Proprietary Database: A privately owned database that isn't available to the public and that is usually password protected. When you login to Blackboard you get access to many valuable databases are fee based (paid by your tuition or your taxes).

- * Must be logged into Blackboard and go to FSU Community > Henry Whittemore Library tab for resources used in this assignment.
- For this assignment you need to have a local library card with bar code. Use the appropriate online resource sharing networks to find and locate an item to obtain from interlibrary loan that will be would be helpful for your classroom. Describe the process and how long it takes to obtain your request. Return to this question at the end of the assignment and report when your request was fulfilled. You must explain what you requested. If you don't get the item in time before the due date, email your instructor once you get it.
 - a. I requested a book about Agile Project Management. The Book is called Agile Project Management for Dummies. Agile Project Management is a Project Management methodology that my IT department uses and would be helpful to me by explaining the processes that my colleagues use to complete projects.
 - b. First, I had to sign up for the InterLibrary Loan program through the Harvard University library system. It connects me to all of the Ivy League Libraries. This involved filling out a registration form and then waiting 24 hours for a response. Before receiving the response, however, I was able to search for and request books. Presumably, once I'm approved they will request the books.

FIRST-TIME USERS: Until your registration is processed, you will have only limited request functionality available. Please allow up to 24 hours for your registration to be processed. For immediate assistance, please call 617-495-2972 (Monday to Friday, 9am-5pm) or email illweb@fas.harvard.edu Close Window/Logout Outstanding Requests Transaction Type Title Author Status 4076876 Book Agile project management for dummies Layton. Mark Awaiting Request Processing

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- * Click on Whittemore Library tab after logging into Blackboard and using at least two proprietary databases get at least one resource that would be helpful for your classroom. You may wish to consider Kids Infobits.
 - a. I have used databases before, particularly in college. I really like using them because they are very easy to search, usually with very detailed search mechanisms, and have vast resources. Often you can find things outside of just research like old newspaper articles, or old magazine articles. I particularly like Academic Search Premiere by EBSCOHost because of its vast collection of materials. I looked in AccessScience as well for some technology related articles, but was unable to find anything useful.



- * Find which libraries close to you have Shannon Lanier's and Jane Feldman's book Jefferson's Children using WorldCat. Search for "Jefferson's Children" by title. List the libraries with this item. Do an advanced search with 'Ackermann' for the author and the ISBN to locate our textbook. What library networks in Massachusetts have the text? How could you check out a copy?
 - a. Libraries in Massachusetts with the Jefferson's Children book:

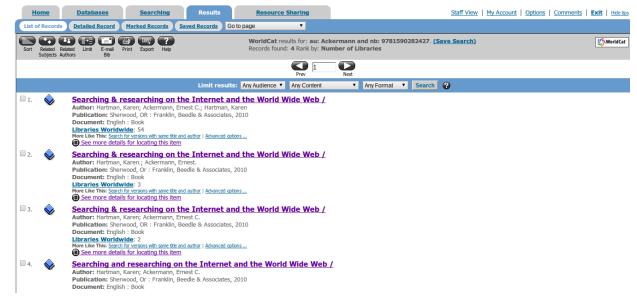
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US,MA	CLAMS, INC	
US,MA	FALMOUTH PUB LIBR	
US,MA	LESLEY UNIV LIBR	
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US,MA	MERRIMACK VAL LIBR CONSOR	
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US,MA	NORTHEASTERN UNIV	
US,MA	OLD COLONY LIBR NETWORK	
US,MA	SAILS, INC	
US,MA	SALEM STATE UNIV	
US,MA	SALTER SCH	
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US,MA	SPRINGFIELD CITY LIBR	
US,MA	WHEELOCK COL LIBR	
US,MA	WORCESTER PUB LIBR	

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c. There are no networks in Massachusetts that carry our textbook. Even the Minuteman network didn't have it in their listings. In order to check out a copy I would need to go through

the Interlibrary loan process. I would need to click "Borrow this item from another library" and fill out the Inter-Library Loan form.



- * Search the "Publications" in the "Professional Development Collection" for the journal "Computers in the Schools." Search through some titles of articles from the current or past issues. How would you view the entire article? Go back and browse the other educational journals. What are three journals that you might read regularly that would help you become a better teacher?
 - a. In order to view the entire article I would need to request it via InterLibrary Loan.



- c. Three journals that I would read regularly to help become a better teacher:
 - i. TechTrends: Linking Research & Practice to Improve Learning
 - ii. T+D

d.

- iii. Techniques: Connecting Education & Careers
- * Use ArticlesFirst. Enter 'Australian dairy technology' in the box and search source for the 'The Australian journal of dairy technology.' Go back and search title for the Vol. 56 No. 2, 2001 issue and the 'Concentrates can reduce the milkfat concentration of grazing dairy cows' article by Stockdale, C R and others. Click on the article to see which libraries have this article. Since this is just a citation (not full-text) now you could email this citation to one of these libraries and the librarian would have a student go to the periodical shelves and make a copy for you. The real

trick for you might be to have them scan it so they can email it to you (otherwise you might have to settle for a fax of even a mailed copy). What are two other articles has Stockdale written?

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	le: Theme 5: Economics and efficiency - Concentrates can reduce the milkfat concentration of grazing dairy cows Auth 6, n.2, (2001), p.185 ISSN: 0004-9433	or: Stockdale, C R Source: The Australian journal of dairy technology,	
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US,AL	AUBURN UNIV		AAA
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US,AZ	ARIZONA STATE UNIV	18-46(1963-1991)	AZS
US,AZ	UNIV OF ARIZONA	1-(1946-)	AZU
US,CA	CALIFORNIA POLYTECHNIC STATE UNIV, SLO	27-65(1972-2010)	CPS
US,CA	CALIFORNIA STATE POLYTECHNIC UNIV, POMON		CPC
US,CA	CALIFORNIA STATE UNIV, CHICO	1-48(1946-1993)	CCH
US,CA	CALIFORNIA STATE UNIV, SAN MARCOS	Local holdings availa	CS1
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US,CA	SONOMA STATE UNIV	<u>1946</u>	CSC
US,CA	STANFORD UNIV LIBR		STF
US,CA	UNIV OF CALIFORNIA, DAVIS, SHIELDS LIBR	v.1(1946)-v.65(2010)	CUV
US,CA	UNIV OF CALIFORNIA, N REG LIBR		ZAP
US,CO	COLORADO STATE UNIV		COF
US,CT	UNIV OF CONNECTICUT	1-28(1946-1973)	UCV
US,DE	UNIV OF DELAWARE	v.1-v.52(1946-1997)	DLM
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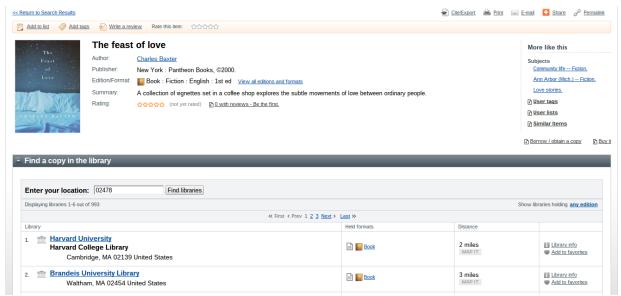
- b. Other articles by Stockdale include:
 - i. Nutritive characteristics of irrigated perennial pastures in northern Victoria and the selection of nutrients by grazing dairy cows
 - ii. Effect of length of the period of supplementation with concentrates on pasture intake and performance of grazing dairy cows

ONLY COMPLTE 2 OF THE BULLETS FOR QUESTION 6.

- 6. WORLDCAT
- Activity 7.3, p. 152

a.

- Exercise 5, p. 163
 - I found no books titled "A Feast of Love" but I did find one titled "The Feast of Love". It is
 available at several libraries near me including the Harvard University library and the MIT
 library. This is a great resource for discovering where I can find any book rather than locating
 a catalog first and then finding if they have it.



• Search something from WORLDCAT and explain how you will use this in your classroom or how you will have a

colleague use it.

o I found that WORLDCAT was really useful for finding books in eBook format. I have many colleagues who like using their iPad or Kindle for reading but often can't find the books they are looking for in that format. WORLDCAT was able to find several books for my search "Sharepoint 2010 and Infopath" that were available electronically. I could even narrow the search down to include just Internet resources.

ONLY COMPLTE 2 OF THE BULLETS FOR QUESTION 7.

7. LIBDEX

- Look for s special library in Australia that collects information on the Great Barrier Reef. The library is in Queensland. Find the catalog of The Great Barrier Reef Marine Park Authority library and perform a search on the keywords coral reef fauna.
 - The LibDex link was out of date and went to an error, but I did some looking around the site and found the link to the catalog. This was interesting to find, but if I didn't know the name of the library it would be hard to find. It would be nice for finding libraries in a particular location, or about a very generic topic like technology. While it happened to be useful for The Great Barrier Reef I don't think that is usually the case.

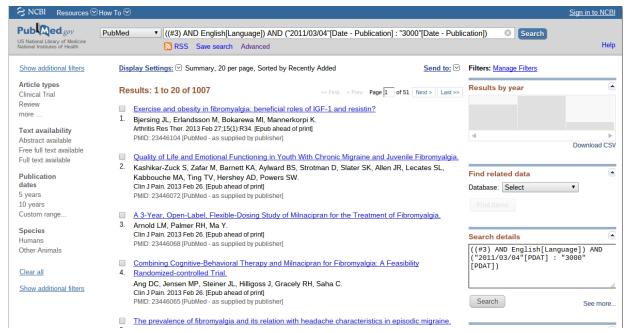


- You are doing research on the Battle of Wounded Knee, which took place in South Dakota in 1890. It makes sense to look for information in that state. Search libraries in South Dakota. Note there is a consortium in South Dakota that would give us access to the catalogs of many libraries. It is called the South Dakota Library Network. Search Catalog via Guest.
- Look for the Wright Brothers Collection; the part the Library of Congress didn't have room for. Hint > Wright State University & Special Collections and Archives.
- Search something from LIBDEX and explain how you will use this in your classroom or how you will have a colleague use it.
 - This resource was kind of difficult to use, particularly in a corporate training/higher ed technology setting. However, one use I could see for it is to quickly find a listing of all of the Harvard libraries by searching "Harvard" and then you are able to see various information points about each library. While some of the information was out of date like URLs or

operating hours, it was mostly a useful tool for this particular use.

ONLY COMPLTE 2 OF THE BULLETS FOR QUESTION 8.

- 8. PubMed:
- Activity 7.1, p. 142
- Exercise 1, 162.
 - I found 7,245 results for fibromyalgia.
 - With an advanced search there are 1,007 results.



- Search something from PubMed and explain how you will use this in your classroom or how you will have a colleague use it.
 - This site also does not have much of an application in a corporate training/higher ed IT setting. However, I think that one way my colleagues could use it is to search for articles about how to conduct effective training. I found a few articles that were about how to effectively teach certain concepts so that they make sense to people, and what methods of teaching are most effective in corporate training settings. I was a bit hindered at first by the fact that I couldn't see the whole text of the articles, but then I was able to use Academic Search Premier to find the full text for a few. Some I couldn't even find the article, others I was able to find the article but it only had a citation or abstract, and then for a few of them I was able to find the full text.

ONLY COMPLTE 2 OF THE BULLETS FOR QUESTION 9 FROM EITHER the Internet Broadway Database/Internet Movie Database or Government Information Sites

9.

Internet Broadway Database/Internet Movie Database:

- Exercise 2, p. 162
- Exercise 6, p. 163
- Search something from Internet Broadway Database or the Internet Movie Database and explain how you will use this in your classroom or how you will have a colleague use it.

Government Information Sites:

- Exercise 8, p. 163 Find Law
 - I looked through Find Law and found it to be incredibly difficult to find anything because there
 were so many sales pitches for lawyer services. Eventually I was able to navigate to
 Pennsylvania's state laws on marriage, and it didn't even show me the law, it just linked to
 Pennsylvania's state web site where it displayed the text of the law.



- Exercise 7, p. 163 Thomas
- Search something from "Thomas" and explain how you will use this in your classroom or how you will have a colleague use it.
 - At first I did not find any possible way that Thomas could be useful in a corporate training/Higher Ed IT setting. But then I did some searches for Higher Education technology bills and found some interesting bills about immigration and how to create opportunities for innovative and educated immigrants. While this doesn't directly apply to anything I currently do, it would possibly be necessary that one day my department has to teach about technology to immigrants who may excel in other areas of business, but need technology help because of their limited experience with it. The Thomas site is good for looking at what might be coming in terms of laws, and what some of the trends in Congress may be.

Return to Question 1. How long did it take to receive your item from Interlibrary Loan?

Still have not received it.

10. Reread the Libraries Online and Access to Proprietary Databases. Describe how you would teach the importance of having access to your regional library system, how to obtain it, the potential resources available through your own school, and special access to sites like the Library of Congress to your students or your colleagues (if your students are too young). Be sure to lead with your objective and focus more on the content than the pedagogy in your explanation.

Learning Objectives:

- 1. How to access and use the Harvard University Library system to enhance work efficiency and reliability.
- 2. The benefits of applying the Harvard University Library resources in the workplace as a Staff member
- 3. An understanding of resources that exist as part of the Harvard University Library system verses what resources might be available outside of the system to the average individual

Access to online library resources is something that all Harvard employees have, but few take advantage of. A good place to introduce this would be during the new employee technology orientation which the Technology Consulting Services department conducts each week. As stated in the learning objectives, it would first be important to show the new employee how to access the online library resources. Take them through a step by step tutorial and actually show them a search in Academic Search premier to get them started. Next, focus on the benefits of using the library resources over just a simple Google search. It may take a little longer to find the right article or resource, but it is certainly more reliable and likely to please whomever the new staff member is reporting to. In fact, for faculty assistants it is a great way to find Harvard Business Review articles that their faculty member may have written in order to gain insight into the work of the faculty members they support. In addition, having these resources available means there should be no excuse to have incorrect information in a report or deliverable for your boss. By using the library resources one can ensure that they are using the best available information, as well as the most factual. Lastly, take the new employees through the list of resources and explain the features like InterLibrary Loan which will allow them to gain access to books at all of the lvy League libraries. Additionally go through Academic Search Premier, the Harvard scholarly works repository, and how the separation of schools works with the libraries (essentially explaining that even though the work for the Business School they have access to the libraries at all schools).

This would provide a good summary and simply make the new employees aware of a resource that many staff do not take advantage of. In addition to being a good source of reliable and accurate information, it could give new employees a secret tip or leg up on staff who have already been working at Harvard but forgotten about the library resources. Obviously if there were more time it would be nice to cover more details like what each database can do, how the Google Books search works, and some good search tips, but with the limited time, this lesson covers the most important parts. It would also be helpful to have a handout of some kind, or quick reference guide for the libraries that the new employee could take with them. It would have links to the library sites, explanations of the databases, information on InterLibrary Loan, library hours, etc. It would be a good resource as the new employee starts so that they can keep it close to their desk and reference it easily when necessary.