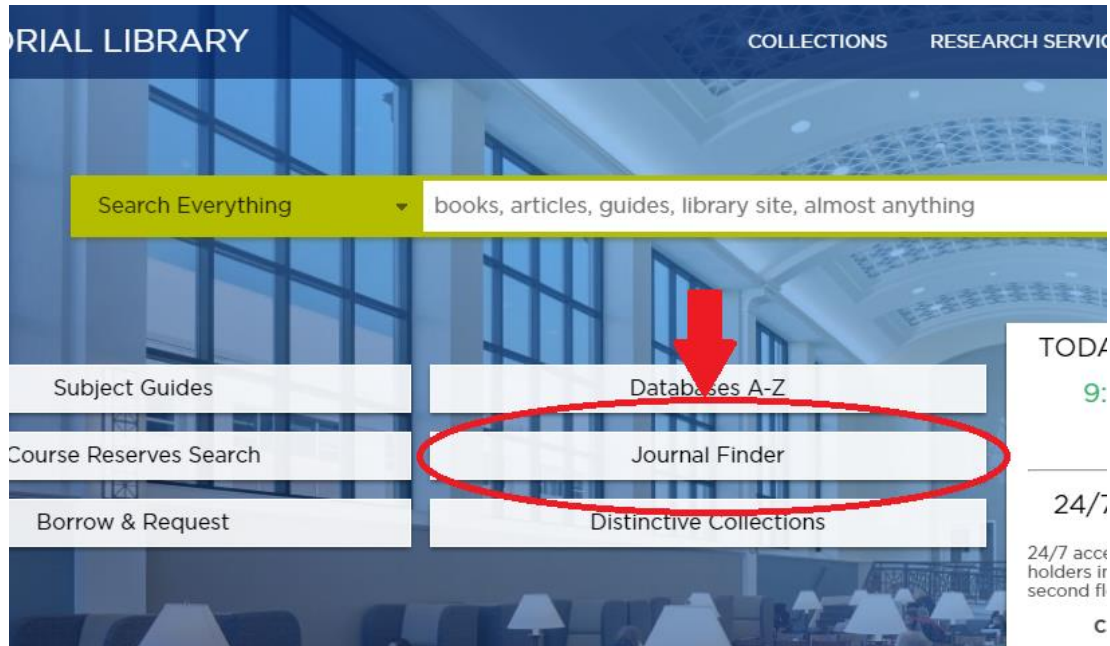


Using Journal Finder

The easiest way to search for specific journal articles and to browse journal digitally is to use *Journal Finder*, currently located on the library's homepage.

Link to *Journal Finder*: <https://library.villanova.edu/collections/tools/journals>



Searching for a specific Article:

Searching for a specific article is useful when you have the citation information for an article, but not the article itself.

Examples of when you may have the citation information:

- When a professor assigns an article and provides the citation information, but not the article itself.
- When you find an article through google, but cannot access it.
- When you are trying to follow up on a citation from the bibliography of another article or book chapter.

1. Once on the *Journal Finder* page scroll down to “SEARCH FOR AN ARTICLE”
2. Here you can search in one of two ways. 1) you can search for an article using the title of the article, the title of the journal, and the year of publication OR 2) Using the [Digital Object Identifier \(DOI\)](#) unique number that is assigned to a digital or electronic work.
 - a. Scientific articles usually have a DOI, but articles from humanities journals often do not.
3. So for example given the citation below you could search for the article in two different ways.

Gilmore, M. S., & Miller, O. K. (2018). A bacterium's enemy isn't your friend. *Nature*, 563(7733), 1-2. doi:http://dx.doi.org/10.1038/d41586-018-07414-w



SEARCH FOR AN ARTICLE

Check to see if a particular article is in our collection by citation or DOI

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| Article Title | <input type="text" value="A bacterium's enemy isn't your friend"/> |) 1 |
| Journal Title | <input type="text" value="Nature"/> | |
| Year Published | <input type="text" value="2018"/> <input type="button" value="Search"/> | |
| DOI: | <input type="text" value="10.1038/d41586-018-07414-w"/> <input type="button" value="Search"/> |) 2 |

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Or use the full version of [Citation Lookup](#)

- Once you have chosen which way to search and entered the required information click the "Search" button.
- Your results should look something like the image below, simply click on the "Full Text Online" button to be directed to your article.
HOWEVER, if instead of "Full Text Online" you see a blue button that says "Get A Scan" this means we do not have immediate access to an article, but you can request a scan of it through Interlibrary Loan, typically you will receive the scan digitally within 1-3 days.

You are looking for

A bacterium's enemy isn't your friend

Author: Gilmore, Michael S.
 Journal: Nature (London)
 ISSN: 0028-0836
 Date: 11/2018
 Volume: 563 Issue: 7733 Page: 637-638
 DOI: 10.1038/d41586-018-07414-w

Full Text Online

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1987 - present

Searching and Browsing Journals:

This feature allows you to search for journals using keywords in their titles and to browse through issues of those journals.

- At the top of the *Journal Finder* page you will see "SEARCH FOR A JOURNAL"
- Enter the title of the journal you're are looking for or some words from the title.

JOURNAL FINDER



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| Title begins with ▼ | African American Review | Search |
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| Title equals | | |
| Title contains all words | | |
| ISSN equals | | |

JOURNAL COLLECTION BY SUBJECT

- You may get more than one journal listed in results if there are multiple journals with similar names. You'll notice that for each journal there may be multiple access links (shown in blue below), in order to know which link you should click look at the coverage range which has been indicated in yellow in the image below.



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African American review

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[Spring 1992 to 1 year ago](#) in [ProQuest Central](#)

[04/01/1992 to 12/31/2015](#) in [JSTOR Arts & Sciences I](#)

[JSTOR Arts & Sciences IV](#)

[12/01/1992 to 09/30/2012](#) in [Literature Resource Center](#)

[2009 to Present](#) in [Project MUSE - Premium Collection](#)

- You will notice that the coverage range varies so you should select the link next to the range of coverage that you are looking for.
 - This will take you to the page for the journal where there is usually a list of years either along one of the sides of the page or below the journal information, each journal will look a little different.
 - Expand the dates to access individual issues of a journal. This will allow you to browse individual issues and access the articles in those issues.

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