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Mass Communication Resources

Reference Books:

The Associated Press Stylebook and Briefing on Media Law.	Ref PN4783.A83 2005
Dictionary of Media and Communication Studies.....	Ref P87.5.W38 2003
Encyclopedia of Children, Adolescents, and the Media	Ref HQ784.M3 E53 2007
Encyclopedia of New Media: An Essential Reference to Communication and Technology.....	Ref QA76.575.E5368 2003
History of the Mass Media in the United States: An Encyclopedia	Ref P92.U5 H55 1998
Mass Communication Law in a Nutshell	Ref KF2750.Z9 M37 2003
Plunkett's Entertainment & Media Industry Almanac.....	Ref P88.8.P57 1999

Circulating Books:

Children, Teens, Families, and Mass Media: The Millennial Generation.....	P94.5.C552 U65 2003
Convergence Culture: Where Old and New Media Collide	P94.65.U6 J46 2006
Mass Media in a Changing World: History, Industry, Controversy	P90.R596 2007
Mass Media Research: An Introduction	P91.3.W47 2000
Media Violence.....	P96.V5 M428 2004
Rights vs. Responsibilities: The Supreme Court and the Media.....	KF4774.H56 1997
Taking Sides: Clashing Views in Mass Media and Society	HN90.M3 T35 2007

Electronic Databases:

Academic Search Premier

A multi-disciplinary database providing indexing for over 8,000 publications, with full text for nearly 4,500 of those titles. PDF back files to 1975 or further are available for well over one hundred journals, and searchable cited references are provided for more than 1,000 titles.

Academic OneFile

A collection of more than 8,000 journals from various academic disciplines, including science, technology, medicine, and the humanities. The peer-reviewed and full-text material is available in both PDF and HTML formats.

America's Newspapers

A database providing full-text content of 779 U.S. newspapers, each the complete electronic edition of record. Local and regional news topics are covered in each newspaper. Some sample topics might be politics, industries, cultural events, etc.

Communication and Mass Media Complete

A research and reference database in the communication and mass media fields which provides cover-to-cover ("core") indexing and abstracting for over 300 journals as well as selected ("priority") coverage 100 other titles. Full-text coverage is available for about 200 journals.

Lexis Nexis Academic Universe

A database providing access to a wide range of news, business, legal, and reference information.

OmniFile Full Text, Mega Edition

A multidisciplinary database which provides indexing, abstracts, and full-text articles for six full-text Wilson databases, including Education Full-Text, General Science Full-Text, Humanities Full-Text, etc. Full-text information selected periodical databases are also included when available. Indexing begins in 1982, abstracts in 1984, and full-text coverage in 1994.

World Wide Web Resources:

- American Advertising Federation
www.aaf.org/
- American Press Institute
www.americanpressinstitute.org/
- Association for Education in Journalism & Mass Communication
www.aejmc.org/
- Association of Schools of Journalism and Mass Communication
www.asjmc.org/
- Cornell University: Legal Information Institute: Communications Law
www.law.cornell.edu/wex/index.php/Communications
- Cornell University: Legal Information Institute: Media Law
<http://www.law.cornell.edu/wex/index.php/Media>
- Federal Communications Commission
www.fcc.gov/
- Freedom Forum
www.freedomforum.org/