Searching Databases

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Here you will find you can search by Database, Topic (Subject, e.g. Business) or by first letter of a database.

Each database has its own search engine. However, most disciplines are covered by one vendor that uses the same format and search engine in all its databases. That database is:

As you see by the radio two boxes above that you can restrict your search to full text and/or peer reviewed. Once you start using EBSCO you will find it is very intuitive. Once in the EBSCO you can choose a database and search by one or more fields.

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