

ISI's Web of Science

A Brief Introduction

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The SSCI is useful for

finding relevant literature

identifying the leading figures in a field

comparing the research output and impact of universities, departments, individuals

detecting the relevant journals for a particular field

distinguishing the leading journals in a discipline

How to access the Database

<http://libwww.essex.ac.uk/databases.htm#W>

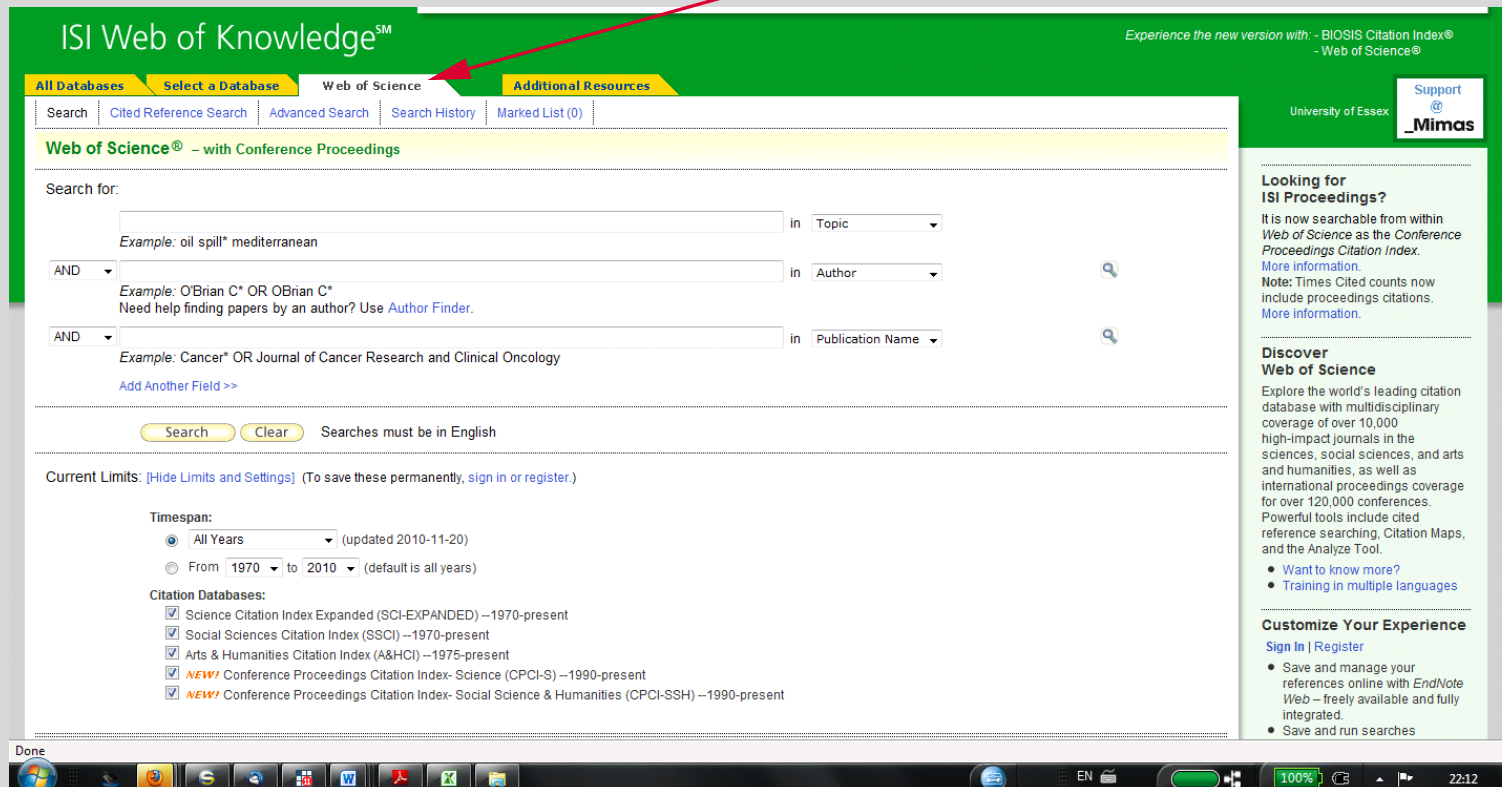
click: Web of Science

you need your Essex account name and your current password

The Entry Page

The screenshot shows the ISI Web of Knowledge search page. At the top, there is a green header with the logo and navigation tabs for 'All Databases', 'Select a Database', 'Web of Science', and 'Additional Resources'. Below the header, there are search history links and a search input area. The main search section is titled 'ALL DATABASES' and contains three search fields with dropdown menus for 'Topic', 'Author', and 'Publication Name'. Each field has an example search term and a magnifying glass icon. Below the search fields are 'Search' and 'Clear' buttons, and a note that searches must be in English. A 'Limit to:' dropdown is set to 'All Years'. At the bottom, there are language options (Simplified Chinese, English, Japanese), a feedback link, an acceptable use policy link, and the Thomson Reuters logo. On the right side, there is a sidebar with sections for 'Discover ISI Web of Knowledge', 'Customize Your Experience' (with links for Sign In and Register), 'My ResearcherID', and 'Further Information'. The Windows taskbar is visible at the bottom of the browser window.

go to **Web of Science**



Looks very similar, but has far more (and better) options.

Cited Reference Search, Advanced Search, 13 rather than 6 search categories

Main Options

You can simultaneously search into 5 databases. However, all political scientists usually need is in the

[Social Science Citation Index.](#)

One can also limit the search to relevant years.

Simple Stuff

You can directly search for:

Topic

Title

Author

Group Author

Editor

Publication Name

Year Published

Address

Conference

Language

Document Type

Funding Agency

Grant Number

A first Example: Search for all Publications by Sanders D in the SSCI:

The screenshot shows the ISI Web of Knowledge search interface. The search field for Author is highlighted with a red circle and contains the text "sanders d". The interface includes navigation tabs, search options, and a list of citation databases.

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All Databases | Select a Database | Web of Science | Additional Resources

Search | Cited Reference Search | Advanced Search | Search History | Marked List (0)

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Search for:

Example: oil spill mediterranean in Topic

AND sanders d in Author

Example: O'Brien C* OR OBrian C*
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AND Example: Cancer* OR Journal of Cancer Research and Clinical Oncology in Publication Name

Add Another Field >>

Search Clear Searches must be in English

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Timespan:

All Years (updated 2010-11-26)

From 1970 to 2010 (default is all years)

Citation Databases:

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NOTE: It is usually better to search for “Sanders D*” instead of “Sanders D” especially if you search for publications by an American.

You get 137 hits from different scholars called Sanders D’s.

You get 216 hits for Sanders D*.

Search Results are in Reversed Chronological Order

The screenshot displays the ISI Web of Knowledge interface. At the top, the logo "ISI Web of Knowledge" is visible, along with navigation links for "All Databases", "Select a Database", "Web of Science", and "Additional Resources". The search criteria are "Author=(sanders d)", "Timespan=All Years", and "Databases=SSCI". The results are sorted by "Latest Date" and show 137 results. The first three results are:

- Title:** Jigsaw: Engaging communities in the development and implementation of youth mental health services and supports in the Republic of Ireland
Author(s): Illback RJ, Bates T, Hodges C, et al.
Source: JOURNAL OF MENTAL HEALTH Volume: 19 Issue: 5 Pages: 422-435 Published: OCT 2010
Times Cited: 0
- Title:** Government Performance and Life Satisfaction in Contemporary Britain
Author(s): Whiteley P, Clarke HD, Sanders D, et al.
Source: JOURNAL OF POLITICS Volume: 72 Issue: 3 Pages: 733-746 Published: JUL 2010
Times Cited: 0
- Title:** What is the way forward for health in Zimbabwe?
Author(s): Todd C, Ray S, Madzimbamuto F, et al.
Source: LANCET Volume: 375 Issue: 9714 Pages: 606-609 Published: FEB 13 2010
Times Cited: 2

The interface includes a "Refine Results" sidebar on the left with sections for "Subject Areas" and "Document Types". The "Subject Areas" section lists categories like "POLITICAL SCIENCE (44)", "MEDICINE, GENERAL & INTERNAL (13)", "HEALTH POLICY & SERVICES (12)", "PUBLIC, ENVIRONMENTAL & OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH (12)", and "HEALTH CARE SCIENCES & SERVICES (9)". The "Document Types" section lists "ARTICLE (92)", "BOOK REVIEW (10)", "EDITORIAL MATERIAL (9)", "MEETING ABSTRACT (9)", and "LETTER (7)".

Given that Results differ much: How can we get what we want?

First: Refine subjects to Political Science. (Note: this excludes all hits of your Sanders D in non-political science journals.)

Second: Add address field in search: **Essex** OR

Third: Add address field in search: **Essex AND Govt**

Note that some scholars have had a far less uni-institutional career as Sanders D from Essex.

In these cases, you can search for **Essex OR Oxford**

Strategy 1 gives 44 hits. (including a book review written by a Sanders D from King's college, two letter in New Society on Working Mothers and Social-Work Strike and a letter to Harper's Magazine. the letter to Harper's suggests that '*there are smiles*').

Strategy 2 gives 40 hits.

Strategy 3 gives 23 hits. (this is because in the early days of the SSCI scholars did not care to give their affiliation in detail).

Eliminating Results of dubious Scholarly Interest (such as letters): The **refine results** option

Refine results: Document types.

Keep: **Articles** and **Proceedings Papers**.

The latter is important because Proceedings Papers includes all articles that have been presented on a conference before publication.

A second Example: Literature Review

for a literature review, the most important distinction is between

topic and **title**.

Hits for title are a subset of hits for topic. Thus, whether you use topic or title depends on whether you are interested in a narrow or a broad literature review and whether you work in a field in which there are a little or a lot of publications.

Assume we are interested in legislative response to terrorism. We could search:

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Search for:

terrorism AND legislative response in Topic
Example: oil spill mediterranean*

AND in Author
Example: O'Brian C OR O'Brian C**
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AND in Publication Name
Example: Cancer OR Journal of Cancer Research and Clinical Oncology*

[Add Another Field >>](#)

Searches must be in English

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A Better Solution

1. Search for

Terrorism

2. Search for

Regulatory Reform

3. Search for

Political Reform

then go to [ADVANCED SEARCH](#)

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in Topic

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Advanced Search. Use 2-character tags, Boolean operators, parentheses, and set references to create your query. Results appear in the Search History at the bottom of the page.

Example: TS=(nanotub* SAME carbon) NOT AU=Smalley RE
#1 NOT #2 [more examples](#) | [view the tutorial](#)

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Restrict results by any or all of the options below:

Field Tags	Booleans
TS=Topic	AND
TI=Title	OR
AU=Author	NOT
GP=Group Author	SAME
ED=Editor	
SO=Publication Name	
PY=Year Published	
CF=Conference	
AD=Address	
OG=Organization	
SG=Suborganization	
SA=Street Address	
CI=City	
PS=Province/State	
CU=Country	
ZP=Zip/Postal Code	
FO=Funding Agency	
FG=Grant Number	
FT=Funding Text	

All languages	All document types
English	Article
Afrikaans	Art Exhibit Review
Arabic	Bibliography

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Scroll Down to see your Previous Searches

Restrict results by any or all of the options below:

All languages	All document types
English	Article
Afrikaans	Art Exhibit Review
Arabic	Bibliography

Search History

Set	Results		Combine Sets	Delete Sets
# 7	1,218	Topic=(regulatory reform) <i>Databases=SSCI Timespan=All Years</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
# 6	871	Topic=(legislative reform) <i>Databases=SSCI Timespan=All Years</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
# 5	871	Topic=(legislative reform) <i>Databases=SSCI Timespan=All Years</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
# 4	6,206	Topic=(terrorism) <i>Databases=SSCI Timespan=All Years</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
# 3	4	Topic=(terrorism AND legislative response) <i>Databases=SSCI Timespan=All Years</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
# 2	4	Topic=(terrorism AND legislative response) <i>Databases=SSCI Timespan=All Years</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
# 1	0	Topic=(terrorism AND "legislative response") <i>Databases=SSCI Timespan=All Years</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>


Save History / Create Alert Open Saved History

Combine Sets: AND OR Delete Sets:


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and if you scroll down you find all (or most) your previous searches.

The **Text Field** allows combined searches

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Example: TS=(nanotub* SAME carbon) NOT AU=Smalley RE
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#6 AND #7

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Restrict results by any or all of the options below:

All languages	All document types
English	Article
Afrikaans	Art Exhibit Review
Arabic	Bibliography

Search History

Set	Results
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Save History / Create Alert Open Saved History

Combine Sets Delete Sets
 AND OR [Select All](#)

#6 OR #7 combines the searches for **regulatory reforms** and **legislative reform**.

note that the numbers depend on your previous searches!

Now combine this combination with the results for **terrorism** and you get 2 hits.

Assume you are working in a broad field...

For example, if we search for **TS=Election And TS=Abstention in Advanced Search**

We get 51 hits.

How can we identify the important ones?

You could read them all and make up your mind.

You could have a look into various textbooks and figure out what articles the authors discuss.

Or you could create a citation reports in the SSCI.

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Results TS=election AND TS=abstention
Timespan=All Years. Databases=SSCI

Results: **51** Page 1 of 6 Go

Sort by: Latest Date

Print | E-mail | Add to Marked List | Save to EndNote Web | Save to EndNote, RefMan, ProCite | more options

Analyze Results
Create Citation Report

Hide Refine

Refine Results

Search within results for
 Search

Subject Areas Refine

- POLITICAL SCIENCE (37)
- ECONOMICS (10)
- SOCIAL SCIENCES, MATHEMATICAL METHODS (3)
- SOCIAL ISSUES (2)
- SOCIOLOGY (2)
- [more options / values...](#)

Document Types Refine

- ARTICLE (43)
- PROCEEDINGS PAPER (8)
- [more options / values...](#)

- ▶ **Authors**
- ▶ **Source Titles**
- ▶ **Publication Years**
- ▶ **Conference Titles**

1. Title: [A Psychologically Based Model of Voter Turnout](#)
Author(s): Li M, Majumdar D
Source: JOURNAL OF PUBLIC ECONOMIC THEORY Volume: 12 Issue: 5 Pages: 979-1002 Published: OCT 2010
Times Cited: 0
[WebBridge](#)
2. Title: [An Experiment Testing the Relative Effectiveness of Encouraging Voter Participation by Inducing Feelings of Pride or Shame](#)
Author(s): Gerber AS, Green DP, Larimer CW
Source: POLITICAL BEHAVIOR Volume: 32 Issue: 3 Pages: 409-422 Published: SEP 2010
Times Cited: 2
[WebBridge](#)
3. Title: [Revisiting the Divisive Primary Hypothesis: 2008 and the Clinton-Obama Nomination Battle](#)
Author(s): Makse T, Sokhey AE
Source: AMERICAN POLITICS RESEARCH Volume: 38 Issue: 2 Special Issue: Sp. Iss. SI Pages: 233-265 Published: MAR 2010
Times Cited: 0
[WebBridge](#)
4. Title: [The Effect of the Size of Voting Blocs on Incumbents' Roll-Call Voting and the Asymmetric Polarization of Congress](#)
Author(s): Butler DM
Source: LEGISLATIVE STUDIES QUARTERLY Volume: 34 Issue: 3 Pages: 297-318 Published: AUG 2009
Times Cited: 0
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We get all 51 hits sorted according to how often they have been cited in the past.

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Citation Report TS=election AND TS=abstention
Timespan=All Years, Databases=SSCI

This report reflects citations to source items indexed within Web of Science. Perform a Cited Reference Search to include citations to items not indexed within Web of Science.

Published Items in Each Year

Citations in Each Year

Results found: 51

Sum of the Times Cited [?]: 269
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Average Citations per Item [?]: 5.27

h-index [?]: 9

Results: 51 Page 1 of 6 Go Sort by: Times Cited

Use the checkboxes to remove individual items from this Citation Report or restrict to items processed between 1970 and 2010 Go

	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	Total	Average Citations per Year
<input type="checkbox"/>	28	46	28	30	0	269	14.16
<input type="checkbox"/> 1. Title: The vote-stealing and turnout effects of Ross Perot in the 1992 US presidential election Author(s): Lacy D, Burden BC Source: AMERICAN JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 43 Issue: 1 Pages: 233-255 Published: JAN 1999	6	5	3	2	0	40	3.08
<input type="checkbox"/> 2. Title: Abstention in elections with asymmetric information and diverse preferences Author(s): Feddersen TJ, Pesendorfer W Source: AMERICAN POLITICAL SCIENCE REVIEW Volume: 93 Issue: 2 Pages: 381-398 Published: JUN 1999	4	4	6	5	0	30	2.50
<input type="checkbox"/> 3. Title: Voter turnout and candidate strategies in American elections Author(s): Adams J, Merrill S Conference Information: Meeting of the Public-Choice-Society, MAR 10-12, 2000 CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA Source: JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 65 Issue: 1 Pages: 161-189 Published: FEB 2003	1	4	2	1	0	18	2.25

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The citation report gives you the relevant journal articles (not books) in the field.

Note that one cannot expect that a 3 year old article has more than 5 cites.

The citation report option can also be used to identify the character of journals. For example, the British Journal of Political Science describes itself as general journal. This means it has thematic restrictions but in principle accepts manuscripts from all areas of political science. However, let's look which type of articles published in the BJPS really get cited.

Search:

Publication Name: British Journal of Political Science

Year: 2000-2010

Hits: 404

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<input type="checkbox"/>	1.	Title: Considered opinions: Deliberative polling in Britain Author(s): Luskin RC, Fishkin JS, Jowell R Source: BRITISH JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 32 Pages: 455-487 Part: Part 3 Published: JUL 2002	12	10	17	16	0	72	8.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	2.	Title: The past in the present: A cleavage theory of party response to European integration Author(s): Marks G, Wilson CJ Source: BRITISH JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 30 Pages: 433-459 Part: Part 3 Published: JUL 2000	15	6	3	9	0	66	6.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	3.	Title: Sources of corruption: A cross-country study Author(s): Montinola GR, Jackman RW Source: BRITISH JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 32 Pages: 147-170 Part: Part 1 Published: JAN 2002	9	8	4	14	0	50	5.56
<input type="checkbox"/>	4.	Title: A new approach for modelling strategic voting in multiparty elections Author(s): Alvarez RM, Nagler J Conference Information: Annual Meeting of the Midwest-Political-Science-Association, APR 10-12, 1997 CHICAGO, ILLINOIS Source: BRITISH JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 30 Pages: 57-75 Part: Part 1 Published: JAN 2000	3	4	11	4	0	46	4.18
<input type="checkbox"/>	5.	Title: Social choice theory and deliberative democracy: A reconciliation Author(s): Dryzek JS, List C Conference Information: Annual Meeting of the American-Political-Science-Association, AUG 31-SEP 03, 2000 WASHINGTON, D.C. Source: BRITISH JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 33 Pages: 1-28 Part: Part 1 Published: JAN 2003	4	7	8	11	0	45	5.62
<input type="checkbox"/>	6.	Title: Constitutional agenda-setting through discretion in rule interpretation: Why the European Parliament won at Amsterdam Author(s): Hix S Source: BRITISH JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 32 Pages: 259-280 Part: Part 2 Published: APR 2002	9	7	1	1	0	42	4.67
<input type="checkbox"/>	7.	Title: Power to the parties: Cohesion and competition in the European Parliament, 1979-2001 Author(s): Hix S, Noury A, Roland G Source: BRITISH JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 35 Pages: 209-234 Part: Part 2 Published: APR 2005	7	9	10	8	0	40	6.67
<input type="checkbox"/>	8.	Title: Review article: Understanding the regulatory state Author(s): Moran M Source: BRITISH JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 32 Pages: 391-413 Part: Part 2 Published: APR 2002	9	5	8	7	0	40	4.44
<input type="checkbox"/>	9.	Title: Political institutions and corruption: The role of unitarism and parliamentarism Author(s): Gerring J, Thacker SC Conference Information: 97th Annual Meeting of the American-Political-Science-Association, AUG 30-SEP 02, 2001 SAN FRANCISCO, CA Source: BRITISH JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 34 Pages: 295-330 Part: Part 2 Published: APR 2004	8	7	8	8	0	38	5.43
<input type="checkbox"/>	10.	Title: The deliberative potential of political discussion Author(s): Conover PJ, Searing DD, Crewe IM Conference Information: Annual Meeting of the Midwest-Political-Science-Association, APR 23-25, 1998 CHICAGO, ILLINOIS Source: BRITISH JOURNAL OF POLITICAL SCIENCE Volume: 32 Pages: 21-62 Part: Part 1 Published: JAN 2002	2	4	10	7	0	37	4.11

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Compare this to a specialized field journal (i.e. Electoral Studies)

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	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	Total	Average Citations per Year
	279	399	463	500	0	2,226	202.36
<input type="checkbox"/> 1. Title: Economic voting: an introduction Author(s): Lewis-Beck MS, Paldam M Source: ELECTORAL STUDIES Volume: 19 Issue: 2-3 Pages: 113-121 Published: JUN-SEP 2000	6	8	11	14	0	79	7.18
<input type="checkbox"/> 2. Title: Economic voting and political context: a comparative perspective Author(s): Anderson CJ Conference Information: Conference on Economic Voting, AUG, 1998 SANDJBERG, DENMARK Source: ELECTORAL STUDIES Volume: 19 Issue: 2-3 Pages: 151-170 Published: JUN-SEP 2000	5	11	5	11	0	63	5.73
<input type="checkbox"/> 3. Title: Democratic electoral systems around the world, 1946-2000 Author(s): Golder M Source: ELECTORAL STUDIES Volume: 24 Issue: 1 Pages: 103-121 Published: MAR 2005	6	8	19	17	0	53	8.83
<input type="checkbox"/> 4. Title: Contamination effects and the number of parties in mixed-superposition electoral systems Author(s): Herron ES, Nishikawa M Source: ELECTORAL STUDIES Volume: 20 Issue: 1 Pages: 63-86 Published: MAR 2001	4	8	5	2	0	39	3.55
<input type="checkbox"/> 5. Title: Economics of voting in post-communist countries Author(s): Fidrmuc J Conference Information: Conference on Economic Voting, AUG, 1998 SANDJBERG, DENMARK Source: ELECTORAL STUDIES Volume: 19 Issue: 2-3 Pages: 199-217 Published: JUN-SEP 2000	3	7	2	5	0	34	3.09
<input type="checkbox"/> 6. Title: Explaining voter turnout: A review of aggregate-level research Author(s): Geys B Source: ELECTORAL STUDIES Volume: 25 Issue: 4 Pages: 637-663 Published: DEC 2006	1	10	7	15	0	33	6.60
<input type="checkbox"/> 7. Title: Multinomial probit and multinomial logit: a comparison of choice models for voting research Author(s): Dow JK, Endersby JW Source: ELECTORAL STUDIES Volume: 23 Issue: 1 Pages: 107-122 Published: MAR 2004	9	6	5	6	0	32	4.57
<input type="checkbox"/> 8. Title: The real economy and the perceived economy in popularity functions: how much do voters need to know? A study of British data, 1974-97 Author(s): Sanders D Source: ELECTORAL STUDIES Volume: 19 Issue: 2-3 Pages: 275-294 Published: JUN-SEP 2000	4	2	3	4	0	31	2.82
<input type="checkbox"/> 9. Title: Crossvalidating data on party positioning on European integration Author(s): Marks G, Hooghe L, Steenbergen MR, et al. Source: ELECTORAL STUDIES Volume: 26 Issue: 1 Pages: 23-38 Published: MAR 2007	5	8	8	8	0	29	7.25
<input type="checkbox"/> 10. Title: Measuring the relative impact of issues and the economy in democratic elections Author(s): Alvarez RM, Nagler J, Willette JR Conference Information: Conference on Economic Voting, AUG, 1998 SANDJBERG, DENMARK	1	4	4	4	0	28	2.55

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and you notice significant differences.

Exporting SSCI Hits to Endnote Web and to Excel/Stata

assume you have a list of hits and want to export it...

turn it into a **marked list**

- 1. scroll down the page to output record**
- 2. select the record you intend to export (i.e. 1 to 150)**

note that only 500 record can be exported at a time

- 3. save directly to endnote web (you need to have an account), or**
- 4. save to other software (tab-delimited Win), or**
- 5. save to marked list (if you do so, you get more and better options)**

In the top menu, **marked list** is highlighted, go there

The screenshot shows the ISI Web of Knowledge interface. At the top, there are browser tabs for 'Kongo: Abermals Massengewalt...', 'Online_Application_2011-2012.pdf (...)', 'ISI Web of Knowledge [v.4.10] - ...', and 'Gold Awards: Electric Guitars | Guita...'. The main header is green with 'ISI Web of KnowledgeSM' and 'Experience the new version with: - E - V'. Below the header is a navigation bar with 'All Databases', 'Select a Database', 'Web of Science', and 'Additional Resources'. Under 'Web of Science', 'Marked List (53)' is highlighted. The main content area shows 'Web of Science® - with Conference Proceedings' and 'Results Author=(plumper t) Timespan=All Years. Databases=SCI-EXPANDED, SSCI, A&HCI, CPCI-S, CPCI-SSH.' There is a 'View Distinct Author Sets for plumper t' section. Below that, it says 'Results: 53' and 'Page 1 of 6'. A 'Refine Results' sidebar is on the left with 'Subject Areas' like 'POLITICAL SCIENCE (40)', 'INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS (8)', 'ECONOMICS (5)', and 'PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION (5)'. The main results list shows two items: 1. 'Galton's Problem and Contagion in International Terrorism along Civilizational Lines' by Neumayer E, Plumper T, published in 'CONFLICT MANAGEMENT AND PEACE SCIENCE' Volume 27 Issue 4 Pages 308-325 SEP 2010. 2. 'The Level of Democracy during Interregnum Periods: Recoding the polity2 Score' by Plumper T, Neumayer E.

and you get a menu that gives you a selection of information you may want to export.

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Step 1. Select the fields to include in the output.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Author(s) / Editor(s>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Title	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Source	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Conference info
<input type="checkbox"/> abstract*	<input type="checkbox"/> cited references*	<input type="checkbox"/> document type	<input type="checkbox"/> conference sponsors
<input type="checkbox"/> addresses	<input type="checkbox"/> times cited	<input type="checkbox"/> keywords	<input type="checkbox"/> publisher information
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ISSN / ISBN	<input type="checkbox"/> cited reference count	<input type="checkbox"/> source abbrev.	<input type="checkbox"/> page count
<input type="checkbox"/> IDS number	<input type="checkbox"/> language	<input type="checkbox"/> subject category	<input type="checkbox"/> funding information

*Selecting these items will increase the processing time.

Step 2. Select an option.

Field Tagged <input type="button" value="Format for Print"/>	E-mail records to: <input type="text"/> Return e-mail (optional): <input type="text"/> Notes (optional): <input type="text"/>
<input type="button" value="Save to My EndNote Web"/>	
<input type="button" value="Save to EndNote, RefMan, ProCite"/>	
Other Reference Software <input type="button" value="Save to File"/>	Plain Text <input type="button" value="E-mail"/>

Automatically delete selected records from the Marked List after output is complete.

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I prefer to export tab-delimited Windows

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