

## African Studies

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### E-BOOKS

Cambridge University Press eBooks  
Columbia International Affairs Online  
Oxford University Press eBooks  
eBook Collection (EBSCOhost)  
IMF eLibrary  
Oxford Reference Online Premium

*RefWorks*, a free online research management, writing and collaboration tool, is also available at [www.library.carleton.ca](http://www.library.carleton.ca).

### GUIDES TO THE LITERATURE

*Reference Guide to Africa; A Bibliography of Sources.*

DT4.R42 2005 (Floor 5)

*Dictionary of African biography.*

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Zell, Hans M. *The African Studies Companion; A Guide to Information Sources.* 4<sup>th</sup> rev. ed.

DT19.8.Z45 2006 (Floor 5) or online access via Library Catalogue

For bibliographies on individual countries check the title index under **World Bibliographies Series**

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South Africa. Truth and Reconciliation Commission. **Truth and Reconciliation Commission of South Africa report.**

DDV SO1 Z1 95.T01 .ENG (Floor 2) or online access via Library Catalogue  
South Africa: a country study.

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### DICTIONARIES

*Encyclopaedia of Government and Politics.* 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. 2004. 2 v.

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*Dictionary of Government and Politics.* 2<sup>nd</sup> ed.

JA61.D525 1998 (Floor 4)

Robertson, David. *A dictionary of Modern Politics.*

REF JA61.R63 2002 or online access via Library Catalogue

Thieme, John. *Post-Colonial Studies: The Essential Glossary.*

JV22.T45 2003 (Floor 4)

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REF JV22.A84 or online access via Library Catalogue

*African Historical Dictionaries.*

Check the title index in the Library Catalogue for individual call numbers.

Seddon, David. *A Political and Economic Dictionary of Africa.*

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Saha, Santosh. *Dictionary of human rights advocacy organizations in Africa.*

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Williams, Gwyneth, 1953- *The dictionary of contemporary politics of southern Africa.*

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Ray, Donald Iain, 1949- *Dictionary of the African Left: parties, movements, and groups.*  
HX439.R38 (Floor 4)

*The Encyclopaedia of Political Revolutions.*  
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*The Cambridge encyclopaedia of Africa.*  
REF DT3.C35

*Africana : the encyclopaedia of the African and African American experience.*  
DT14.A37435 2005 (Floor 5)

*Encyclopedia of the African diaspora : origins, experiences, and culture.*  
REF DT16.5.E53 2008

*Encyclopedia of Africa south of the Sahara.*  
DT351.E53 1997 (Floor 5)

*Encyclopaedia Aethiopia.*  
DT373.E53 2003 (Floor 5)

*The Oxford Companion to Politics of the World.*  
2<sup>nd</sup> ed..  
REF JA61.O95 2001

*The Encyclopedia of Political Thought.*  
JA61.E52 2001 (Floor 4)

*Encyclopedia of government and politics.*  
JA61 .E53 2004 (Floor 4) or online access via Library Catalogue

*Encyclopedia of politics: the left and the right.*  
REF JA61.E54 2005

*Encyclopaedia of governance.*  
REF JC11.E53 2007

*Encyclopaedia of human rights.*  
REF JC571.E673 2009 or online access via Library Catalogue

Langley, Winston. *Encyclopaedia of Human Rights Issues Since 1945.*  
JC571.L2747 (Floor 4)

*Encyclopaedia of Modern Ethnic Conflicts.*  
REF GN496.E56 2003

Burgess, Heidi. *Encyclopaedia of Conflict Resolution.*  
REF HM136.B783 or online access via Library Catalogue

*International Encyclopedia of the Social and Behavioral Sciences.*  
REF H41.I5 2001 or online access via Library Catalogue

Kushner, Harvey W. *Encyclopedia of terrorism*  
HV6431 .K883 2003 (Floor 4) or online access via Library Catalogue

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*World encyclopedia of political systems and parties.*  
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*Political parties of the Middle East and North Africa.*  
REF JQ1758.A979P65

*Encyclopedia of Western colonialism since 1450.*  
REF JV22.E535 2007

*Encyclopedia of international relations and global politics.*  
JZ1160.E53 2005 (Floor 4) or online access via Library Catalogue

*Encyclopedia of globalization.*  
REF JZ1318.E525 2007

Mays, Terry M. *The A to Z of multinational peacekeeping.*  
JZ4984.5.M39 2006 (Floor 4)

## HANDBOOKS AND DIRECTORIES

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*Handbook of political science research on sub-Saharan Africa: trends from the 1960s to the 1990s.*  
JA84.A337H36 (Floor 4)

*Political Handbook of the World.*  
Latest edition in REF. Earlier editions on Floor 4 SER.  
REF JF37.P6 2009

Derbyshire J. Denis. *Political Systems of the World.*  
2<sup>nd</sup> ed.  
JF51.D467 1996 (Floor 4)

Szajkowski, Bogdan. *Political Parties of the World.*  
JF2051.S92 2005 (Floor 4)

**Handbook of political science research on the Middle East and North Africa.**

JQ1758.A58H36 (Floor 4)

**Elections in Africa; a data handbook.**

JQ1879.A55E44 (Floor 4) or online access via Library Catalogue

Schmid, Alex Peter. **Political Terrorism: A New Guide to Actors, Authors, Concepts, Databases, Theories, and Literature.**

HV6431.S349 2005 (Floor 4)

Ball, Howard, 1937 **War crimes and justice: a reference handbook.**

REF K5301.B35 2002

Condé, H. Victor, 1947 **A handbook of international human rights terminology.**

REF K3239.6.C66 2004

**Africa Contemporary Record**

Earlier editions on Floor 5 SER.

DT1.A218 (Floor 1)

## YEARBOOKS

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**World Factbook**

DDV US1 CI .W52.ENG (Floor 2) or online access via Library Catalogue

**Yearbook of International Organizations.**

STF JX1904.A42 (Floor 2) or online access via Library Catalogue

**State of the World.**

Latest edition in REF. Earlier editions on Floor 4.

HC59.A1S7

**New African Yearbook.**

DT1.N4 (Floor 5)

## NEWS DIGESTS

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**African research & documentation.**

DT1.L52 (Floor 1)

**Africa Research Bulletin: Political, Social and Cultural Series (1992- ).**

SER DT1.A27123 or online access via Library Catalogue (1997- )

**Africa Research Bulletin: Economic, Financial and Technical Series.**

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McIlwaine, John. **Africa : a guide to reference material.**

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**African American women: a biographical dictionary.**

STF E185.96.A45

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**The Harvard guide to African-American history.**

REF E185.H326

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Mickolus, Edward F. **Terrorism, 2002-2004 : a chronology.**

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**Political prisoners and trials : a worldwide annotated bibliography, 1900 through 1993.**

JC571 BIBL .B45 (Floor 4)

Dow, Hugh, 1946-. **Popular participation and development: a bibliography on Africa and Latin America.**

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Siler, Michael J. *Strategic security issues in Sub-Saharan Africa: a comprehensive annotated bibliography.*

REF UA855.7 .S54 2004

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Check the title index in the Library Catalogue for individual call numbers.

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Page, Willie F., 1929- *The Encyclopedia of African history and culture.*

DT3.P27 (Floor 5) or online access via Library Catalogue

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Shaw, Ian, 1961. *The Princeton dictionary of ancient Egypt.*

REF DT58.S55 2008

*The Encyclopedia of world history: ancient, medieval, and modern, chronologically arranged.*

REF D21 .E578 2001

Arnold, Guy. *Historical dictionary of civil wars in Africa .*

REF DT21.5.A76 2008

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DT29.E53 2003 (Floor 5) or online access via Library Catalogue

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*Slavery in the United States: a social, political, and historical encyclopedia..*

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Sheldon, Kathleen E., 1952. *Historical dictionary of women in Sub-Saharan Africa.*

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REF JV6035.P35 2009

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Southern, Eileen. *Biographical dictionary of Afro-American and African musicians.*

REF ML105.S67

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STF ML156.4.P7S8

Merriam, Alan P., 1923- *African music on LP; an annotated discography.*

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Berman, Esmé. *Art & artists of South Africa : an illustrated biographical dictionary and historical survey of painters, sculptors & graphic artists since 1875.*

REF N7392.B47 1983

Mirvish, Doreen Belle. *South African artists, 1900-1958.*

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Richards, Larry, *African American films through 1959 : a comprehensive, illustrated filmography.*  
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REF PN849.A35 BIBL L54

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STF PN4882.5 BIBL .P67

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Abrash, Barbara. *Black African literature in English since 1952; works and criticism.*  
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MPL G7421.H8 2005 .P4

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*Encyclopedia of anthropology.*

REF GN11 .E63 2006 or online access via Library Catalogue

*Encyclopedia of world cultures.*

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Levinson, David, 1947- *Ethnic groups worldwide: a ready reference handbook.*

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BL31 .E46 2005 (Floor 5) or online access via Library Catalogue

Àshe, *traditional religion and healing in Sub-Saharan Africa and the diaspora: a classified international bibliography.*

STF BL2462.5 BIBL .G72

*African theology: a critical analysis and annotated bibliography.*

STF BT30.A438Y68

*Black African traditional religions and philosophy: a select bibliographic survey of the sources from the earliest times to 1974.*

BL2466 BIBL .O34 (Floor 5)

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To access the following indexes and abstracts, please see:

<http://www.library.carleton.ca/eresources/databases.html>

Journals are important sources of up-to-date information. The most recent research and developments are reported in journals. To find relevant journal articles on your topic, use subject-specific databases.

## ***Africabib.***

Bibliographic databases covering African journal literature 1763-2000

## ***Africa Development Indicators***

Dates Covered: 1961-

A detailed collection of data on Africa. includes social, economic, financial, natural resources, infrastructure, governance, partnership, and environmental indicators.

## ***Aluka***

Aluka is a not-for-profit international collaboration of educational and cultural institutions. There are 4 content areas :

- Struggles for Freedom in South Africa
- African Cultural Heritage Sites and Landscapes
- African Plants
- Struggles for Freedom in Southern Africa

## ***America History and Life***

Dates covered: 1964--

Contains citations and abstracts to articles from journals in all areas of Canadian and U.S history, including current affairs, ethnic studies, folklore, oral history, government and political science, popular culture, urban affairs, and the teaching of history. For the history of the rest of the world, use Historical Abstracts.

## ***Anthropology Plus***

Dates covered: 1800's--

Provides extensive worldwide indexing of journal articles, reports, commentaries, edited works, and obituaries in the fields of social, cultural, physical, biological, and linguistic anthropology, ethnology, archaeology, folklore, material culture, and interdisciplinary studies.

## ***ATLA Religion Database with ATLA Serials***

Dates covered: 1949--

Includes journals, books, essays in books, and book reviews in all areas of religion. Topics include church history, biblical studies, ethics, denominations, church and state, history of religions, religious education, Buddhism, Islam, Judaism, Eastern Christianity, ancient religions, mythology, and religion.

## ***Business Source Complete***

Covers management, economics, banking & finance, accounting, international business, labour relations, computer systems, marketing, area studies, taxation, industry & manufacturing, production & operations management, communications & media, human resources, public administration, health care management etc.

## ***Columbia International Affairs Online (CIAO)***

Intended as a comprehensive source of information in the area of theory and research in international affairs. Provides full text access to working papers, policy briefs, economic indicators, conference proceedings, books and journal abstracts.

## ***EconLit.***

Comprehensive database that contains citations with abstracts to journal articles, books, book reviews, collective works and dissertations in all areas of economics. Coverage is from 1969.

## ***EIU (Economist Intelligence Unit): Country Intelligence.***

Includes Country Reports, Country Profiles, Country Monitor, and Business East Europe.

## ***Europa World Plus.***

## ***Factiva***

Global news and business information service that combines the content sets of Dow Jones Interactive and Reuters Business Briefing. For fuller news coverage, use the main search page and select a specific source.

## ***Geobase***

Dates covered: 1973--

Provides citations and abstracts of journal articles, books, conference proceedings, reports, and dissertations in all areas of the earth sciences. Topics include: cartography, climatology, demography, ecology, environment, geography, geology, geophysics, hydrology, marine sciences, mineralogy, natural resources, paleontology, regional studies, remote sensing, tectonics, international development, and transportation.

## ***Historical Abstracts***

Dates covered: 1954--

Contains citations and abstracts of journal articles, some book reviews and dissertations in all areas of the history of the world (except United States & Canada) from 1450 to the present.

## ***International Political Science Abstracts.***

Includes current indexing and abstracts of the world's leading journals in political science. The IPSA makes a special effort to index articles about countries for which information is scarce.

## ***International Security and Counter Terrorism Reference Centre.***

Content includes hundreds of full text journals and periodicals, news feeds, reports, summaries, books, blogs, FAQs that pertain to terrorism and security

### **JSTOR**

Full-text access to the complete archives of core journals in a variety of subjects. JSTOR is a "moving wall" archive: newer years are added as publishers allow. For example, one journal may cover everything up to 3 years ago; another may cover everything up to 5 years ago.

### ***Military Intelligence Database.***

It includes more than 500 titles and more than 7 million articles. Both journal articles as well as basic reference materials that are updated annually. Results are displayed in tabbed format in the following categories: Academic Journals, Reference, Magazines, News, and Multimedia. Coverage is from 1980-.

### ***PAIS (Public Affairs Information Service).***

Provides citations with brief abstracts to journal articles, books, government documents and reports in the area of public affairs and public policy. Coverage is from 1915.

### ***Peace Research Abstracts Journal.***

A quarterly publication which provides summaries of books, documents, research reports and journal articles. Electronic coverage from 2003- .

### ***Quarterly Index of African Periodical Literature***

750 journal titles have been indexed which are acquired regularly from 29 African countries. Journals have also been selected in order to cover subject areas not found in widely-available literature (e.g. prisons), to include organizations which do not frequently circulate their publications (e.g. non-governmental organizations).

### ***Sociological Abstracts.***

Provides citations with abstracts to journal articles, books, book reviews and conference papers on sociology and social planning and policy, including political sociology, development and gender studies. Coverage from 1945- .

### ***World Agricultural Economics and Rural Sociology Abstracts.***

Citations with abstracts to journal articles, reports, books and conferences covering topics such as agricultural and natural resource economics, rural development, regional policy and development, international trade, food policy and security. Coverage is current 10 years.

### ***Worldwide Political Science Abstracts.***

This database contains citations and abstracts from public affairs magazines, major newspapers, professional journals and books devoted to politics and political analysis. Coverage is from 1975.



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