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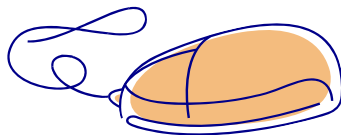
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- *American Antiquity* (NEARA Collection)
- *American Heritage*
- *Atlantic Monthly*
- *Historical New Hampshire*
- *Insight Into Diversity*
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- *New Hampshire Historical Society Newsletter*
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Electronic Resources

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eReference

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Sample titles:

- *The Blackwell Dictionary of Sociology*, 2000
- *Cambridge Handbook of Personal Relationships*, 2006
- *Cambridge Handbook of Sociocultural Psychology*, 2007
- *Culture Wars: An Encyclopedia of Issues, Viewpoints, and Voices*, 2010
- *Encyclopedia of Social and Cultural Anthropology*, 2010
- *Essentials of Global Politics*, 2006

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- *Encyclopedia of African-American Society*, 2005
- *Encyclopedia of the New American Nation*, 2006
- *Encyclopedia of Sociology*, 2001
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- *Europe 1789-1914: Encyclopedia of the Age of Industry and Empire*, 2006
- *Europe Since 1914: Encyclopedia of the Age of War and Reconstruction*, 2006
- *Presidents: A Reference History*, 2002
- *Social Change in America: The Historical Handbook*, 2006
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- *Blackwell Companion to Social Theory* by Turner, 2000
- *Cultural Diversity and the U.S. Media* by Kamalipour and Carilli, 1998
- *Encyclopedia of American Indian Contributions to the World: 15,000 Years of Inventions and Innovations* by Keoke and Porterfield, 2002
- *Missing Persons: A Critique of the Social Sciences* by Douglas and Ney, 1998

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- *Complexity Theory and the Social Sciences: An Introduction* by Byrne, 1998
- *Political Economy of Nature: Environmental Debates and the Social Sciences* by Boardman, 2000
- *Risk Culture: Performance and Danger in Early America* by Fichtelberg, 2010
- *Salsa Dancing into the Social Sciences: Research in an Age of Info-Glut* by Luker, 2008

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EBSCOHost Provides online access to articles, e-books, and reference books. Create your personal MyEBSCOhost account to save and organize your research with folders, save preferences, save and retrieve search history.

Sample titles:

- *American Historical Review*
- *American History*
- *American Indian Quarterly*
- *Global Networks*
- *Journal of American History*
- *Journal of Social History*
- *Social Forces*
- *Social Work*

JSTOR Contains more than a thousand academic journals and over 1 million images, letters, and other primary sources. Main focus is arts and humanities. Register a MyJSTOR account in order to save, email and export citations.

Sample titles:

- *American Anthropologist*
- *American Ethnologist*
- *The American Political Science Review*
- *Annual Review of Anthropology*
- *Annual Review of Sociology*
- *The British Journal of Sociology*
- *Comparative Studies in Society and History*
- *Cultural Anthropology*
- *The English Historical Review*
- *Man*
- *Population and Development Review*

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Sample titles:

- *American Sociological Review*
- *Current History*
- *Environmental History*
- *Foreign Affairs*
- *Geographical Review*
- *Journal of Marriage and Family*
- *Sociology of Education*

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American Historical Newspapers allows users to search hundreds of U.S. historical newspapers published between 1690 and 1922, including titles from all 50 states. Find news articles covering topics in American history including government, politics, social issues, culture, discoveries, and inventions from hundreds of primary sources. Search using either the timeline or topic search to easily find news and eyewitness accounts and pro/con articles of events, issues and daily life.

Criminal Justice Abstracts with Full Text™ Subject areas covered include: criminology; criminal justice; criminal law and procedure; corrections and prisons; police and policing; criminal investigation; forensic sciences and investigation; history of crime; substance abuse and addiction; probation and parole.

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- 2,500 company SWOT analyses
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- Economic and demographic indicators for over 200 countries

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The Oxford English Dictionary (OED) is widely regarded as the accepted authority on the English language. The guide to the meaning, history, and pronunciation — past and present—from the English-speaking world.

Salem Press History is a robust online database that includes the complete content of printed reference sets.

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- *The Decades* - Salem's critically acclaimed American history series
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Internet Resources

AgeSource / AgeStats Worldwide www.aarpinternational.org/database/

These two databases have been created by AARP to facilitate the international exchange of policy and program-relevant information in aging. *AgeSource Worldwide* identifies several hundred information resources in some 25 countries which are significant either in size or in their unique coverage of particular aging-related issues. *AgeStats Worldwide* provides access to comparative statistical data that compare the situation of older adults across countries or regions around a variety of issues areas. The most recent data and projections as far ahead as 2050 are provided where available. You may search either or both databases.

Bureau of Indian Affairs www.bia.gov

Indian Affairs (IA) is the oldest bureau of the United States Department of the Interior. Provides services to American Indians and Alaska Natives. BIA is responsible for the administration and management of 55 million surface acres and 57 million acres of subsurface minerals estates held in trust by the United States for American Indian, Indian tribes, and Alaska Natives.

Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) www.bls.gov

Statistics about the US labor force.

Center for Constitutional Rights www.ccrjustice.org

Advances and protects the rights guaranteed by the *United States Constitution* and the *Universal Declaration of Human Rights*. Cases include illegal detentions, Guantanamo, surveillance and attacks on dissent, criminal justice and mass incarceration, corporate human rights abuse, government abuse of power, racial/gender/economic justice, and international law and accountability.

New Hampshire Historical Society www.nhhistory.org

Preserves the state's past. Nowhere will you find a more extensive collection of objects and archives related to New Hampshire's history.

Social Science Virtual Library www.vl-site.org/sciences/

Includes a large selection of general and specific categories, including academic disciplines.

Socioweb www.socioweb.com

"Your Independent Guide to Sociological Resources on the Internet."

United Nations www.un.org/en/

The United Nations is an international organization founded in 1945 after the Second World War by 51 countries committed to maintaining international peace and security, developing friendly relations among nations and promoting social progress, better living standards and human rights.

USA.gov www.usa.gov

As the U.S. government's official web portal, USA.gov makes it easy for the public to get U.S. government information and services on the web.

World Health Organization www.who.int/en/

WHO is the directing and coordinating authority for health within the United Nations system. It is responsible for providing leadership on global health matters.

Associations

- **Social Science Research Council**, www.ssrc.org Leader in international social research.
- **American Anthropological Association** www.aaanet.org (AAA) is the world's largest organization of individuals interested in anthropology
- **American Economic Association** www.rfe.org Encourages economic research, especially the historical and statistical study of the actual conditions of industrial life.
- **American Historical Association** www.historians.org The American Historical Association (AHA) was founded in 1884 to serve the broad field of history. It encompasses every historical period and geographical area and serves professional historians in all areas.
- **American Sociological Association** www.asanet.org The American Sociological Association (ASA), founded in 1905, is a non-profit membership association dedicated to advancing sociology as a scientific discipline and profession serving the public good.
- **American Political Science Association** www.apsanet.org The leading professional organization for the study of political science.
- **National Congress of American Indians** www.ncai.org Founded in 1944, is the oldest, largest and most representative American Indian and Alaska Native organization serving the broad interests of tribal governments and communities.

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