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- **Academic Search Complete (EBSCO)**
  Offers content relating to nearly every discipline. Coverage for every journal varies, with some articles dating back to 1887. Full-text access is available for nearly half of the records.

- **Discovery Service for Political Science (EBSCO)**
  Find articles and other E-resources for Political Science.

- **CQ Researcher**
  Provides in-depth themed reports on controversial social, political, and cultural topics. Each report thoroughly analyzes all of the important aspects of the given topic, and also provides relevant graphics and sources for further research.

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- Citation manuals at the Reference Desk
- The Writing Center
- Any librarian!
- Library Research Guides → Tutorials and Help → Citation Styles

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Research Process

1. Plan
   How do you get started?
   Understand assignment requirements.
   Develop your topic.
   Establish a timeline.
   Consider appropriate search terms.

2. Search
   Where should you look for your sources?
   Databases
   CatPac
   Internet Resources
   Other

3. Evaluate
   Are your sources appropriate?
   Examine sources for:
   Currency
   Relevance
   Authority
   Accuracy
   Purpose

4. Use
   What do you do with the information once you have found it?
   Ask:
   Does what I found fulfill the requirements?
   How do I organize it?
   How do I cite it?