

WorldCat Local Install Update

Install date: August 16, 2009

Enhancement to Licensed Content: Lists and Tags, Ratings and Reviews on Licensed Content

What it is

Ability to add licensed content items to WorldCat.org lists add tags to licensed content and rate and review licensed content.

What it means for the user

Authenticated users will be able to interact with licensed content in the same way that users can interact with WorldCat.org content items, including creating bibliographies from WorldCat.org lists that include both WorldCat.org content and licensed content.

Unauthenticated users viewing lists or tags will not be able to view the licensed content items but will be able to view any WorldCat.org content on the list or that has been tagged.

Enhancement to WorldCat.org and WorldCat Local: Library Search Feature

A library search feature will now be available to WorldCat users. Users may search for libraries by keyword (name or alias match) or location.

The order of library search results will vary depending on which type of search was conducted:

- If 'zip /postal code' is used to search, the library's in that code will be returned. In some, but not all cases, libraries in other zip/postal codes within the same city will also be returned. The results will be ordered by proximity to that zip's center.

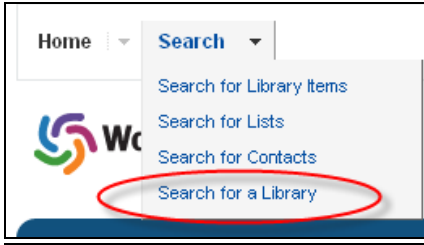
Please note: At this time, the WorldCat library search is unable to exclude libraries in nearby cities and in some cases nearby zip/postal codes, enhancements to this feature are planned in the near future.

- If keyword/ library name is used to search, search results will be ordered alphabetical by all libraries with that search term in the library name or library alias.
- If specific location search is used, such as 'city, state'; the results will be listed alphabetical by library name within that location.

Library search results will include several library types (such as public, academic, etc.); you may filter your results by using the "Library type" dropdown on the top-right of the results set.

** The WorldCat Library search is powered by [WorldCat Registry](http://www.worldcat.org/registry/Institutions) [http://www.worldcat.org/registry/Institutions] data. Library staff may access their library's info in the WorldCat Registry to correct any data if need be.

Example:



Search for a library

Name and/or Location

[Search](#)

Enter a library name or part of a name, zip/postal code, state or province.
Use a comma between different search terms, such as "Columbus, Ohio".

Results for "boston, mass"

Displaying 10 libraries (1-10 of 301) Sort by: [Relevance](#) Library type: [All Types](#)

Library	Features	Dist
1. Boston Architectural College Library 6th Floor, 320 Newbury Street Boston, Massachusetts 02115 United States (61...)	Website Online Catalog Information Page	M
2. Boston Architectural College. 6th Floor 320 Newbury Street Boston, Massachusetts 02115-2703 United States (61...)	Website Online Catalog Information Page	M

All Types
 ARL Library
 Academic Library
 Archives
 Government Library
 Library Networks or Processing Center
 Museum
 Public Library
 School Library
 State or National Library
 Corporate or Special Library

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What it is

The Link text and Link Description were displaying in the wrong columns. With this install the Link Text is now displaying under "Resource" and link description under "Description".

What it means for the user

The current display is:

Resource	Description
<u>2002 to present</u>	Full text available from Open J-Gate
<u>01/04/1993 to present</u>	Full text available from Access World News (Washington Cooperative); UW Restricted
<u>05/07/1990 to present</u>	Full text available from Military & Government Collection; UW Restricted
 Show less	
<u>1923 to present</u>	Searchable archives and full text articles are available from the publisher
<u>2 years ago to present</u>	Full text available from LexisNexis Academic; UW Restricted
<u>01/03/1983 to present</u>	Full text available from Expanded Academic ASAP; UW Restricted
<u>View item online</u>	OCLC FirstSearch

The display after the install will be:

Resource	Description
<u>Full text available from Open J-Gate</u>	2002 to present
<u>Full text available from Access World News (Washington Cooperative); UW Restricted</u>	01/04/1993 to present
<u>Full text available from Military & Government Collection; UW Restricted</u>	05/07/1990 to present
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<u>Searchable archives and full text articles are available from the publisher</u>	1923 to present
<u>Full text available from LexisNexis Academic; UW Restricted</u>	2 years ago to present
<u>Full text available from Expanded Academic ASAP; UW Restricted</u>	01/03/1983 to present
<u>View item online</u>	OCLC FirstSearch