

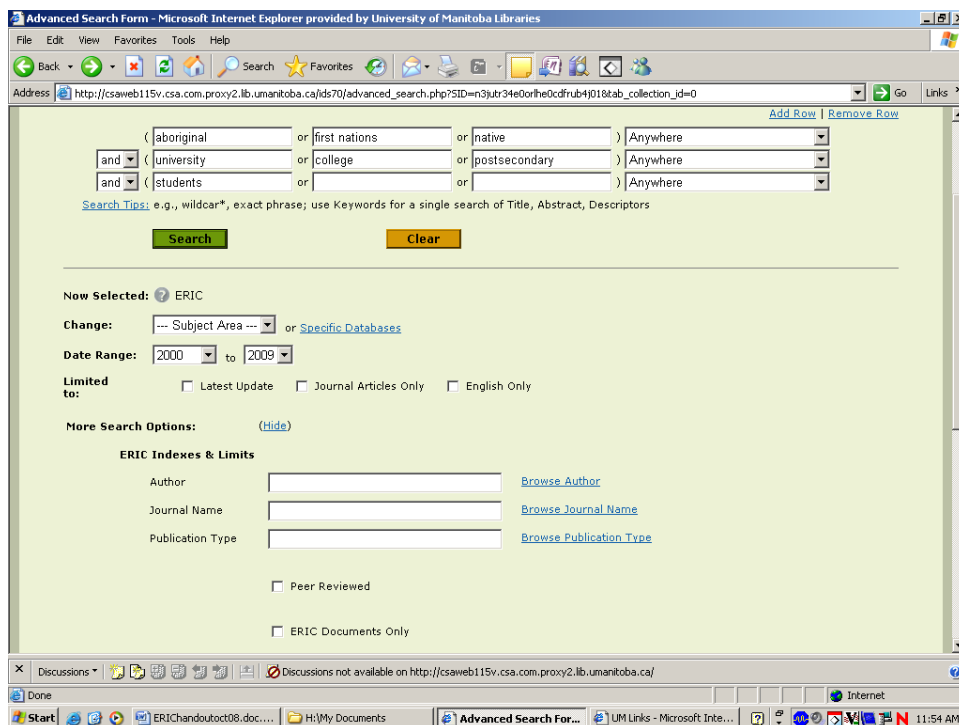
ERIC is the database of educational materials collected by the Educational Resources Information Center of the U.S. Department of Education. All records in ERIC include informative abstracts.

ERIC consists of 2 subfiles:

1. **Current Index to Journals in Education (CIJE)**, covering approximately 750 journals: EJ followed by 6 numbers.
2. **Resources in Education (RIE)**, covering documents (books, research and technical reports, conference papers and proceedings, bibliographies, dissertations): ED followed by 6 numbers. **Most ED documents from 1993 on are full text.**

To find journal articles using the example of ERIC:

- Start at <http://umanitoba.ca/libraries>
- On the left hand side menu, click on **E-Library**
- At **Find Journal Articles**, click on **Titles (A-Z)**
- Click on **E**
- Scroll down to **ERIC (CSA Illumina)** and click on it
- The Basic search screen will appear
- Click on Advanced Search screen (the green tab at the top of the page), as it offers more options



Advanced Search Form - Microsoft Internet Explorer provided by University of Manitoba Libraries

Address: http://csaweb115v.csa.com.proxy2.lib.umanitoba.ca/jds70/advanced_search.php?SID=n3jtr34e0orhe0cdfub4j018tab_collection_id=0

Search criteria:

(aboriginal or first nations or native) Anywhere

and (university or college or postsecondary) Anywhere

and (students or or or) Anywhere

Search Tips: e.g., wildcard*, exact phrase; use Keywords for a single search of Title, Abstract, Descriptors

Buttons: Search, Clear

Now Selected: ERIC

Change: --- Subject Area --- or Specific Databases

Date Range: 2000 to 2009

Limited to: Latest Update Journal Articles Only English Only

More Search Options: (Hide)

ERIC Indexes & Limits

Author: [Browse Author](#)

Journal Name: [Browse Journal Name](#)

Publication Type: [Browse Publication Type](#)

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ERIC Documents Only

- It is possible to limit to Journal articles only or ERIC documents only
- Type in your search terms EXAMPLE:
aboriginal or first nations or native
and university or college or postsecondary
and students

- The **or** command allows for synonyms
- The **and** command limits your search to those terms
- There is a Thesaurus which lists related and replacement terms
- It is possible to **Add Row** to enter more terms
- Change the **Date Range** to start at 2000
- Click on **Search**
- Results will show the number of journal articles, number of peer-reviewed articles, number of conferences and number of books

- A list of 10 citations per page will appear
- Click on **View Record** to read the Abstract or summary of the article
- To obtain the complete article, click on the yellow **UMLinks** button
- If the article is available electronically, follow the links to display the article
- If not available electronically, click on **Check for a print version of this item at the UM Libraries**
- If not, the third option is to click on **Document Delivery** to obtain a copy
- It is possible to mark off any number of records while reading through the citations and then to **Save, Print or Email**
- Click on the **RefWorks** button to export records to your **RefWorks** account