

**O**xford Scholarship Online (OSO) is a vast and rapidly expanding cross-searchable library, which offers quick and easy access to the full text of over 15,000 Oxford University Press books in 20 subject areas, covering the humanities, social sciences, medicine, and law.

### QUICK SEARCH OR BROWSE

- 1 Use the Browse by Subject menu to view all titles in a subject area
- 2 Access the full title list for that subject
- 3 View (or remove) current filter selections
- 4 Search by subject specialization to limit your search to specific subjects
- 5 Advanced Search options allow more specific and powerful searching

### WHAT YOU CAN FIND

- Over 15,000 high-quality scholarly works from Oxford University Press
- 20 subject areas – from History, to Physics, to Economics and Finance, and many more

### KEY FACT:

- Updates every month, bringing works online faster than ever before

The screenshot shows the Oxford Scholarship Online homepage. At the top, there are navigation links: About, News, Partner Presses, Subscriber Services, Contact Us, Take a Tour, Help. Below this is the 'Oxford Scholarship Online' logo and a search bar. A 'Browse by Subject' menu is open, showing a list of 20 subjects. A 'Select your specializations' dialog box is also open, showing a list of specializations. Below the menu and dialog, there are three book covers: 'Accounting for Oneself', 'The Art of Solidarity in the Middle Ages', and 'Civilizing Emotions'. At the bottom, there is a search bar and a 'You are looking at 1-10 of 1,671 items for: History' message.

### WORKING WITH SEARCH RESULTS

The screenshot shows the search results page for 'human rights'. The search bar at the top shows 'You are looking at 1-10 of 811 books for: human rights'. The results are displayed in a list format. The first result is 'Prosecuting Serious Human Rights Violations' by Anja Selbert-Fohr, published in 2009. The second result is 'The Legal Protection of Human Rights: Sceptical Essays' by Tom Campbell, K.D. Ewing, and Adam Tomkins (eds), published in 2011. The left sidebar contains a 'Narrow Your Choices' section with 'AVAILABILITY' options (Unlocked, Free, Open Access, Restricted) and a 'REFINE SEARCH' section with 'Recently Published' and 'EXPAND YOUR SEARCH' options.

- 1 Print, save, email, or bookmark search results
- 2 Filter the results further, using options in the left panel
- 3 Search within results
- 4 Decide whether to search just *Oxford Scholarship Online* content, or search across all partners in *University Press Scholarship Online*
- 5 Sign in to your own account to view recent activity, saved chapters, searches, and links

## NAVIGATING WITHIN FULL TEXT PAGES

1 Use the Table of Contents to quickly navigate the book

2 The progress indicator shows you your current location within the book and allows you to move through chapters

3 Download the chapter as a PDF for offline study or on-the-go reading

4 Print, save, cite, email, or share the current chapter

5 Carry out a search within the current book

6 Find alternate sources of the current book

7 Jump straight to a page number (from the printed book)

8 Read author-curated chapter abstracts to see at a glance whether a chapter is applicable for your research, and click on the keywords to find similar content across the site

### SEARCH TIPS:

you can limit or widen your search results by using these search rules.

**SEARCHING FOR A PHRASE:** to find a set phrase, enter it in the search box surrounded by quotation marks

**BOOLEAN OPERATORS:** the available Boolean operators are AND, OR, NOT, and NEAR. Type them directly into the search box in capital letters between terms. For example: land NOT sea

**SPECIAL CHARACTERS:** you need not enter accented letters in order to find words that contain accents

**WILDCARDS:** wildcards \* and ? may be used to replace letters of which you are unsure. ? represents a single letter; for example, entering c?t will find cat, cut, and cot. \* may be used in place of one or more letters; for example, c\*t will find cat, cut, and cot, but also carat, clot, count, chat, etc.

### WHERE NEXT?

- Visit the Help pages for tips on searching and browsing, and FAQs on using the site: [oxfordscholarship.com/help](http://oxfordscholarship.com/help)
- Take a tour of the site: [oxfordscholarship.com/page/take-a-tour](http://oxfordscholarship.com/page/take-a-tour)

## ABOUT UNIVERSITY PRESS SCHOLARSHIP ONLINE

Oxford Scholarship Online is delivered by University Press Scholarship Online, a state-of-the-art online platform that brings together the best scholarly publishing from some of the world's most prestigious university presses. For more information visit: [www.universitypressscholarship.com](http://www.universitypressscholarship.com)

