
COLLECTING RESOURCES

- IN THE DATABASES PURCHASED BY THE FACULTY
- IN THE DATABASES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF WROCŁAW AND FREE ACCESS DATABASES

GENERAL INFORMATION

The vast majority of students, when looking for information, most often use the Internet. Without denying the advantages of this medium, one should remember when preparing the scientific paper to use academic resources. Some of them are available on the Internet without any restrictions, some require passwords in special databases, and some stand on the shelves of libraries in the form of books and articles from scientific journals. The basic task of a student looking for information for their thesis is to find out:

- What kind of materials are available **online**
- What kind of materials are available in **research libraries**

In the first case, it is important to have skills in searching the Internet and selecting **reliable resources**. Students of the Faculty of Law, Administration and Economics have an access to huge collections of scientific resources from all over the world and books recorded in digital form. They are available in the Library of the Faculty of Law, Administration and Economics and the University Library in Wrocław. The vast majority of the databases are accessible from all the faculties and buildings belonging to the University of Wrocław (including the dormitories of the University of Wrocław).

DATABASES PURCHASED BY THE FACULTY

The Faculty has purchased a lot of databases that make it easier to write a paper.

They are available in the University of Wroclaw network and through a Proxy server.

Polish databases:

- LEX
- Legalis
- Inforlex
- EMIS

English language databases

- Cambridge University Press (e-books)
- Cambridge University Press (collection of journals HSS – Humanity, Social Science)
- Taylor & Francis (collection Social Science & Humanities Library)
- HeinOnline
- Oxford Journal
- Max Planck
- Cambridge Law Report – vol. 157–160
- Legal Source

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The content of SSH (Social Science & Humanities) Library – 1464 journals [Anthropology, Archaeology & Heritage (51 journals); Arts & Humanities (269 journals); Business, Management & Economics (127 journals); Criminology & Law (45 journals); Education (222 journals); Geography, Planning, Urban & Environment (78 journals); Library & Information Science (43 journals); Media, Cultural & Communication Studies (94 journals); Mental Health & Social Care (125 journals); Politics, International Relations & Area Studies (177 journals); Psychology (104 journals); Sociology & Related Disciplines (47 journals); Sport, Leisure & Tourism (62 journals); Strategic, Defense & Security Studies (41 journals)]

HEINONLINE

It's a database containing more than 140 million pages and 125.000 titles of legal history and government documents in a fully searchable image format. HeinOnline fills a gap in historical research, providing extensive information since the foundation of over 2.300 legal journals. In addition to a rich collection of legal journals, HeinOnline includes the entire Congressional Register, Federal Register and Code of Federal Regulations, full reports from the U.S. of 1754, and entire databases on treaties, constitutions, jurisprudence, world trials, classical treaties, international trade, foreign relations, the U.S. President, and much more.



OXFORD JOURNALS

Service of journals from sciences, social sciences, humanities, natural sciences and medicine.

Current and archival publications since 1996 are available.

LEGAL SOURCE (EBSCO)

It's an excellent source of information for lawyers, educators, business people, legal library employees and other people connected with law. Thanks to a wide range of full-text versions of recognized legal journals, Legal Source is a reliable source of information on current problems, research and trends in the legal field. The collection comprises more than 1.200 full-text journals and more than 2.5 million records, including book reviews and links to particular cases. The Legal Source offers information on legal fields and topics such as criminal justice, international law, federal law, organized crime, medical law, labor law, ethics and environmental protection.

MAX PLANCK

Max Planck is a the Oxford University Press collection in the field of international law. It's a complete online resource with reviewed articles concerning all aspects of public international law. Written and edited by a team of academics and practitioners, published in collaboration with the Max Planck Institute for Comparative Public Law and International Law. The database is constantly updated.

JSTOR

- A database that specializes in running an online archive of scientific journals and making the collected content available to the largest possible audience. JSTOR enables scientists to view archival issues of journals with illustrations and tables in the form in which they were published.
- Chronological scope: database of journals published even in 17th and 18th century, to issues published 3–5 years ago (the publisher decides about the grace period to make publications available on the server).
- The latest issues of the journals are not available in a full text version.
- The University Library in Wrocław has purchased access to 7 collections, including:
 - Arts & Sciences I Collection – history, business and economics, political science, sociology, education
 - Arts & Sciences II Collection – business and economics, history, political science
 - Art and Science V Collection – U.S. History
 - Arts & Sciences VII Collection – history, economics, business, sociology

A MyJSTOR account allows you to create a “shelf” where you can add and remove selected publications.

RESOURCES PROVIDED BY THE UNIVERSITY LIBRARY

Most of the licensed databases and electronic journals are available from the computers of the University of Wrocław. Some databases (mainly on optical CD-ROM disks) can be used only in the Scientific Information Department of University Library. All Internet resources, e-books and some magazines and databases – for every interested person – are available from any computer.

Electronic journals can also be found through the service of the publisher or distributor. The alphabetical list of titles of electronic journals contains information about: the title of the journal, ISSN number, available yearbooks, the database in which the journal is located, and, if necessary, a grace period (the latest issues of the journal are available after a certain time). In order to make it easier to navigate the multi-thousandth collection of electronic journals, a handy search engine has been installed to search for journals by word of their titles or by ISSN number.

The module “Useful links” contains Internet addresses selected by the library staff for various sources of information that may be of interest to both employees and students of the University of Wrocław. Useful Internet links are arranged according to the categories included in the side menu (left). Separately, the Internet addresses of dictionaries and encyclopedias were separated as universal information sources.

The links included in the “Internet Sources” module provide users a quick access to domain-oriented sources of scientific information, presented in a shortened (e.g. content description, bibliographic description, abstract) and full text version.

MULTIBROWSER EBSCO DISCOVERY SERVICE (EDS)

Scientists and students of the University of Wrocław benefit from many thousands of scientific electronic works published by prestigious scientific publishers. Multibrowser searches resources in many databases.

It searches current and archival publications by keywords, indicates their availability, and gives links to electronic publisher platforms, to the University of Wrocław repository, to the University of Wrocław Digital Library, and to the online library catalogue. It searches licensed electronic resources of the University.

Multibrowser system suggests to clarify the results. It indicates the number of text publications, reviewed articles, newspaper articles, texts from the library catalogue and even from outside the library collections.

BAZEKON

- The database is co-created by the Main Library of the University of Economics in Kraków, the Main Library of the University of Economics in Wrocław, the Main Library of the University of Economics in Poznań, the Library of the SGH Warsaw School of Economics, the Main Library of the University of Economics in Katowice and faculty libraries of the University of Szczecin. The database contains abstracts or complete scientific articles on economic and related topics.
- BazEkon also provides a tab – a bibliometric *Cited by*, which processes the registered literature footnotes of articles. The program calculates the h-index and the number of citations for the authors and journals in these footnotes.
- Link: <https://bazybg.uek.krakow.pl/bazekon/>.