

GUIDE TO SOURCES IN SOCIOLOGY

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Works on **specific racial, ethnic and national groups** can be found in call number area **305.803 - 305.899**. Works on **social life and customs by geographic areas** can be found in the **900s**.

SEARCH HINTS

Try searching the Library Catalog using the following SUBJECT HEADINGS:

Criminology	Social structure
Population	Sociology
Race relations	Sociology, rural

Note: These SUBJECT HEADINGS can be further divided by geographic location or subtopic:

[Main topic]—[Geographical location] e.g., **Sociology—Europe**
[Geographical location]—[Main topic] e.g., **Spain—Social conditions**

To find information about a specific issue/topic within a specific subject area or a larger topic try:

[Main topic]—[subtopic] e.g., **Crime—Sociological aspects** or **Technology—Social aspects**.

All titles listed in this guide are located in the Education and Social Science Library reference collection unless otherwise noted.

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GUIDES TO THE LITERATURE

- 305.80071073
G355g **Guide to Resources in Ethnic Studies on Minority Populations.** 2000.
- This guide divides resources into sections by ethnic population groups described in the 2000 Census. Ethnic groups represented include the American Indian or Alaska Native, Asian, Black or African American, and Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander. Identifies resources in eight areas for each group: libraries and archival resources, popular media resources, colleges and universities, special programs, special centers, publishers, government programs, and journals.
- 016.3
L612s
2000 **Social Science Reference Sources: A Practical Guide.** 3rd ed. 2000.
- Evaluates approximately 1,600 print and electronic reference sources in the social sciences and provides annotated entries for discipline specific reference sources. Part I contains information on research resources and various other types of sources. Chapter 19, of Part II, focuses specifically on sociology and its subfields. Includes name, title, and subject indexes.
- 016.3
So135
2002 **Social Sciences: A Cross-Disciplinary Guide to Selected Sources.** 3rd ed. 2002.
- This annotated guide includes useful chapters on sociology, statistics and demographics, and general social science sources. It is divided into four sections: a general overview of reference sources, traditional scholarly literature, literature about the emerging disciplines, and literature about related disciplines. Each section begins with an introductory essay and contains brief annotations. Includes author, subject, and title indexes.
- 016.3005
W49s **Social Sciences: An International Bibliography of Serial Literature, 1830-1985.** 1992.
- Lists historical and current social science journals. Subjects covered include sociology, comparative law, and cultural anthropology. The 5,200 entries vary in length, but normally include date of first volume, place of publication, issuing agency, former/later names, and indexing sources. Includes a subject index. For sociology specific listing, see **Sociology: An International Bibliography of Serial Publications.** 1880-1980. (016.30105 W49s).
- 016.301
Ab99s
2005 **Sociology: A Guide to Reference and Information Sources.** 3rd ed. 2005.
- Provides descriptions of 610 major reference sources in sociology and related social sciences, including indexes, bibliographies, handbooks, databases, websites, dictionaries and encyclopedias. Though mostly current in its coverage, it includes important items published before 1997. Entries are arranged by subject and then by type of reference source. Includes author/title and subject indexes.

ABSTRACTS AND INDEXES

(online)

Sociological Abstracts. 1952-
<http://www.library.uiuc.edu/orr/get.php?instid=258156>

This core resource abstracts and indexes international literature in sociology and related disciplines in the social and behavioral sciences. Identifies articles drawn from over 1,800 serial publications, conference papers, books, and dissertations in

sociology and related fields. Beginning in 2002, references cited in the bibliography of the source article are also provided, as well as links to articles that cite the paper. Includes a browsable index.

(online)

SocINDEX with Full Text. 1895-
<http://www.library.uiuc.edu/orr/get.php?instid=462328>

Provides access to articles from major journals in sociology and related fields. Abstracts more than 620 core journals dating back to 1895 and indexes approximately 2,000 other journals. Books, conference papers, and other sources are also indexed. Contains "Author Profiles" which provide biographical data about important people in the field and bibliographic information about their work, and "Cited References" which allow searching by a cited author, a cited title, and a cited year. Includes full text.

(online)

Web of Knowledge (Social Science Citation Index).
<http://www.library.uiuc.edu/orr/get.php?instid=258179>

This multidisciplinary database identifies journal articles and cited references in all social science disciplines. Allows searching for articles on a particular topic, or for articles that have cited a known article. Lists references that can be used to search for related articles with common citations.

(online)

The Left Index. 1982-
<http://www.library.uiuc.edu/orr/get.php?instid=258114>

Indexes periodicals with a Marxist, radical or leftist perspective. Articles included provide a critical analysis on topics such as history, sociology, political science, psychology, women's studies, art, and literature. A large index is divided into an author, subject, book review citation, and journal indexes.

(online)

Criminal Justice Abstracts (online via **SocINDEX**).
<http://www.library.uiuc.edu/orr/get.php?instid=462328>

Includes current books, journal articles, dissertations, and reports of international research on criminal justice policies and theories. A review or bibliography synthesizing research on a subject of current importance is included in most issues. For coverage after 2004, try **SocINDEX** which selectively indexes **CJA**.

016.301
In8
(index area)

International Bibliography of Sociology. 1951-. Annual.

This is an extensive classified listing of the most significant books and journal articles published in a given year. Publications from over 60 countries in over 70 languages are represented. Titles are provided both in their original language and in English translation. Classification structures can be found in the **Thematic List of Descriptors: Sociology** (016.301IN8a).

DIRECTORIES

306
AME1

Directory of Members. American Sociological Association. 1950-.

Contains brief information on American Sociological Association members. Includes geographical listings and area of competence index.

- 301.07058
G94 ***Guide to Graduate Departments of Sociology.*** Annual.
Lists graduate sociology departments by university. Includes faculty, courses, and financial information.
- Q.
378.302573
M746 ***Money for Graduate Students in the Social & Behavioral Sciences.***
This directory includes information on fellowships, grants, awards, traineeships, and other funding programs designated for graduate students in education, research and related activities in the social and behavior sciences. The directory includes five searchable indexes: Sponsor, Residency, Tenability, Subject and Deadline.

RESEARCH METHODS / HANDBOOKS

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T918 ***21st Century Sociology: A Reference Handbook.*** 2007.
This two volume handbook contains 106 essays that serve as a comprehensive survey and assessment of the many specialty areas of sociology. Each chapter addresses a different topic of sociology in depth focusing on new knowledge and developments during the past three decades. At the end of each volume there is an extensive list of references; volume two also contains an index.
- 001.42
Am35 ***American Tradition in Qualitative Research.*** 2001.
This four-volume set describes the history of qualitative research and its modern implications. Volume 1 focuses on "History, Ethics, Politics and Paradigms of Inquiry;" Volume 2 discusses "Strategies of Inquiry;" Volume 3 provides information on "Methods of Collecting Empirical Materials," and Volume 4 gives an explanation of "Interpretative Practices." The set does not have an index, but it provides an appendix of sources.
- 300.72
Ap65
2005
(reserves) ***Approaches to Social Research.*** 4th ed. 2005.
A user-friendly guide to understanding and evaluating social research methods. Divided into four sections: scientific and logical foundations of research; research design; methods of data collection; and data processing, analysis, and interpretation. Includes a comprehensive glossary, list of references, and name and subject indexes.
- 808.027
Am352a
2007 ***ASA Style Guide.*** 3rd ed. 2007.
This book is based on ASA journal editors' observations on the most commonly seen style and format problems in submitted manuscripts. Its goals are to achieve uniformity of style across ASA publications and to aid authors in considering the effectiveness of their writing style. Topics include clarity, bias-free and gender-neutral writing, mechanics and manuscript preparation and submission. Helpful tools included are a guide to copy editors' notations, a list of reference sources on style and writing, examples of correct reference list formats, and computer file formats for ASA journals.
- 300.7
Y271d
(reserves) ***Doing Social Science Research.*** 2004.
This book provides an introduction to empirical research methods in the social sciences. The target audience, as identified on the back cover, is "students taking

introductory courses in social research at both the undergraduate and postgraduate level.” After an introduction, there are two major sections: quantitative/numerical research (covering survey and experimental methods and statistical tests) and qualitative/textual research (covering interview, ethnographic, and discourse analytic methods). A concluding section goes over method evaluation and selection. The focus is on the practical, methodological (rather than the philosophical) aspects of research. Self-assessment tasks and questions are interspersed throughout the text to reinforce key points. Chapters conclude with suggestions for further reading.

301.014
G941
1998
(reserves)

A Guide to Writing Sociology Papers. 4th ed. 1998.

Intended as a tool for sociology students and instructors, this guide offers advice on each step of the writing process. It walks users through developing and conceptualizing an idea, time management, writing and revising, and maintaining an accurate list of citations, notes, and references to avoid plagiarism. Special features include an overview of sociological paradigms, theories and methods; advice on conducting online searches; and examples of different types of sociology papers. Bibliographical references and an index are included.

301.072
M613h
2002
(reserves)

Handbook of Research Design and Social Measurement. 6th ed. 2002.

Provides information about how to design research, collect data, analyze statistics, and report results. Also lists major sociology journals, additional journals of interest to sociologists, and research annuals in sociology. Includes information for sociologists on getting books and articles published.

301
H1913

Handbook of Sociology. 1988.

This classic source provides an overview of sociology in the United States. Chapters are grouped into four sections: Theoretical and Methodological Issues; Bases of Inequality in Society; Major Institutional and Organizational Settings; and Social Process and Change. Includes extensive references as well as subject and name indexes.

305.3
C346h

Handbook of the Sociology of Gender. 1999.

Divided into four sections: Basic Issues, which examines gender theory, feminist epistemology, and gender differences and similarities; Macro-structures and Processes, covering comparative gender stratification, gender and migration, poverty, gender movements, gender organizations and gender in cultures; Micro-structures and Processes, addressing gender socialization, gender and social roles, gender and interaction and gender violence and harassment; and Institutions, which looks at the relationship between gender and social institutions. Includes index.

300.72
Sa184

Sage Dictionary of Social Research Methods. 2006.

Contains over 230 definitions of terms related to the field of social research. Topics were selected based on their relationship to several “key themes” in the field, such as the philosophy of science, research paradigms and practical issues, and data collection. Each entry includes a brief definition, history and evaluation of the topic; a list of associated concepts within the dictionary; and a brief selection of recommended readings. This source is beneficial for defining the main terms in social research, but also for browsing in order to gain further understanding of the field.

300.72
L585s

The Sage Encyclopedia of Social Science Research Methods. 2004. 3 vols.

Intended for researchers and social science students, this three-volume resource outlines the purposes and basic principles of social science research methods. A list of entries and a reader's guide (that lists entries by subject) precedes each volume. The encyclopedia features two major types of entries: definitions that provide a quick explanation of a methodological term; and the more in-depth discussion of the nature, history, application (with an example), and implication of using a certain method. Many entries include a reference list. Each entry is written by an authority in the field, covering both quantitative and qualitative methods. The first and third volumes contain indexes.

300.72
H1915
2005

The Sage Handbook of Qualitative Research. 3rd ed. 2005.

Aimed at undergraduate and graduate students as well as faculty, this essential text defines qualitative research and its numerous methodologies and demonstrates "how to do qualitative research." This third edition includes 42 new chapters and covers 16 new topics such as indigenous research, critical and performance ethnography, arts-based inquiry, narrative inquiry, the ethics and strategies of on-line research, cultural and investigative poetics, and the politics of evaluation.

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Sa184

The Sage Handbook of Quantitative Methodology for the Social Sciences. 2004.

Intended for applied statisticians, empirical researchers, and graduate students, this handbook offers an introduction to social science research methods and quantitative concepts. It's divided into six topical sections--scaling, testing and measurement, models for categorical data, models for multilevel data, models for latent variables, and foundational issues. Each chapter reviews the historical context for the topic; discusses current work, including examples; and provides a list of references for further reading. An index of researchers as well as a subject index is provided.

301
S129

The Sage Handbook of Sociology. 2005.

Provides chapters on topics currently being discussed among scholars. Topics covered include globalization, poverty, gender relations, class and stratification, and much more. Divided into three parts: Theory and Method; The Axial Processes of Society; and Primary Debates. At the end of each chapter, there is a lengthy list of references. An introduction and an index are included.

519.5
F853s
2006

Social Statistics for a Diverse Society. 2006.

Provides an introduction to social statistics. Topics covered include frequency distributions, graphic presentation, and measures of variability. Emphasis is placed on the relevance of statistics to daily and professional life. Tables and graphs accompany the text. An index/glossary is included.

301
So1341

Social Theory: Essential Readings. 2nd ed. 2003.

Provides a chronological list of important social theorists and their major works. Also provides excerpts from the major works. The theorists are divided into two groups "classical" starting from Comte (1798-1857) and "contemporary" starting with Jessie Bernard (1903-1996). Contains a glossary and an index of terms.

001.433
Su791

Survey Methodology. 2004.

Intended as a textbook for a one-semester, graduate-level course in survey methodology, it describes the basic principles of survey design, provides advice on executing surveys, and explores the research underlying current practice. Basic knowledge of statistics is required to understand the content. Each chapter includes suggestions for further reading and practice exercises. References and an index are included.

ENCYCLOPEDIAS AND DICTIONARIES

300.72
Az1

The A-Z of Social Research: a Dictionary of Key Social Science Concepts. 2003.

Provides definitions, explanations, and methods of use with illustrations of key social science concepts. The concepts are listed in a table of contents in an alphabetical index form. Notes and references are provided at the end of each definition.

301.0922
St49b

Biographical Dictionary of Sociologists. 2008.

This volume presents brief, informative profiles on sociologists and persons influential in sociology. A list of recommended works follows each entry, so that readers may become acquainted with the person's literary works. Volume includes a chronological timeline of publication dates of major works, as well as a subject index.

301.0922
B568

Blackwell Companion to Major Social Theorists. 2000.

This volume is a collection of essays on 25 of the leading social theorists. Divided into 2 sections, one section discusses classical social theorists and the other contemporary social theorists. The essays include a brief discussion of their life and work as well as place them within a greater social context with various other thinkers. Includes bibliographies of work by each theorist as well as works on them and on their theories for further reading.

300.3
B568
2003

Blackwell Dictionary of Modern Social Thought. 2nd ed. 2003.

Provides users with detailed definitions for a variety of concepts related to sociology and social theory. Entries included fall and are arranged into three overarching themes: the major concepts which figure in social thought, the principal schools and movements of thought, and those institutions and organizations which have either been important objects of social analysis, or have themselves engendered significant doctrines and ideas. This volume includes an extensive bibliography.

301.03
J63b
2000
(online)

The Blackwell Dictionary of Sociology. 2000.

<http://www.library.uiuc.edu/proxy/go.php?url=http://www.netlibrary.com/summary.asp?ID=44698>

This new edition includes 75 new entries, an updated biographical section, extensive revisions and updates, and more thorough cross-referencing. Aimed at both graduate and undergraduate students in the field of sociology, it explains the relationship of a discipline's vocabulary to the discipline and to the portion of the world that makes up the subject matter studied in the discipline. Includes methodological and statistical terminology and 150 biographical sketches. An index

is provided to help further with cross-referencing and finding embedded topics and names.

301.03
B568

The Blackwell Encyclopedia of Sociology. 2007.

This eleven volume encyclopedia contains 1,786 entries that provide information and analyses of much of contemporary sociology. Entries are arranged alphabetically and contain "see also" reference and a list of references and suggested readings. The set contains a timeline of sociology, a selected bibliography, a list of websites and an index.

301.03
C144

The Cambridge Dictionary of Sociology. 2006.

This comprehensive dictionary presents over six hundred entries spanning classical to modern sociology. Each entry ranges in length from succinct paragraphs to extensive essays on topics such as sociological theories and their creators, basic sociological terms, important institutions, and other topics closely related to the field. Entries are cross-referenced.

364.03
R89d
2000

The Dictionary of Criminal Justice. 5th ed. 2000.

Includes 3,600 entries, a few of which are accompanied by charts, graphs, or illustrations, of major personalities, terminology, events, concepts, and legislation associated with criminal justice in the United States. Also included: a bibliography; index and useful appendices containing information on doctoral programs in the U.S.; a list of criminal justice journals; a new compilation of web sites in the field; and summaries of 1,000 key U.S. Supreme Court rulings of importance to the criminal justice system.

300.3
Y87d

The Dictionary of Critical Social Science. 1999.

Defines terms that are important in the fields of sociology, philosophy, social psychology, political science, criminal justice, anthropology, and many others. Includes some biographical entries. Makes an effort to include feminist issues and gender politics and takes into account geopolitical change, including the rise of disparate political systems out of the old Soviet bloc; the pervasive effects of global capitalism and transnationalism; and emerging postmodern, semiotic, and chaos/complexity theory perspectives. Individual entries are cross-referenced to related terms.

306.46103
C645d

Dictionary of Medical Sociology. 1997.

This dictionary, to be used by students, scholars, and practitioners in medical sociology, provides a brief explanation of each term. An introduction discusses the discipline of medical sociology, while an extensive bibliography identifies additional sources of information on the subject. Extensively cross-referenced and includes an index.

300.72
Sch94q
2001

Dictionary of Qualitative Inquiry. 2nd ed. 2001.

This dictionary is a guide to the terms and phrases that partially shape the nature, purpose, logic, meaning and methods of the practices of qualitative inquiry. Focuses on the concepts and theoretical orientations in qualitative studies. Provides a list of key references at the end of each entry.

305.8003
D561

***Dictionary of Race, Ethnicity and Culture.* 2003.**

This volume provides brief (1-5 page) definitions of 200 terms relevant to the study of race, ethnicity, and culture. Include both everyday terms and specialized academic vocabulary. The volume is potentially useful to both general readers and scholars; however, the language of the entries favors a somewhat educated audience. Each entry provides introductory information and a list of bibliographic references. An appendix outlining the professional affiliations of entry authors, and a name and subject indexes are included.

301.03
C748
2005

***Dictionary of Sociology.* 2005.**

Written by a distinguished team of sociologists from the UK, this source includes terms from related disciplines such as economics, psychology and anthropology. Topics are arranged alphabetically and include theory as well as biographical sketches of key figures in these fields. Many entries include at least one bibliographical source for further research. Formerly known as ***The Concise Oxford Dictionary of Sociology***, 1998 (301.03 C7481998, ESSL stacks).

300.3
D561

***Dictionary of the Social Sciences.* 2002.**

Provides students and researchers with definitions for the myriad of obscure, and often technical, terms that they are likely to encounter while conducting research in the social sciences. Contains over 520 pages of definitions as well as a comprehensive bibliography.

300.15195
V868d
2005

***Dictionary of Statistics and Methodology: A Nontechnical Guide for the Social Sciences.* 3rd ed. 2005.**

Provides nontechnical definitions (i.e. in standard English and avoiding algebraic definitions) of statistical and methodological terms used in the social and behavioral sciences. Intended for "educated general readers," it focuses on concepts rather than calculations. Examples and illustrations are included when useful. Technical terms used to define other terms are asterisked when they too have entries. Includes key to frequently used symbols and the Greek alphabet, list of illustrations, and suggestions for further reading.

Q.
364.0321
En19
2002

***Encyclopedia of Crime and Justice.* 2nd ed. 2002. 4 vols.**

From abortion to wiretapping and eavesdropping, this four-volume set contains 250 highly accessible essays that examine criminal justice and criminal behavior. This second edition includes updated essay information and also new material on topics like feminist criminology, international criminal courts, and sexual predators. Each essay contains a bibliography of selected reference sources and cross references to related material. The source has both a general index and a legal index, which includes a table of cases and other legal documents.

Q.
364.03
En194

***Encyclopedia of Criminology and Deviant Behavior.* 2001.**

This four-volume work contains over 500 articles relevant to the sociological study of deviance in its many forms and as exemplified in various behaviors. Each of the volumes is divided into a wide subfield of the study of deviance: historical and theoretical issues; crime and juvenile delinquency; sexual deviance; and pathological behavior and physical handicap. Each article is followed by bibliographic references and author and subject indexes are included.

304.8
En192

(also online)

Encyclopedia of Diasporas. 2004. 2 vols.
<https://i-share.carli.illinois.edu/uiu/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?DB=local&v1=1&BBReclD=5589136>

Geared towards both undergraduate and graduate students, this encyclopedia explores the reasons for and effects of diaspora on various parts of the world, offering a broad comparative perspective. It is broken down into three parts: Diaspora Overviews, Topics, and Diaspora Communities. The essays include an in-depth narrative, tables with further explanations, and extensive bibliographies. Subject index and glossary are also included.

306.8509703
En19

Encyclopedia of Family Life. 1995.

This five-volume encyclopedia offers current articles on full range of family issues that deal with modern society in Canada and the United States. Arranged alphabetically, these 452 articles address family subjects from a variety of perspectives. Each article, ranging in length from 250 to 4000 words, defines terms, people, and organizations, and discusses controversies, historical trends and events, or health concerns, laws and court cases. This set includes bibliographical references and an index.

Q.
303.48203
En195

Encyclopedia of Globalization. 2007. 4 vols.

This four volume set contains nearly 400 entries, from acid rain to youth culture, to cover the multiple aspects of globalization affecting sectors of society around the world. Each volume includes a list of entries, reader's guide, and a cumulative index. All entries contain a bibliography and recommend related entries or documents. The fourth volume also includes primary source documents related to the entries, the **CSGR Globalisation Index** that measures dimensions of globalization per country, and an additional selected bibliography arranged by subject areas.

364.36097303
En192

Encyclopedia of Juvenile Violence. 2007.

This work provides information about the history, frequency and types of juvenile violence. Entries provide a general overview of the topic of juvenile violence, and also include discussions of controversial issues as well as evaluations of programs and theories. Many entries are cross-references and provide a list of further readings. Includes a chronology of key events, an alphabetical list of entries, a guide to related topics, a list of useful web sites and recommended reading and an index.

Q.
304.603
En192

Encyclopedia of Population. 2003. 2 vols.

Consists of 336 articles (written by 278 authors) on various topics related to the study of population. Entries are between 500 and 1000 words, with a few that are over 3000 words, and end with a short bibliography. In addition, there are roughly 60 biographical entries of "persons selected from those whose work has been important in the development of population studies." Population tables as well as a comprehensive index are included in the second volume.

Q.
365.97303
En192

Encyclopedia of Prisons & Correctional Facilities. 2005. 2 vols.

Contains up-to-date statistics and academic research on historical and current penal systems in the United States. Areas of interest include prison architecture, theories of punishment, prison populations, prison reform, juvenile justice, staff, treatment programs, privatization, labor, sentencing policies and laws. Entries are cross-referenced and include sidebars and illustrations. Race and gender issues are given

particular attention throughout. Includes an appendix of institutions in the federal prison system, and a chronology of key legal cases, a list of publications, a list of the founding of certain penal establishments, and an index.

305.8003
C338e
2008

***Encyclopedia of Race and Ethnic Studies.* 2008.**

Short entries are designed to provide an introduction to the meaning and importance of race and ethnicity in a global context. Each article includes a list of further reading. The volume contains a list of internet resources and an index.

Q.
361.103
En192

***Encyclopedia of Social Problems.* 2008.**

Over 600 articles cover a wide range of social problems as they relate to individuals, as well as local, regional, national, and global levels. Every article includes cross-references and a list of additional reading. Includes a list of entries, reader's guide, and index.

303
En19

***Encyclopaedia of the Social Sciences.* 1930-35. 15 vols.**

An important work that is still valuable for the quality of scholarship, the historical background which it provides in many entries, the two comprehensive introductions to the social sciences in Volume 1, and the large number of biographical entries. Also important as a survey of the state of the social sciences in the 1930s. Cross references in *Biographies*.

301.03
En197

***Encyclopedia of Social Theory.* 2006.**

This encyclopedia covers topics in social theory, focusing on schools, current debates and important theorists. Each of the 479 entries highlights sources for further reading. The work includes lists of entries and contributors as well as an index.

Q.
301.03
En199
2000

***Encyclopedia of Sociology.* 2nd ed. 2000. 5 vols.**

This revised and updated five-volume set contains information pertinent to the field of sociology. Arranged alphabetically by subject, the articles provide a good starting point for research in the field. Each article is followed by a short listing of references to further works about the topic. The final volume contains a comprehensive index.

Q.
361.108694203
En198

***Encyclopedia of World Poverty.* 2006. 3 vols.**

This extensive three-volume work contains over 800 articles on poverty, including entries on history, definitions and measurement techniques, individuals and organizations, causes and effects, political and economic issues, and relief initiatives. Includes entries for 191 countries affected by poverty. The first volume includes a chronology of poverty, and each article includes cross-references and a bibliography. The third volume contains a glossary, an index, and two appendices: one of U.S. state economic data and one of statistical profiles of selected countries.

306.85
F2192

***Families Across Cultures: A 30-Nation Psychological Study.* 2006.**

By looking at thirty countries across the globe, each representing a different geopolitical zone, this book examines three main issues: the differences in family networks, similarities of families across cultures, and worldwide family changes as a result of social changes. Divided into two parts, part one discusses the theories, methodologies, and findings of the study, while part two looks at the results of each

represented country. Includes many tables and figures, an extensive bibliography, and an appendix which includes the questionnaire used in the study.

306.85
F21222
2006

Families in Global and Multicultural Perspective. 2nd ed. 2006.

Intended for use in an undergraduate and graduate comparative family course, the book travels across geographic, cultural, and historical boundaries to explore the diversity of the world's families. It examines a full range of topics including family origin and universality, family functions, marital structure, kinship rules, comparative research methods, family development, marriage adjustment, parenting, divorce, and aging. Includes author and subject index.

301.0922
F466

Fifty Key Sociologists: The Formative Theorists. 2007.

This resource contains the biographies of fifty theorists whose ideas contributed to the formation of social theory and social research at a time when sociology was becoming a distinct discipline. Entries are listed alphabetically and each includes the sociologist's major works and suggested further readings. An index is provided.

306.3 H191
2005

Handbook of Economic Sociology. 2nd ed. 2005.

Intended for undergraduate and graduate students, this handbook is a compilation of current research in the field of economic sociology. The 31 essays included provide general surveys of the field as well as explore specific areas of inquiry. Issues addressed include religion and economic life; gender and the economy; economy and the environment; welfare states; coordination and conflict among corporations; the informal economy; ethnic economics; cross-national economic comparisons; and socialist economies.

306.6
H191

Handbook of Religion and Social Institutions. 2005.

Provides a view of the relationship between religion and society from a sociologist's perspective. There are seven broad topics including family, inequality, social control, and culture. Each of the seven topics are further divided into more narrow subjects such as education, aging, economy, social class, law sports, and technology. Each chapter contains extensive references at the end. An index is included.

306.85
H1913

Handbook of World Families. 2005.

Comparative study of family life in 25 nations covering family formation, fertility and socialization, gender, marriage, stresses and violence, divorce and remarriage, kinship, aging and death, and family and other institutions. Each chapter was written by a scholar brought up in the culture. Countries are organized by world region and then alphabetized. Includes an author and subject index.

304.609
H24h

The History of Human Populations. 2001. 2 vols.

The main focus of this set is "to explore the relevance of the types of universal trends that are found in population growth and decline for demographic changes in migrations and in the population receiving them." Both volumes have many graphs and tables and include a bibliography and index.

335.0203
M832h

Historical Dictionary of Utopianism. 2004.

Covers broadly the development of all types of utopianism over several centuries. Includes biographical entries on important theoreticians and thinkers, and entries on

various utopian communities and organizations. An appendix is also included that provides the location and dates for each of these communities and organizations. Includes a chronology of events and an extensive bibliography.

304.873003
Im61

Immigration in America Today. 2006.

This encyclopedia is a comprehensive thematic guide that provides an overview of major contemporary immigration topics along with suggestions for further readings. The 81 entries cover a range of migration concepts and processes, policy, legislation, social issues and aspects of cultural integration. The encyclopedia contains a list of entries, a guide to related topics, an index and bibliographical references.

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International Encyclopedia of Economic Sociology. 2006.

This work provides an overview of the expanding field of economic sociology. 250 articles written by more than 160 experts define terms, concepts, and people in the field. Also included are entries on terms, concepts, and people from adjacent discipline like economics and anthropology. Articles include a definition of the topic, and its relevance to the discipline, historical background, core debates, schools, concepts and developments of the topic, a conclusion and outlook. Cross-references and a bibliography can be found at the end of each article.

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International Encyclopedia of Marriage and Family. 2nd ed. 2003.

This updated four-volume encyclopedia "is a compendium surveying the shared patterns and amazing variation in marriage and family life in a rapidly changing multicultural world" and is designed for use by general readers as well as scholars and students seeking information on global family lifestyles. Users can look for information by subject (e.g. adoption, later life families, stress) or by country name (though not every country is included). A complete list of articles and contributors is included at the front of volume 1 and an extensive index is located in Volume 4.

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International Encyclopedia of the Social and Behavioral Sciences. 2001. 26 vols.

This encyclopedia offers comprehensive accounts of social and behavioral sciences, with an emphasis on incorporating current knowledge within a historical perspective. The entries, arranged alphabetically, include biographical articles of significant contributors to the field as well as topical articles that describe the issues, methods, disciplines, intersecting fields, and applications of social and behavioral sciences. Each entry is followed by a bibliography, and comprehensive subject and name indexes are included in each volume.

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In8

International Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences. 1968. 19 vols.

This classic encyclopedia provides an analytical and comparative examination of the social sciences. Updates and complements the ***Encyclopaedia of the Social Sciences*** (see entry in this section) but does not supersede it. Extensive index and cross-references are provided. Volume 18 is a Biographical Supplement (1979), and Volume 19 is a collection of social science quotations (1991), arranged by author.

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In8

The International Handbook of Environmental Sociology. 1997.

Environmental sociology deals with human behavior as it both influences and is influenced by environmental conditions. Included are 31 essays written by scholars

from 10 countries focusing on environmental issues in socialist, developed, and developing states. Part I deal with theoretical and conceptual issues; Part II focus on emerging issues such as gender, environmental consciousness, economic growth and politics; and Part III gives a region and country focused analyses. Each chapter has an extensive bibliography, and there is a general index.

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In854

***The International Handbook of Sociology.* 2000.**

Provides an assessment of sociology in many of its specialized fields and represents the collaborative effort of an international group of sociologists. Includes chapters on conceptual perspectives, social and cultural differentiation, changing institutions and collective action, demography, cities and housing, art and leisure, and social problems. Includes name and subject index and bibliographical references.

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***Key Concepts in Social Research.* 2004.**

Offers focused and straightforward definitions of fifty key concepts in social research to assist the general student. Provides summary highlights of terms and ideas as well as cross-references. Each entry also includes key words, references, and examples.

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M228

***Macmillan Encyclopedia of Death and Dying.* 2003.**

This is volume 1 (A-K) of a two volume set discussing topics related to the process of death and dying. In addition to subjects directly related to death (autopsy, cemeteries, ghosts, etc.), the volume also covers topics about how people deal with death through different religions as well as various medical practices.

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***Modern American Communes: A Dictionary.* 2005.**

This dictionary focuses on communal and utopian studies, attracting students from a wide variety of disciplines including anthropology, history, politics, psychology and religion. Entries are both biographical and on various communities. Provides a selected bibliography and an appendix of locations and establishment dates of different organizations.

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N21922

***Nature: Critical Concepts in the Social Sciences.* 2005. 4 vols.**

The purpose of this source is to demonstrate the debates currently occurring in sociology on the subject of how natural factors affect social and cultural factors. Topics addressed include: nature and the social sciences; biology and the social realm; are humans unique; in search of 'human nature': sociobiology and its discontents. An introduction provides a historical context and an extensive index and chronological table of contents is also included.

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N42
2006

***A New Dictionary of the Social Sciences.* 2nd ed. 2007.**

An updated edition of 1967's *A Dictionary of Sociology*, this dictionary contains biographical entries and terms used by social scientists from a variety of disciplines. Entries vary in length; some provide usages and a more detailed history of the topic. All entries are authored and many include cross-references. There is no general bibliography, but many of the individual definitions contain suggestions for further reading.

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2005
- New Keywords: A Revised Vocabulary of Culture and Society.*** 2005.
- Updates Raymond Williams' ***Keywords: A Vocabulary of Culture and Society*** and defines 142 keywords individually and in phrases, depending on their current usage. Includes words that are important to multiple segments of society and describes the historical development of meanings of terms adopted by new users facing societal changes. This work, unlike Williams', was devised by a team of contributors from a variety of countries, giving the definitions an international scope. A lengthy list of references is included.
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- The Oxford Handbook of the Sociology of Religion.*** 2009.
- This handbook seeks to provide scholars with the opportunity to reflect critically on issues of the sociology of religion, introducing them to relevant but seldom researched issues and emergent issues in the discipline. The book is divided into 10 parts which are organized by subject matter. Also includes an index.
- 339.46097303
P869
- Poverty in the United States: An Encyclopedia of History, Politics, and Policy.*** 2004.
- This encyclopedia provides a view of poverty in the U.S. through the lenses of history and politics. The first portion of the encyclopedia contains articles, ordered chronologically, written by historians regarding the perception and changes in poverty throughout the history of the United States. The following entries, which are ordered alphabetically and which contain topical information about various political and social poverty movements, as well as other terminology used in regards to poverty throughout history. Evidence from primary documents and photos are included. Each volume contains a complete encyclopedia table of contents and volume two contains a detailed index.
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- Prisons and Prison Systems: A Global Encyclopedia.*** 2006.
- This comprehensive encyclopedia provides a historical overview and current research on all prison systems in the world. Entries are on important institutions, penal theories, prisoner culture and life, and notable prisoners and personnel and are extensively cross-referenced. Includes an alphabetical and topical list of entries and a chronology at the beginning, and a bibliography and index at the end. Includes various appendices on prison writing, prison museums, histories of prison and their prisoners, and much more.
- 364.03
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2005
- The Sage Dictionary of Criminology.*** 2005.
- This dictionary is a resource for students in the fields of criminology, criminal justice studies, the sociology of crime and deviance, police studies, socio-legal studies, social policy, criminal law and social work. Provides a definition for each entry, followed by a "distinctive features" section that is encyclopedic in style. Key readings sections at the end of each entry offer further guidance.
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- The Sage Dictionary of Cultural Studies.*** 2004.
- Cultural studies is "an interdisciplinary or post-disciplinary field of inquiry that explores the production and inculcation of culture or maps of meaning." Arranged alphabetically, the entries are topical and biographical in nature; topical entries introduce essential terminology while biographical entries introduce important individuals in the field. Each entry includes cross-references to relevant terms.

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B83s ***The Sage Dictionary of Sociology***. 2006.
- Contains over 1000 entries on notable theorists and terms in sociology and related disciplines. The entries are arranged alphabetically and many include cross-references. Terms or names within each definition that have their own entries in the dictionary are indicated in bold type. This source is largely intended for readers new to the field, but is appropriate for anyone seeking an accessible overview of one of the included topics. A bibliography suggests both contemporary and classic works for further reading.
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Se911 ***Sex and Sexuality***. 2006.
- The articles contained within this three volume set (*Sexuality Today: Trends and Controversies*; *Sexual Function and Dysfunction*; and *Sexual Deviation and Sexual Offenses*) investigate the roles of biological, sociocultural and psychological factors in human sexuality. Chapters provide detailed overviews of topics, including recent scholarship and trends, and conclude with bibliographies and avenues for further research. Each volume concludes with an index.
- 301.03
Su79 ***Survey of Social Science, Sociology Series***. 1994. 5 vols.
- This multi-volume encyclopedia of sociological terms and concepts is composed of long entries averaging six pages. Each of the more than three hundred articles provide an overview of the topic specifically designed for the non-specialist in the field, a list of key terms, explanatory text, and a bibliography. Articles are extensively cross-indexed and each volume includes an index.

REVIEWS

There are many literature and research reviews in sociology; the following titles are widely used.

- (online) ***Annual Review of Sociology***. 1975-.
<http://www.library.uiuc.edu/orr/results.php?resid=264>
- New developments in the field of sociology are discussed in essays covering broad subject areas.
- 301.15
Ad95 ***Advances in Experimental Social Psychology***. 1964-.
(reserves)
- Four or five articles in each annual volume examine in a compressed or distilled format the literature on a narrow field of research in experimental social psychology. Full citations of the numerous works discussed are given at the end of each article. Each volume has a subject index and a list of contents of earlier volumes.
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So13 ***Sociological Methodology***. 1969-.
(reserves)
(online) <http://www.library.uiuc.edu/orr/results.php?resid=7398>
- Collections of essays that summarize and evaluate recent advances in statistical and quantitative methods and introduce new results. The authors, who are sociologists, statisticians and economists, introduce materials and suggest new paradigms for established areas.

BOOK REVIEWS

(online)

American Journal of Sociology.

<http://www.library.uiuc.edu/orr/results.php?resid=558>

Published bimonthly by the University of Chicago Press, this source contains scholarly articles and numerous, detailed book reviews written by academics.

(online)

Contemporary Sociology: A Journal of Reviews..

<http://www.library.uiuc.edu/orr/results.php?resid=5284>

A bimonthly publication of the American Sociological Association, the issues generally include more than a dozen review essays and around 100 shorter reviews which are divided into nearly 30 subject categories. Includes an extensive listing of recent publications.

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Sociological Review. 1953-.

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This quarterly review journal, published by Blackwell for Keele University (England), contains in-depth, scholarly reviews of new books. Also contains articles on sociological topics and notes on new research.

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Advanced Research Methodology: An Annotated Guide to Sources. 1991.

Lists and describes over 2500 journal articles and books dealing with "every aspect of the research process from problem formulation to publication." Part I covers methods and procedures of conducting research; Part II examines psychometrics (theory, reliability, validity, selection and construction of instruments, and related issues); and Part III provides an overview of statistical analysis. Includes author and subject indexes

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Race and Crime: an Annotated Bibliography. 2000.

Provides a comprehensive list of citations on crime and race including books, articles, dissertations, government documents, and web sites. Section I highlights race-specific research; Section II addresses special issues; and Section III is a listing of web sites where government documents on crime and justice can be located. An author index and a subject index are included.

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