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Use a Database to Find Articles

1. Go to <http://library.fgcu.edu>
2. Click on Articles & Databases
3. Enter a Database Title:
 - a. *General Science* or
 - b. *CSA* or
 - c. *Proquest Health and Medical* or
 - d. *Science Direct* or
 - e. *Web of Science*
4. Begin your search by entering search terms
5. Sort your list by "peer-reviewed" if database has that option
 - a. Click on 'PDF' or 'Full Text' under the citation to get the full text or
 - b. Click on 'Check for Full Text' and the database will search other databases to try to find the full text in another database
6. If no full text resources are available, see if the library has a print version by doing a Journal Title search in the Library Catalog. If no print version is available, request a copy through the Interlibrary Loan link on the homepage.

Finding articles and/or citations using Google Scholar and Scirus

1. SCIRUS: <http://www.scirus.com/> Set your preferences to FGCU under "library partner"
 - a. Try a search on **celexa** OR "Citalopram HBr"
2. GOOGLE SCHOLAR: <http://scholar.google.com> Set your preferences to FGCU under "library links"
 - a. Try a search on **celexa** OR "Citalopram HBr"

FGCU Library Research Guides

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URL: <http://fgcu.libguides.com/biology>

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Using the *Ulrich's* database to verify if a journal is peer-reviewed or not

1. Go to <http://library.fgcu.edu>
2. Click on [Articles & Databases](#)
3. Enter **Ulrich** as the Database Title
4. Click on [Connect Now](#) next to the database title
5. Type journal name in upper left search box
6. Find it on result list
7. Click on the Journal's name
8. Look for **Document Type**. NOTE:
 - a. Peer-reviewed = Scholarly
 - b. Scholarly might not = peer-reviewed