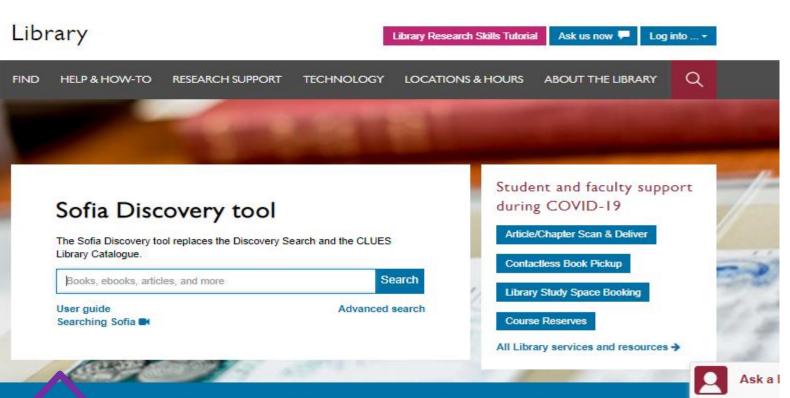
# Simple keyword search





# 3. Using the database ATLA to find commentaries on Scriptures









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Browse all databases

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#### ATLA Religion Database with ATLA Serials



The American Theological Library Association's ATLAS Religion Database (ATLA + Serials fulltext) is a partially fulltext database that covers such topics as Biblical studies, world religions, Church history, and religious perspectives on social issues. It includes articles from journals, essays from multi-author works, and book reviews. Corresponds to Religion Index One: Periodicals, Religion Index Two: Multi-author Works and Index to Book Reviews in Religion. The Catholic Periodical and Literature Index (CPLI) is also part of ATLAS. Coverage: 1949 onward updated semi-annually Documents indexed: Books, Essays, Journal Articles. Offered on the EBSCO platform. List of Journals Indexed: http://www.atla.com/products/titles.html

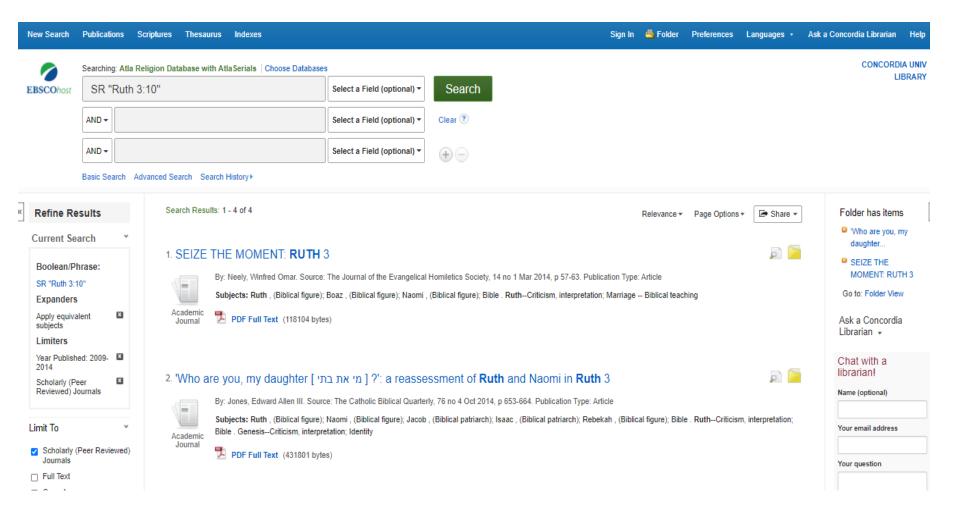




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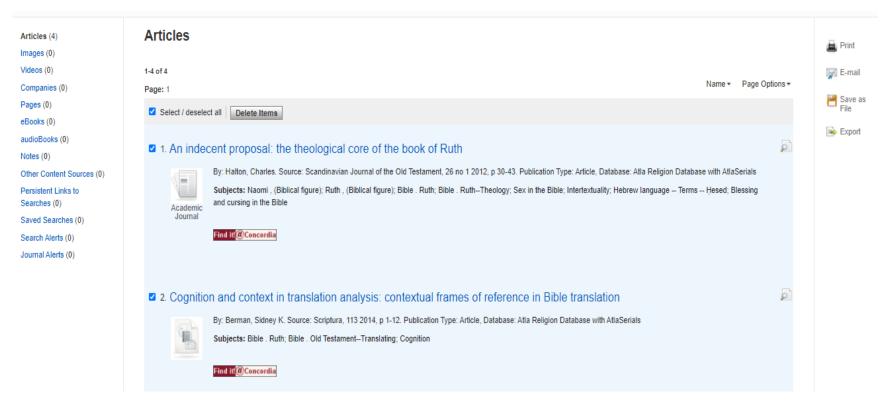


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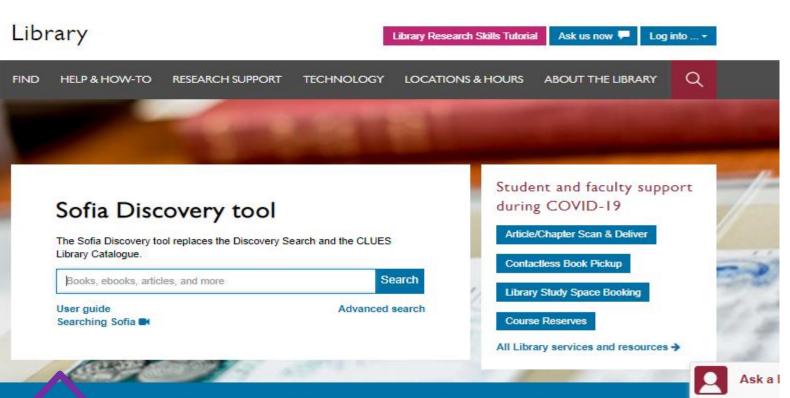
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# 4. Using general databases to find peer-reviewed articles









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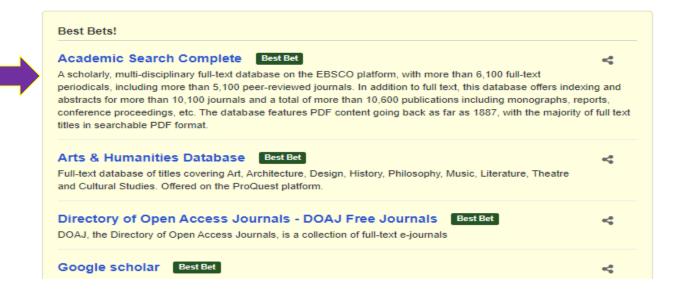
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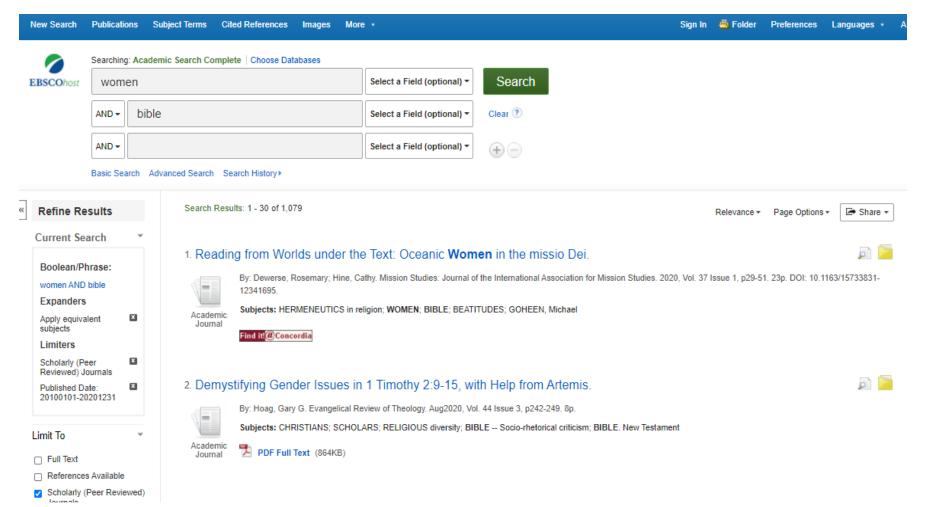
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# 5. Evaluating information online



# What criteria do you use when you evaluate a document?





### How to evaluate research materials and resources

On this page

Why evaluate? General criteria

#### See also

- · Evaluating books
- Evaluating articles
- Evaluating media
- Evaluating websites
- · Tools and checklists

#### Why evaluate? General criteria

Research requires critical thinking to determine if the sources that you found for your assignments are credible and meet academic research standards.

Credible sources are reliable, trustworthy sources of information. Use your own judgment to question the reliability of the source and evaluate its quality and relevance to your research. Here are some questions to bear in mind when trying to determine the reliability of a source:

Who is the author of the source?

- · What is the author's expertise?
- · What is the author's motivation?

Is this information reliable?

- · What degree of currency is needed? When was it published?
- · What was the editorial process? Was the source vetted by peers?

Is this information relevant to your topic?

- · How relevant is this information to your specific need?
- What perspectives are given? Should you consider other perspectives?

Learn to apply these types of questions to all sources that you use, including books, articles, websites, news, and media materials. Always examine critically all sources that you use. For detailed guidelines on evaluating each type of source, consider the criteria by format for books, articles, websites and media.

If you have any questions, please use the Ask a Librarian service.



# 6. Zotero & Citation guides



#### How to cite...

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APA style

MLA style

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#### See also

- Copyright Guide
- How to find a DOI and create permanent links to online articles
- · Bibliometrics and Research Impact Guide

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#### Zotero

Zotero is a desktop application that allows you to manage and organize your bibliographic references while simplifying the process of preparing a bibliography.



#### Formatting citations in databases

Some database providers, such as EBSCO and ProQuest, allow you to format references using a particular style (ex. APA, Chicago, MLA, etc.), and email or print these formatted references.

Note: Always review the citations formatted by the database. Compare results with style guidelines listed on this guide for the exact formatting and punctuation.



#### APA style

- APA citation style 7th edition guidelines and examples prepared by Concordia Library
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