

RUSS 340 -- Russian Culture Selected Resources in the Clemson University Libraries

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Some Reference Books In Print & Online

In the Reference Collection on the 4th floor, Cooper Library, use the respective indexes to find entries on Russia, Russian history, literature & authors, culture, arts, food, etc.:

BL80.3 .R45 2002	Religions of the World: a Comprehensive Encyclopedia of Beliefs and Practices	
DK14 .E53 2004	Encyclopedia of Russian History	
GR35 .G75 2006	Greenwood Encyclopedia of World Folklore and Folklife	
GT2850 .E53 2003	Encyclopedia of Food and Culture	
GV1585 .I586 1998	International Encyclopedia of Dance	
PG2940 .R44 1998	Reference Guide To Russian Literature	

Online (From the Library's home page, go to "Find Articles" then select "Databases A-Z"):

<u>Grove Dictionary of Art</u> (part of *Oxford Art Online*) note: *Grove Dictionary of Art* is also available at Architecture Reference [Call No. N31 .D5 1996 v. 1-34]

<u>Grove Music Online</u> (part of *Oxford Music Online*) note: *New Grove Dictionary of Music and Musicians* Cooper Reference [Call No. ML100 .N48 2001 v. 1-29]

Also, from the Catalog search for the: <u>Cambridge World History of Food</u> note: available Cooper Reference [Call No. TX 353. C255 2000 v.1-2]

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(From the home page, select "Library Catalog")

Search the Catalog to find out if the Library owns a particular book or journal, or to see what books are available about a subject. Search by **Keyword** (for books about a topic), **Author**, **Title** or **Journal Title** (must be exact). Also, try **Subject** searching.

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arts russia	music russia	folklore russia	
russian literature 19 th century	russian civilization	art russia	
painting russian	cookery russian	authors russia	
pushkin aleksandr sergeevich	chekhov anton pavlovich	tchaikovsky peter ilich	

Some sample Subject Headings

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Suggested Databases:

<u>ARTStor</u> - over 300,000 images of architecture, painting, sculpture, photography, decorative arts, design, and visual culture.

Children's Literature Comprehensive Database - information about and reviews of children's books and media.

JSTOR - full-text access to over 200 core scholarly journals.

<u>MLA International Bibliography</u> - literature, language, linguistics, rhetoric, composition, film, and folklore, 1926-present.

Some Websites

Russian recipes foods - http://russianfoods.com/recipes/view/default.asp

Google Scholar - http://scholar.google.com/

Russian Folk Tales - http://www.artrusse.ca/FairyTales/firebird.htm

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To find music CDs, do a Keyword search adding the format. Example: glinka compact disc

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