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# Creating Online Subject Guides Using LibGuides

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# Creating Subject Guides Using LibGuides at ECU

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<http://libguides.eku.edu/>

## Benefits:

- Relatively simple way to create, edit, and present visually pleasing subject guides.
- Remotely hosted - can be used as portal to access resources when campus website is down.
- Includes usage statistics, polls, and other venues for user feedback.
- Reasonably priced.
- Can integrate into existing website search boxes (see <http://www.library.eku.edu/new/index.php>):



Ask Us! Hours

EKU Libraries Home » LibGuides@EKU Home

Welcome to LibGuides@EKU

Generates a subject list.

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This guide will help you find resources related to Physics & Astronomy.

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- Articles
- Books**
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ISBN/ISSN: 0801885922




**Catalog Information**

New physics for the twenty-first century

Call Number: QC7.5 .N49 2006  
ISBN/ISSN: 0521816009

Topics in Atomic

**Finding Books @ EKU Libraries**



**Embedded book search**

Search the Library Catalog (eQuest):

Search the Catalog  Any word anywhere  Search

You can also:

- Browse titles in our catalog relating to Physics & Astronomy
- Recommend a book for purchase

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**Canned book search**

**Online Encyclopedias and Dictionaries**

Are you looking for a definition of a concept, a term, or a physics law? Encyclopedias and dictionaries are good sources for this type of background information. You can search these resources from anywhere - just login using your eKey.

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- Encyclopedia Americana ★★★★★
- The New Book of Knowledge ★★★★★
- The Gale Encyclopedia of Science 2006 ★★★★★
- A Dictionary of Physics ★★★★★
- A Dictionary of Astronomy ★★★★★

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Kelly Smith

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## Library Locations and Collections

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- [Send an email](#) (will launch your email program)
- Call us at (859) 622-1790
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- [Library Liaisons by Department](#)
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### Library Locations

The Main Library comprises the Main Collection, including Periodicals and Reference, and the [Documents Collection](#), [Law Library](#), [Learning Resource Center](#), and the [University Archives](#).

Book locations in the Main Library:

- A - D: 3rd Floor, Room 303
- E - HM: 4th Floor, Room 412
- HN - LA: 4th Floor, Room 414
- LB - PN 3171: 4th Floor, Room 402B
- PN 3172 - PS 3499: 4th Floor, Room 402A
- PS 3500 - Z: 4th Floor, Room 401

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### EKU Libraries



Main Library

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<http://libguides.eku.edu/collections>



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**Archives - Page**  
*(opens in separate page)*

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[University Records](#)
[EKU Digital Resources](#)
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**Purpose**

The mission of the Eastern Kentucky University Archives is to collect, organize, preserve permanently, and make accessible for teaching and research purposes selected publications, manuscripts and institutional records of continuing and enduring historical or legal value.

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**Research Tools**

- [Research Request Form](#)  
 ☆☆☆☆☆  
 This form is required for EKU Archives research requests.

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**Finds of the Month**


Each month we will highlight a new find in the collections of the University Archives.

- [August 2008](#) ☆☆☆☆☆  
 Maude Gibson Paintings
- [July 2008](#) ☆☆☆☆☆  
 The Holmes Book
- [June 2008](#) ☆☆☆☆☆  
 Morris Garrett Eastern Photos
- [May 2008](#) ☆☆☆☆☆  
 Walter J. Bieder WWI Photos

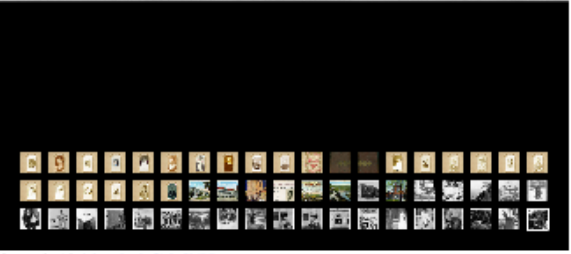
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**EKU Archives Web Pages**

- [EKU Archives](#)
- [Family History LibGuide](#)

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**Hours**

**Fall Hours**

Monday - Thursday  
 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.  
 Friday  
 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**CLOSED**  
 Saturdays, Sundays

**Holiday Hours**  
 For holiday hours please check the [Main Library website](#)

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**Visitor Parking**

Visitor parking on campus is restricted and requires a parking permit. For information please call (859-622-1063) or visit the [Parking Office web page](#).

<http://libguides.eku.edu/archives>

**Contact Us**

Location--3rd Floor  
Main Library

Phone--(859) 622-1794

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**Schedule an Appointment**

Research Appointment -  
[Cindy.Judd@eku.edu](mailto:Cindy.Judd@eku.edu)

Library Instruction -  
[Cindy.Judd@eku.edu](mailto:Cindy.Judd@eku.edu)

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**Praxis Exam**

The *LearningExpress Library* has practice tests for the **Praxis I and II exams**, including the **Early Childhood Education, Elementary Education, and Middle School Education Content Knowledge tests**. You will need to set up an account to access the exams, but registration is free. You will be provided with immediate scoring, complete answer explanations, and an individualized analysis of your results upon completion of the practice tests.

- Learning Express Library--Praxis Exam practice

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**Our Collection**

Located on the third floor of Crabbe Library, the Learning Resources Center houses a collection of materials that support the College of Education's teacher education programs. Our collection includes both materials appropriate for use in a P-12 classroom and professional resources for P-12 teachers. We provide reference and instruction for students and faculty in the College of Education.

**Youth Collection**

The LRC's Youth Collection contains books and audiovisual materials appropriate for students in grades P-12. We have a large collection of current and classic youth literature, including picture books, chapter books, nonfiction, poetry, and folktales. Our A/V collections consists of videos, books on tape, books on CD, and playaways.

**Professional Collection**

Professional materials for teachers are housed in the Professional Collection, which is organized with a section for each curriculum area. Within each area you'll find professional books (idea books, lesson planning guides, and books that discuss the latest trends in education and teaching methods), textbooks, and A/V materials (videos, kits, games, posters, puzzles, puppets, and more). We also have a collection of educational software programs which are loaded on the LRC's computers for you to preview.

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**Education Resources**

**Education LibGuides**

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Visit the following Guides:

**Counseling and Educational Psychology**  
A guide to resources for counseling and educational psychology.  
*Last Update on 09-19-2008 by Cindy Judd*

**Education**  
This guide includes resources for courses in the College of Education. These are broad education resources that may use the elementary and secondary levels and may cover several different curriculum areas.  
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**Educational Leadership and Policy Studies**  
E.L.D. students as well as relating to leadership and

Search the Library Catalog - enter your query here [Go](#)

**Branch Library - Tab**  
*(Included on Collections Page)*



Cindy Judd

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If I am offline, try EKU Libraries' chat service below

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edit nick: [meeboguest861](#)

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Online Chat / Networks:

<http://libguides.eku.edu/content.php?pid=9526&sid=66655>

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# KLA Poster Session Tags:

Example for KLA Presentation with Cristina

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Home add/edit

Home Page Comments (0) Page Options

Add new Side Box

Add new Box

### Add New Content Box

For best results, please keep the title shorter than 90 characters.

**The Basics**

Box Title:  Position:

**Type of Content Inside the Box**

Create a new box  
 Link to another box in the system  
 Copy another box from the system

**Rich Text/Dynamic Content/Scripts**

- Simple Web Links
- Links and Lists
- RSS Feed
- Podcast Feed
- Embedded Video
- Delicious Tag Cloud
- Books from the Catalog
- Documents & Files
- Dates & Events
- Interactive Poll
- User Link Submission
- Remote Script Box
- Google Web Search Box
- Google Books Search Box
- Feedback Box


Rich Text/Dynamic Content/Scripts is the most versatile box type, for any type of formatted text (including html), links, or dynamic javascript code. You can also embed custom scripts, iFrame, etc. Keep in mind that any box type also has this functionality

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Add new Side Box



# System Administration

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## Hello Cristina, Welcome to LibGuides@EKU!

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### Support Announcements

The latest entries from our support blog



### Create New Guide / Edit Guide

Select a guide or page to edit ▾

Create a new guide (watch this [how-to video](#) first) or work on an existing one

#### System-wide Settings

[Customize Homepage](#)

[Subject Categories](#)

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### Admin Toolbox

A collection of handy scripts for the system admins

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[Widgets & API](#) ▾

[Usage Statistics](#)

[Guide Index](#)

The functions below are a mishmash of utilities to help you with various administrative tasks.

#### Display Emails of All Users

Do you need to send an email to all registered users? Click this link to view the list of users.

#### Change Guide Owner

Do you want to re-assign the ownership of a guide, from one user to another? You can do so here.

#### Global Search and Replace (for Database URL changes)

Use this to do a global search and replace for database urls that changed. Please use with caution.

#### Reset System Statistics

This function will reset (delete) all current statistics information from your LibGuides system.

#### Catalog Search URL

Your catalog search URL; your catalog must support GET type requests for this to work properly. For further help, please read the [catalog search instructions](#).

`http://ekulib.kyvl.org/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?DB=local&DB=local&CNT=50&Search_Arg={search}&Search_Code=GKEY&Search2=Search`

#### Proxy Server URL

You can provide your proxy server URL here, so content creators can easily route users through your proxy when adding links to the system.

`http://libproxv.eku.edu/login?url=`

#### Custom Header Code

Enter your custom header code here. Note that if your custom header includes a link to the banner that is on a server, you must first remove the banner image, using the "Top Banner" option above.

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## LibGuides@EKU - Subject Categories

Define Categories and associate Guides

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Use this page to define subject categories which appear on the homepage. You can associate a single guide to more than one category. Have fun!

**African / African-American Studies**

[rename](#) [delete](#)

- African/African-American Studies [remove](#)



Associate a guide with African / African-American Studies

## Usage Statistics

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### LibGuides@EKU - Usage Statistics

System-wide usage statistics and detailed statistics for all your guides

[My Home](#)

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**Select Your Report:**

**Display Format:**   
Standard: Best for viewing within your web browser  
Plain: Best for printing or copying/pasting into another application  
Excel: View, edit and save the report in Microsoft Excel

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Guide	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Women and Gender Studies	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	9	72	-	-	-	81
Youth Literature	-	-	-	-	-	-	14	127	179	1	-	-	321
<b>Totals</b>	-	<b>411</b>	<b>500</b>	<b>1301</b>	<b>2488</b>	<b>1769</b>	<b>2363</b>	<b>8367</b>	<b>16425</b>	<b>337</b>	-	-	<b>33961</b>



# Subject Guide

Resources for students studying Police Studies.

- Books
- Databases
- Scholarly Journals
- Westlaw
- Web Resources
- Streaming Videos
- Career Resources
- Citing Sources
- Help

Databases Comments (0) Search:  Guides

### What Exactly is that Get More Button, Anyway?

- See How the GET MORE Button can help you save time and get better grades....

Comments (0)

### Newspaper Sources

- National Newspapers (ProQuest National Newspapers) ★★★★★
- New York Times Historical (ProQuest New York Times Historical) ★★★★★
- Newsbank ★★★★★
- Newspaper Source ★★★★★
- Opposing Viewpoints Resource Center ★★★★★

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### Try These Databases FIRST to find Scholarly Articles

- Criminal Justice Abstracts ★★★★★
- Criminal Justice Periodicals Index ★★★★★  
Index and full text of articles in criminal justice periodicals. Particularly useful for corrections and policing topics.
- Criminology: A Sage Full-text Collection ★★★★★  
It covers such subjects as Criminal Justice, Juvenile Delinquency, Juvenile Justice, Corrections, Penology, Policing, Forensic Psychology, and Family and Domestic Violence.
- International Security & Counter Terrorism Reference Center ★★★★★  
Despite its name, a great resource for articles covering criminal justice topics.
- NCJRS: National Criminal Justice Reference Service ★★★★★  
The NCJRS Abstracts Database contains summaries of the more than 195,000 criminal justice, juvenile justice, and substance abuse resources

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### Need More? Then Try These Databases to find Scholarly Articles

- Academic Search Premier ★★★★★  
A large multi-disciplinary database.
- JSTOR ★★★★★
- Opposing Viewpoints Resource Center ★★★★★  
Opposing Viewpoints Resource Center brings together various sources on social issues.
- Social Sciences Citation Index ★★★★★  
Provides access to current and retrospective bibliographic information, author abstracts, and cited references found in over 1,700 of the world's leading scholarly social sciences journals.

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### Google Scholar

Google Scholar Search



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Google Scholar helps users search and find academic papers, abstracts and other scholarly sources.


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### Save Time...Ask Me!



Nicole Masica Montgomery

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Am I offline?

Try chatting with ECU Libraries IM Service below.

Or please e-mail me or give me your e-mail address.

I can't follow-up with you if I don't know who you are!

### Ask Us

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#### Philosophy in the News

From *The Philosophers' Magazine*

- Julian Baggini's Sound Philosophy on Radio 4
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- Adrian Moore on Kant's Metaphysics

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#### What do you think?

Was this information helpful?

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Please provide comments to help improve this page:

How useful is this page/guide?

- 1  2  3  4  5  
Not useful Extremely useful



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 Delicious tag cloud

#### My Delicious Tags


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kgs maps mineralogy publichealth **socialwork\_career**  
socialwork@eku statistics topography transportation usgs

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-  Add me to your network

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### LIBGUIDES TAG CLOUD

#### Popular Tags (view all tags)

 Explore the guides by tags:

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**education** elementary first\_responder health\_sciences k-12 liaison library  
lrc math psychology reading research secondary social\_work technology

## Web 2.0 Features

### PODCASTS

#### Denver Public Library Podcasts

- **Red Fox and the Baby Bunnies**  
Red Fox caught the Baby Bunnies, but can Dan Dog save the day? Read by Emily W.  
  
Red Fox and the Baby Bunnies. Copyright 1996 by Alan Baron. Reproduced by permission of the publisher, Candlewick Press, Inc., Cambridge, MA, on behalf of Walker Books Ltd., London
- **Frog**  
A twisted retelling of the classic Frog Prince Story. Read by Emily W.  
  
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- **It's Quacking Time**  
Duckling is curious and excited about the new egg that Mommy laid. When the quacking begins, the egg cracks open to reveal their new baby duck. Read by Jeff.  
  
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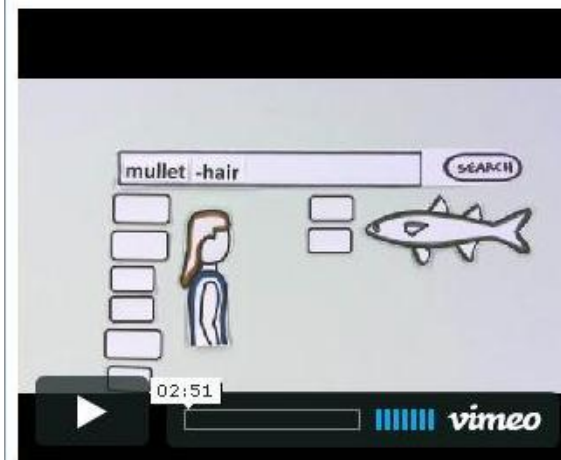
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### VIDEO

#### Web Searching Strategies

Watch this fun, short (not even 3 minutes long) video on some easy ways to improve your Web (and database) searching.



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## Search Boxes

### Search Academic Search Premier

Need Articles? Start Here!



Academic Search Premier:

Search

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### Search the Library Catalog

eQuest Search Box

Keyword



Search

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EJournals Search Box for SFX

Full Text Electronic Journals:

Starts with



Search

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### Search WorldCat

Worldcat Search Box - Wide

Search for an item in libraries near you:



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