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CSA Sociological Abstracts

Bringing you sociological research since 1952

CSA *Sociological Abstracts* delivers comprehensive, authoritative coverage of the international literature of sociology and related disciplines in the social and behavioral sciences. Users will find over 800,000 records.

The database provides abstracts of journal articles, and citations to book reviews drawn from over 1,800 serials publications for postgraduates, researchers and students. It also provides abstracts of books, book chapters, dissertations and conference papers.

Many records, from key journals in sociology, include the references cited in the bibliography of the source article. Each of these individual references may also have links to an abstract and/or other papers which cite that reference, increasing the possibility of finding more potentially relevant articles. These references are linked both within *CSA Sociological Abstracts* and across other social science databases available on the *CSA Illumina* platform.

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Major topics covered within *CSA Sociological Abstracts* include:

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Social work, human services, and related areas including social welfare, social policy and community development are all topics covered in *CSA Social Services Abstracts*.

This practical resource contains material from a wide selection of sources, including over 1,300 serials publications dating back to 1979, abstracts of journal articles and dissertations, citations and book reviews.

Updated monthly, this growing resource has approximately 5,500 records added every year.

Major areas of coverage include:

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- Crisis intervention
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- Gerontology
- Poverty and homelessness
- Professional issues in social work
- Social and health policy
- Social services in addiction
- Social work education
- Social work practice
- Support groups/networks
- Violence, abuse, neglect
- Welfare services

CSA Social Services Abstracts is included with all subscriptions to *CSA Sociological Abstracts* on *CSA Illumina*, and is also available as a stand-alone database.

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International coverage from over 500 journals

ASSIA: Applied Social Sciences Index and Abstracts is an indexing and abstracting tool covering health, social services, psychology, sociology, economics, politics, race relations and education. Updated monthly, *ASSIA* provides a comprehensive source of social science and health information for the practical and academic professional.

ASSIA currently contains over 400,000 records from more than 500 journals published in 16 different countries, including the U.K. and U.S. Major areas of coverage include: anxiety disorders, cultural anthropology, ethnic studies, unemployment and immigration.

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Perfect for those needing quick access to a variety of journals

This database indexes 530 titles and provides full text for over 300 social science publications for those who need access to a variety of scientific journals. Disciplines covered include addiction studies, gerontology, economics, international relations, minority studies, urban studies and more.

Included are titles such as *American Demographics*, *Ethics*, *Journal of Family Issues*, *The Public Interest* and *Spectrum*. Index coverage begins in 1971. In many cases, users will find full image complete with all the graphs, diagrams and illustrations so vital to scientific and technical research.

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IBSS: International Bibliography of the Social Sciences

An essential online resource for social science and interdisciplinary research

Unique in its broad coverage of international material, *IBSS* incorporates materials from over 100 languages and countries. With over 2.5 million bibliographic references to journal articles, books, reviews, and selected chapters dating back to 1951, *IBSS* is an ideal addition to any institution's holdings. Over 2,800 journals are regularly indexed, and some 7,000 books are included each year. *IBSS's* main focus is on the four core social science disciplines (anthropology, economics, politics and sociology) but it also covers a range of interdisciplinary subjects. Especially strong on international material, over 50% of journals are published outside the UK or US.

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CSA Linguistics and Language Behavior Abstracts

International literature on linguistics and the language sciences

The *CSA Linguistics and Language Behavior Abstracts* database covers all aspects of the study of language including phonetics, phonology, morphology, syntax and semantics. Complete coverage is given to various fields of linguistics including descriptive, historical, comparative, theoretical and geographical linguistics. The database provides abstracts of journal articles and citations plus book reviews drawn from over 1,500 serials publications. It also provides abstracts of books, book chapters, and dissertations.

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International communications literature for a global perspective

A comprehensive source of information about communication-related publications on a global scale, *Communication Abstracts* covers communication-related articles, reports, papers, and books from a variety of publishers, research institutions, and information sources. Coverage dates from 1977 and includes not only communication literature but also literature in other disciplines that is relevant to communication researchers, such as:

- Crisis communication
- Literature in film studies
- Public opinion
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In-depth coverage of social gerontology

Produced by the *American Association of Retired Persons (AARP)*, *Ageline* provides bibliographic coverage of social gerontology – the study of ageing in social, psychological, health-related and economic contexts. The literature covered is of interest to researchers, health professionals, service planners, policymakers, employers, older adults and their families, and consumer advocates. Topics covered include the delivery of health care for the older population, and its associated costs and policies. Coverage dates from 1978 to the present day and the database currently boasts over 90,000 records.

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More than 625 social science resources

Produced by H.W. Wilson, this database provides researchers access to essential scientific journals – more than 625 publications, collecting information on a variety of topics, including minority studies, gerontology, public welfare, criminology, gender studies, and more. *Wilson Social Sciences Abstracts* includes some of the most popular information resources for users in academic and public research environments.

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Comprehensive coverage of communications disorders literature

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The database offers broad coverage. In addition to clinical and social psychology, it provides coverage of related disciplines including genetics, psychology of business and economics, communication, criminology, addiction, education, gerontology, linguistics, hypnosis, psychiatry, neurology, and social welfare.

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The definitive bibliographic database of psychological literature

Compiled by the *American Psychological Association (APA)*, *PsycINFO* is the definitive abstract and index database of psychological literature from the 1800s to the present. An essential tool for researchers, *PsycINFO* combines a wealth of content with precise indexing from the *APA's Thesaurus of Psychological Index Terms*.

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PsycARTICLES

Full-text access to authoritative psychological literature

PsycARTICLES offers a prestigious collection of searchable full-text articles from journals published by the *American Psychological Association (APA)* and allied organizations.

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Scholarly books from the American Psychological Association and other distinguished publishers

Delivering content in PDF, *PsycBOOKS* includes chapters of both authored and edited books as individual documents. The collection covers a broad range of psychological and behavioral topics, and includes content relevant not only to psychology, but also to many related disciplines such as psychiatry, pharmacology, management, business, education, neuroscience, law, medicine, and social work.

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PsycCRITIQUES

The most current reviews and news

PsycCRITIQUES offers a searchable database of book reviews in psychology. In each weekly release, *PsycCRITIQUES* delivers approximately 20 reviews of psychology books, most from the current copyright year.

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Authoritative coverage of Post Traumatic Stress Disorder

The *PILOTS* bibliographic database, covering the Published International Literature on Traumatic Stress, is produced at the headquarters of the National Center for Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder in White River Junction, Vermont.

PILOTS is sponsored by the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs. Its goal is to include citations to all literature on post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD) and other mental health sequelae of traumatic events, without disciplinary, linguistic, or geographical limitations, and to offer both current and retrospective coverage.

PILOTS is provided at no additional charge to customers with subscriptions to any related social science database on the CSA Illumina platform.

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Areas of coverage include:

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- Political behavior
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CSA Worldwide Political Science Abstracts with ProQuest Full Text

Opens up access to 120 full-text titles which have been specifically selected to match Core and Priority journals covered by CSA Worldwide Political Science Abstracts.

ProQuest content that pre-dates CSA Worldwide Political Science Abstracts has been incorporated into the database, extending coverage for some titles back to 1920.

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Primary resource in U.S. foreign policy, intelligence, and security issues

The Digital National Security Archive (DNSA) offers access to primary documents from the National Security Archive. DNSA is the most comprehensive collection available of significant primary documents central to U.S. foreign and military policy since 1945. Over 69,000 of the most important, declassified documents – totaling more than 488,000 pages – are included in the database. Many are published now for the first time.

DNSA is comprised of 29 collections, each focused on a single topic and containing a diverse range of policy documents including presidential directives, memos, diplomatic dispatches, meeting notes, independent reports, briefing papers, White House communications, email, confidential letters and other secret material. Additionally, contextual and reference supplements are provided for each collection, including general introductory material, a chronology, glossary and bibliography.

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CSA Sociological Abstracts Discovery Prize

ProQuest, the publisher of CSA Sociological Abstracts, the premier bibliographic database of international sociological literature, has an annual call for submissions describing how use of CSA Sociological Abstracts has assisted in teaching and learning. Entries will provide practical examples of how this database has advanced sociological scholarship and research, as well as contributed to the development of information literacy skills among students.

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The *PAIS International* database contains references to more than 575,000 journal articles, books, government documents, statistical directories, grey literature, research reports, conference reports, publications of international agencies, microfiche, internet material, and more. To ensure the global essence is captured *PAIS International* includes publications from over 120 countries throughout the world. In addition to English, some of the indexed materials are published in French, German, Italian, Portuguese, and Spanish.

The *PAIS International* backfile dates to 1972 and includes records from the print *PAIS Bulletin* from 1977 onwards; and from the *PAIS Print Foreign Language Index* published 1972-1990, at which time it merged with the *PAIS Bulletin*.

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Multilingual, multidisciplinary coverage of social sciences and the humanities

FRANCIS database is created by the Institut de l'Information Scientifique et Technique of the Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique (INIST-CNRS) in France. An invaluable resource for research libraries, *FRANCIS* is a multilingual, multidisciplinary database covering the humanities and social sciences. Its broad subject areas and international scope make it an ideal stand-alone social science database, as well as a suitable complement for more specialized databases. *FRANCIS* is strong in areas such as archaeology, geography, linguistics, philosophy, religion, and sociology. The database contains more than 1 million records, with abstracts in French or English, and descriptors in both languages, and includes coverage of journals, books, conference papers and other documents.

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Information about more than 1 million scholars

COS Scholar Universe provides authoritative information about more than 1 million scholars and organizations around the world, together with verified affiliation and publication information. The database comprises international faculty at 4-year universities and their departments. The database provides a unique tool for finding researchers by specific area of study, providing keyword access to the community behind the content.

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Each *COS Funding Opportunities* record is researched, verified, edited, and indexed by a *COS Funding Editor* to ensuring accuracy, timeliness and quality of data, uniformity of format, and efficiency of searching.

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The newspapers, magazines and journals delivered by *AltPressWatch* give readers alternative perspectives on politics, government, culture, education, and local, national and international issues. There is in-depth coverage of a broad range of critical issues confronting contemporary society including:

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- Grassroots organizations
- Human rights
- Indigenous peoples
- Labor
- Poverty and hunger
- Public policy

Titles include *Athens News*, *Texas Observer*, *The Advocate*, *Dissent*, *Mouth Magazine*, *E: The Environmental Magazine*, *People's Weekly World*, *Lambda Book Report*, *Tikkun*, *Village Voice*, and more.

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Ethnic NewsWatch provides unique, thought-provoking views of current events, culture, and history on local, national and international levels as reported in the African American, African, Caribbean, Arab and Middle Eastern, Asian American, European and Eastern European, Hispanic, Jewish, Native, and multi-ethnic press.

This comprehensive, full-text collection of the newspapers, magazines and journals of the ethnic, minority, and Native American press offers coverage from 1977. It now offers over 1.5 million full-text articles, editorial commentaries, and more from 279 publications. With titles in English and Spanish, it is searchable in both languages.

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Black Studies Center delivers a comprehensive, integrated core collection of material, which records and illuminates the black experience in a single cross-searchable gateway.

Black Studies Center contains essays, newspapers, periodicals and references which are both historical and current, and consist of primary and secondary resources. This unparalleled research tool is useful for all disciplines that feature a study of the black experience, and includes:

- *Schomburg Studies on the Black Experience™* – cross-disciplinary essays by today's leading scholars in Black Studies plus rare primary sources, biographies, timelines, and other contextual materials
- *The Chicago Defender, 1909-1975* – the full-image backfiles of the leading African-American newspaper
- *International Index to Black Periodicals Full Text™* – journals from Africa, the U.S. and the Caribbean

Individual newspaper titles from *ProQuest Historical Newspapers – Black Newspapers* can be added for integrated searching within the *Black Studies Center*.

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The African-American experience from the turn of the century to the present

ProQuest® Historical Newspapers-Black Newspapers brings a unique cultural perspective to events that shaped the United States in the 20th century. These titles gave voice to the people, culture, politics, business, art, and other significant issues in those communities that often received limited attention from other papers. The collection supports history, political science, diversity, and many more subject areas.

Titles include:

- *Chicago Defender* (1909-1975): a leading black newspaper before and after World War I, with more than two-thirds of its circulation based outside of Chicago
- *New York Amsterdam News* (1922-1993): the leading black newspaper from America's largest city
- *Los Angeles Sentinel* (1934-2005): the oldest and largest black newspaper in the Western United States
- *Atlanta Daily World* (1931-2003): one of the most widely-circulated black newspapers in the South during the 1930s; it promoted equal rights and an end to racial segregation
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