

NEWS SOURCES: HOW TO LOCATE AT UVA LIBRARY

Getting Started



Wherever you are, UVA Library and all of its resources are at your fingertips at www.library.virginia.edu.

On the toolbar at the top of the page, select **Research** to begin your exploration.

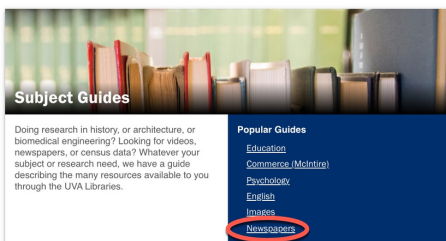


Finding What You Need

The **Research page** is your gateway to a targeted search for resources such as newspaper articles and contemporary sources. *Accessing these resources through UVA Library breaks down the paywalls you may have encountered when trying to read an article online.*

Here are helpful places to look:

- Under **Subject Guides** (which are helpful, discipline-based guides developed by subject librarians), there is a specific guide for **Newspapers**.



Here, you will have easy access to a number of databases where you can access local, national, and global news.

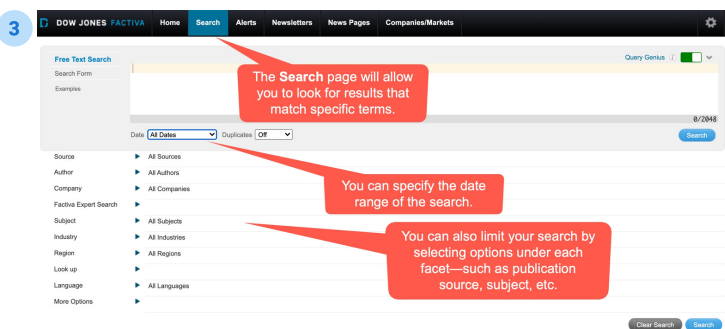
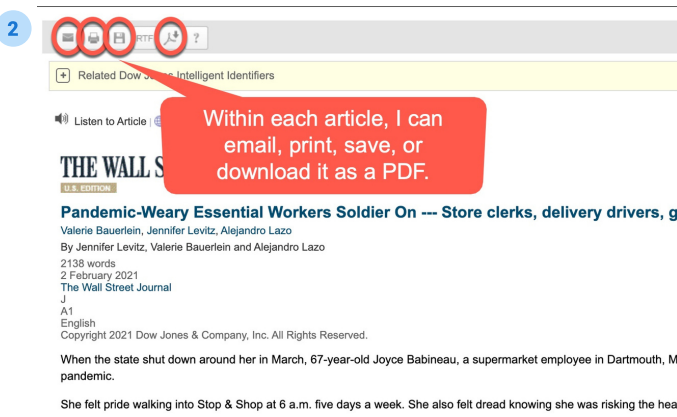
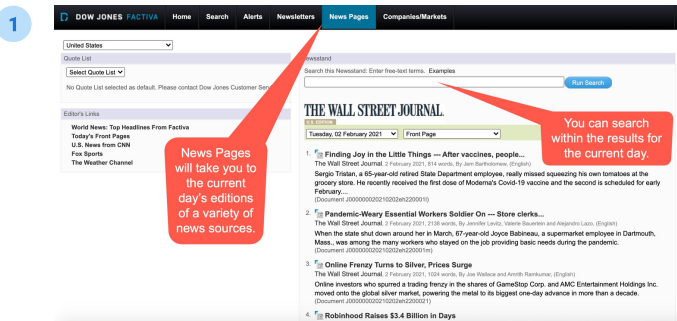
Another place to look for these databases is under the **Popular Links** header on the right side of the **Research page**.

Let's take a look at the more popular options for locating contemporary news...



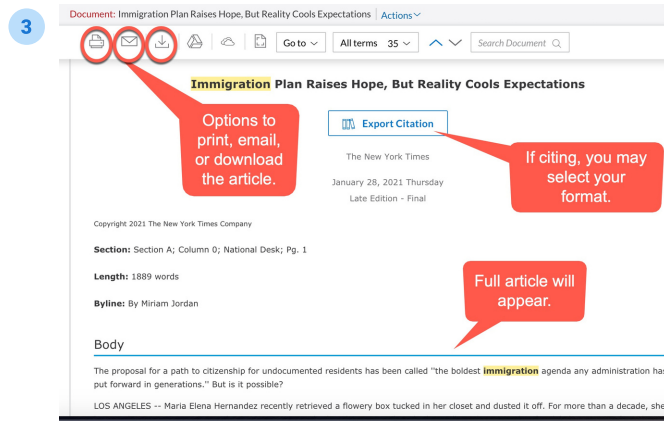
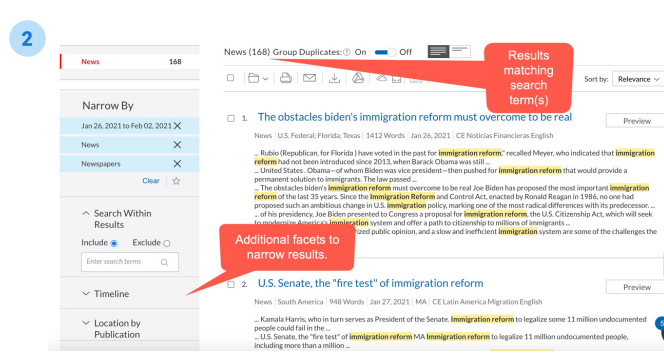
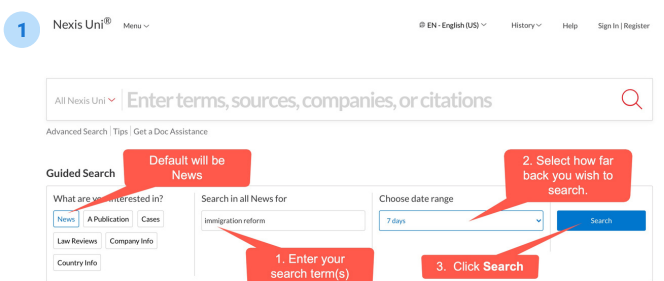
Factiva

If you're looking for today's paper, **Factiva** is the place to go. Find daily editions of national and global newspapers, like the *New York Times*, *Washington Post*, and *Wall Street Journal*. Click on **News Pages** for today's paper. In addition to the daily edition of papers, **Factiva** offers full-text, from thousands of sources from all over the world, in 22 languages.



Lexis Nexis Academic (Nexis Uni)

Under **Popular Links**, this database is referred to as '**Lexis Nexis Academic**;' however, it is the same as **Nexis Uni**. It provides news coverage as well as legal, business, and statistical information. **Nexis Uni** is a helpful tool for comparing how news events are covered by different media outlets. The following is a walkthrough of a basic search using the terms *immigration reform*.



Other Resources

Other databases--located in the **A-Z list** on the **Research page**:

- Newspaper Source Plus**
- World News Connection**

For generalized searching, you can also type your query into **Virgo**, the Library's search tool.

Helpful Search Tips

When keyword search, use the following for more targeted results:

- AND** (narrows a search) ex. ice AND snow
- OR** (broadens a search) ex. ice OR snow
- NOT** (narrows a search) ex. ice NOT snow
- " "** (text exactly as shown) ex. "immigration reform"