

Lovejoy Library

Locating Journals

Before Starting

What information should I have before locating a journal?

A complete citation, including article title, author, journal title, volume and issue information, date of publication, and relevant page numbers. For example:

“Race, Class, and Labor Markets” Philip Cohen
Social Science Research, 30 (1), Mar 2001, p 146-169

Abbreviations

Only have the abbreviated journal title? Check one of the following locations:

- **Info Desk Search:** Use *Periodical Title Abbreviations: By Abbreviations* (Ref Z 6945.A2W34) located in the Ready Reference section behind the Information Desk
- **Online Search:** Use the online resource *All That JAS (Journal Abbreviation Sources)* (<http://www.abbreviations.com/jas.asp>)

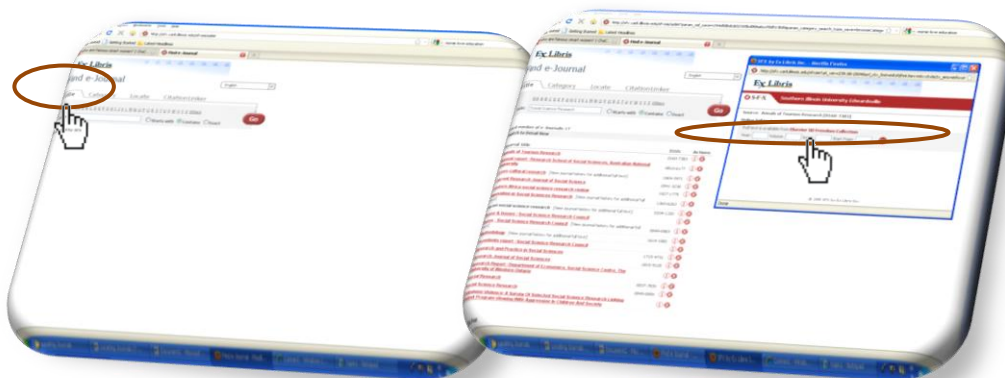
Locate Journals Online

How do I access journals that are available online in electronic format?

First, access the Library's website at www.siu.edu/lovejoylibrary and follow the steps below.



Select **Journals, Magazines, and More** ⇒ Select **By Title**



Enter **title of the journal** (not the article) ⇒ Enter **citation information** to locate article

TIP

Click the journal of title to locate **FULL TEXT** of the article. A pop-up (pictured to the right) will open. Complete citation information, including desired year, date, and/or issue number. If you are unsure of the journal title, consider using the other tabs (Category, Locate, CitationLinker) to locate article.

Locate Journals in Print, Microfilm, or Microfiche

How do I locate the actual journal in print, microfilm, or microfiche?



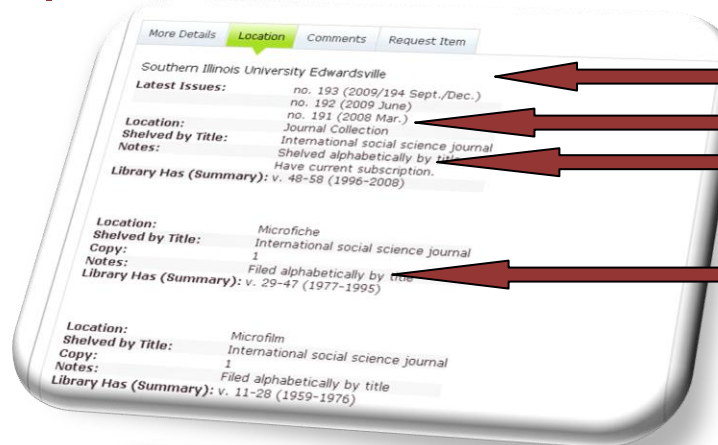
Enter **complete journal title**
(exclude *a*, *an*, and *the* beginnings)
Select **Title** from the drop-menu



Select **journal title** of interest
(see image below for more details)

TIP

Narrow your search by selecting **Journal/Magazine** from the right column. The **Find Full Text** icon indicates that the article may be available in **FULL TEXT** online. Other icons indicate other Library holdings and format. Journals not owned by the Library can be requested through Interlibrary Loan using ILLiad (allow up to 2 weeks delivery). Also, staff at the Information Desk are available to assist you in determining local library holdings.



Check for when the latest issue was received

Identify location within library

Verify current subscription status

Verify the year(s) available



Get the Journal in Hand

Copies of map are located @ elevators & Info Desk

Located on the **2nd Floor**, Journals are available in the following forms:

- **Current Paper Subscriptions** (unbound, in red plastic boxes)
- **Bound Journals**
- **Microfilm/Microfiche**

Printed copies are arranged alphabetically by title of journal. Older "back issues" of journals are bound together, usually containing all issues for one volume or year. Journals in storage can be requested using a request [form](#). Assistance is available for retrieving, viewing, printing, and scanning articles.

Articles can be duplicated in black & white as single (\$.10) or duplex (\$.15) copies, or in color as single (\$.50) or duplex (\$.75) copies at appropriate printing stations. You may use coins or your SIUE ID card for printing. Value may be added to your SIUE ID card at the station on the first floor of Lovejoy Library or in the Service Center in Rendleman Hall.

For additional assistance contact Lydia Jackson, Instruction and Reference Librarian (ljacks@siue.edu or 618-650-2604).

