

FYSP127: Race-ing the Environment

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Finding Books and Other Materials

[OBIS](#) – Catalog of Oberlin libraries' holdings

[OhioLink Library Catalog](#) – Catalog of statewide resource sharing system; self-service borrowing of books and other materials

[InterLibrary Loan \(ILLiad\)](#) – A service that provides access to articles, books and other materials not available through Oberlin or OhioLink; first-time users must set up a new account

Finding Journal Articles

[Academic Search Complete](#) -- Large multi-disciplinary database with a lot of full text journals. *Also contains magazine and newspaper articles.*

[America: History & Life](#) -- Database of journals covering all aspects of American and Canadian history and culture from prehistory to the present.

[Environment Complete](#) -- Multidisciplinary database of journals covering all aspects of environmental studies, including policy, economics, social issues, ecology, pollution, energy, natural resources, urban planning and more.

[SocINDEX](#) -- Articles in sociology and related fields, such as ethnic and racial studies, the family, gender studies, social psychology, rural and urban sociology, etc.

[Urban Studies Abstracts](#) -- Covers all aspects of urban studies, including city planning and architecture, urban environments, community development, urban history, and more.

Finding Newspaper Articles

[Lexis-Nexis Academic](#) -- Full-text newspaper and news wire sources, dating back to the early 1980s up to today's news

[New York Times Historical](#) -- Full-text online access to the NYT from 1851-2010

[19th Century U.S. Newspapers](#) --Page images and searchable full text of a selection of American newspapers from the 19th century, which represent most states, and both large cities and smaller towns

Popular Magazines

[Readers' Guide Abstracts](#) (1983-current)

[Readers' Guide Retrospective](#) (1890-1982)

Popular magazines, some articles available full-text

[Academic Search Complete](#)

Contains a selection of popular magazines; use filters on the left to select magazines

Government Information

[OBIS](#) contains records for PRINT and ONLINE government documents

Print government documents are in 2 locations

Main US Gov Docs(4th Floor Mudd)

Sci US Gov Docs (Science Library)

[FDSys](#) – Federal Digital System – search engine for government documents

[ProQuest Congressional](#) Documents of the US Congress from 1789 - current

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