

# Literature Resource Center

## What is Literature Resource Center?

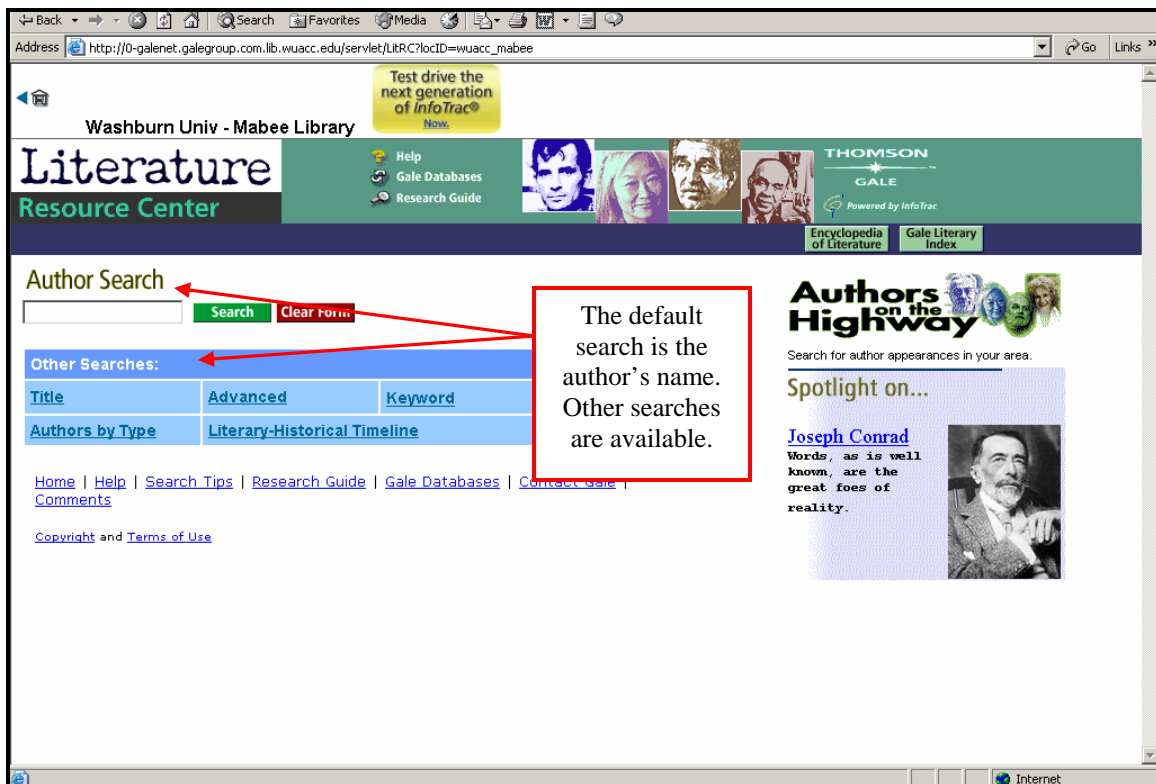
- An online database that contains biographical and critical content about literary figures and their works from a range of time periods and genres.
- Provides full-text content.

## How do I access Literature Resource Center?

- Connect to the Mabee Library homepage at <http://www.washburn.edu/mabee>
- Under Research tools, select Electronic Databases.
- Off-campus users must enter their name and Washburn identification number located on their Washburn ID.
- Click on *Language, Literature, & Communication* located under the **General Subject List**, then click on *Literature Resource Center* (or click on *Literature Resource Center* in the alphabetical list of database titles.)

## How do I search Literature Resource Center?

- The following is the initial search screen after accessing the database.



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**Authors on the Highway**  
Search for author appearances in your area.

**Spotlight on...**

[Joseph Conrad](#)  
Words, as is well known, are the great foes of reality.

- The following is an example of a basic author search for Jack Kerouac. The author search doesn't require the name to be listed in a particular order (e.g. last name listed first).

Address: http://0-galenet.galegroup.com.lib.wuacc.edu/servlet/LITRC?vsr=3&OP=contains&locID=wuacc\_mabee&srchp=athr&ca=1&ste=5&aj=48814&tab=1&tbt=arp&n=10&ST=

**Literature Resource Center**

Search for Author: kerouac, jack

Current Results

Your search, **Jack Kerouac**, returned results in the following categories:

Biographies | Literary Criticism, Articles, & Work Overviews | Bibliographies | Additional Resources | Literary-Historical Timeline

**Jack Kerouac**  
(1922-1969)

Variation(s): Jean-Louis Lebris de Kerouac; Jean-Louis Incogniteau; John Kerouac; Jean-Louise Incogniteau  
Nationality: American; Canadian  
Genre(s): Autobiographical fiction; Essays; Letters (Correspondence); Novels; Picaresque novels; Poetry  
Literary Movement/Time Period: Beat movement

Page: 1  
Below are items 1-4 of 4 found.

Update Mark List

Add to Mark List

Kerouac, Jack  
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- Results are divided into five categories:

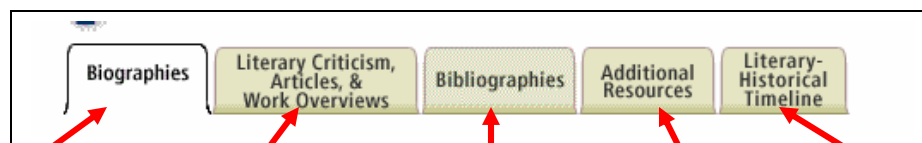
**Biographies**

**Literary criticism, articles, & work overviews**

**Bibliographies**

**Additional resources**

**Literary-historical timeline**



Contains biographical information about the author

Scholarly articles, criticisms and summaries of the author's works

Lists of books, articles and works by the author and lists of works about the author

Web sites, organizations and other resources

Social, political and artistic trends during the author's life

## How do I sort the search results?

- When conducting a search, it is necessary to separate relevant results from those irrelevant to the search.

Search for Author: kerouac, jack [Search] [Clear Form]

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View Mark List

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Done

Relevant results can be collected by clicking on the checkbox...

...then clicking on Update Mark List

## How do I view the list of relevant results?

- The list of relevant results is called a "Mark List."
- To view the Mark List, click on **View Mark List**.
- In order to return to the complete result list, you must use your browser's "Back" button.

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HOME | Title Search | Keyword Search | Authors by Type | Advanced Search | Literary-Historical Timeline | Authors on the Highway | Encyclopedia of Literature | Gale Literary Index

Search for Author: [Search] [Clear Form]

View Mark List

**Marked List**  
There are 2 documents in your marked list.

Update Mark List

**Biographies**  
Below are items 1-2 of 2 found.

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Update Mark List

After clicking on View Mark List...

...the Mark List is displayed

## How do I retrieve a copy of an item from my search?

- Begin by clicking on the title of the record that you want to retrieve.
- You will see icons for the three output options for search results: print, e-mail, or bookmark (which the database calls InfoMark).

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**Literature Resource Center**

HOME Title Search Keyword Search Authors by Type

Search for Author: \_\_\_\_\_




Print Email InfoMark




Document 1 of 2

**Jack Kerouac**

1922-1969

Also known as: Jack Kerouac, Jean-Louis Lebris de Kerouac, Jean-Louis Incogniteau, John Kerouac, Jean Louis Lebris de Kerouac, Jean-Louise Incogniteau

- After clicking on , the database formats the record for printing. Choose “Print” from your browser’s File menu to print the document. To return to the search results, use the browser’s “Back” button to return to the unformatted document then click **Current Results**.
- After clicking on , you simply enter your e-mail address, choose whether you want the record sent as a plain-text document or an HTML document (which retains the article’s various fonts and styles), and click the send button. Use the browser’s “Back” button to return to the search results.
- Literature Resource Center allows users to create a persistent URL—or bookmark—for any page displaying the following InfoMark icon: . To utilize this feature, right-click on the Web page’s address in the navigation toolbar then click on “Copy”. After copying the address, you can paste it in a Word document or e-mail message. This feature isn’t available on Mabee public terminals at this time.

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