Database Basics

How To Use ERIC [EBSCO Version] (Educational Resource Information Center)

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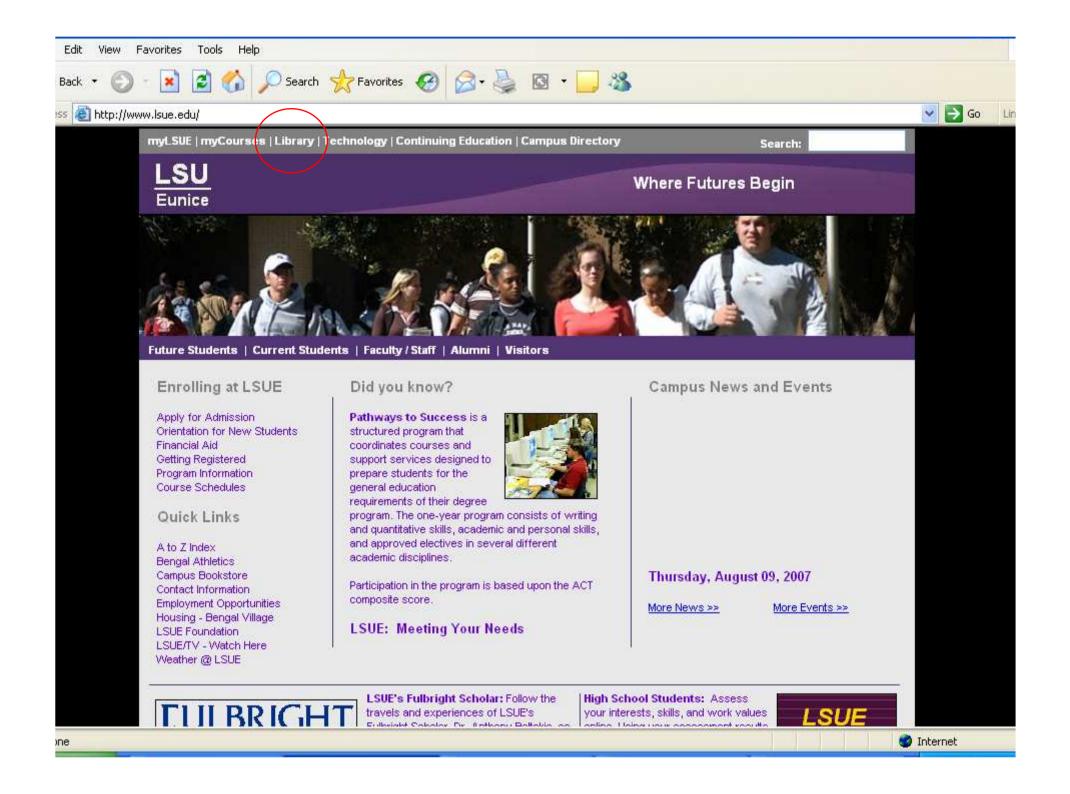
- Databases are electronic indexes, with both information about, and the full text of, journal articles, useful for research.
- This guide will show you the basics of using the EBSCO version of ERIC to find resources on education topics.
- There will be step-by-step instructions, followed by pictures of an actual search.

Search

- There will be a sample search to show how to find articles.
- The sample search will be to find articles on "multiculturalism in education".
- Begin at LSUE's website:

- www.lsue.edu

• Click on the "Library" link across the top.



- Click on the "Find an Article" link. IMPORTANT NOTE
- If you are on-campus, you can use the other links, such as "EBSCO databases" or "Literary Reference Center".
- If you are OFF campus, follow these steps. You will need to log in later (which will be covered at that step).



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Learning Express (Career Info and Developmental Tutorials) World Book Advanced (World Book Online Products) LSUE Off-Campus Users (click here first) Off-Campus Resources (blog)

Information Resources

- Find a Book
- EBSCO Databases (direct link)
- <u>Find an Article</u> (magazine, journal, or newspaper)
- Literary Reference Center
- <u>Search ALL Library Resources</u>
- World Book
- <u>Find "FULL-TEXT" Resources</u> (from a book, journal, magazine, or newspaper)
- Learning Express
- Peterson's Education & Reference Center
- Database Login Instructions for LSUE Students
- Find Federal Information
- Find State Information

Library Handouts

Other Collections and Resources

- <u>Bayou State Periodicals Index "nearly 38,000</u> citations to articles published in Louisiana magazines between 1969 and June 2006."</u>
- Books on Tape
- Career Information Resources
- Children's Collection
- Genealogy Collection
- Group Study Rooms
- Local Newspapers
- LOUISiana Digital Library
- LOUISiana Union Catalog
- Reserve Materials
- TRIALS and OTHER FREEBIES

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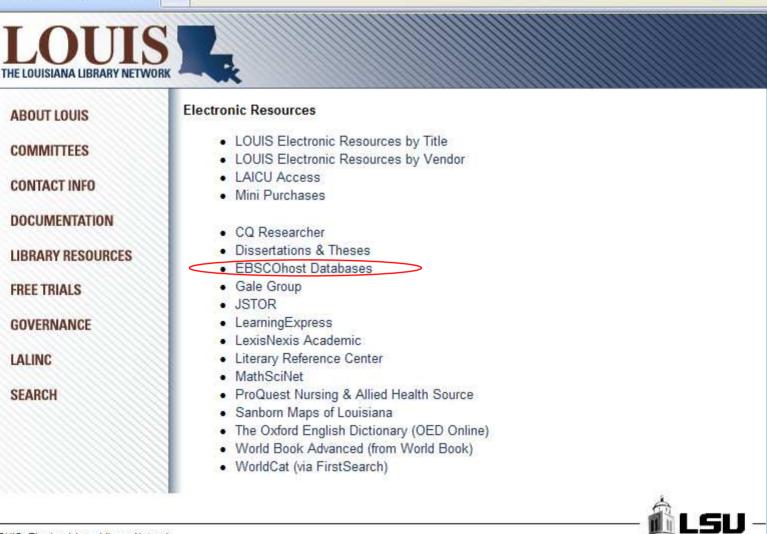
Search - Step 3A

- What you will see is not a list of databases by subject, but the companies that make those databases.
- For example, "ERIC" isn't listed, but EBSCO is. EBSCO is the company that owns the largest number of our databases.
- Click on "EBSCOhost Databases".
- If you are OFF campus, read Step 3B.

Search - Step 3B

IMPORTANT NOTE

- If you are on campus, you will be able to click into the databases without having to log in. This includes Bengal Village.
- If you are OFF campus, you will need to log in or "authenticate":
 - User ID is your LSUE ID#
 - Password is "changeme"



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- Most databases contain articles on a certain subject, like literature, nursing, sports, business, or other topics. Others, like Academic Search Premier, cover many subjects. Each have descriptions.
- This list is not alphabetical. Scroll down further, until you see the other main education databases, "Professional Development Collection" and "ERIC".



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MLA Directory of Periodicals The MLA Directory of Periodicals offers detailed information on over 7,100 journals, with 4,400 currently indexed in the International Bibliography. The detailed en information, as well as frequency, circulation, subscription prices and submission guidelines. More Information

- Click on the "ERIC" link.
- Do NOT click on the little boxes.

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		<i>ORTDiscus</i> offers comprehensive, bibliographic coverage of sport, fitness and related disciplines. This databa e going back to 1800; over 22,000 dissertations and theses and reference to articles in 60 different language
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	Funk & Wagnalls New World Encyclopedia	

This database provides over 25 000 encyclopedia entries sovering a variaty of subject areas

Search - Step 6A

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Search - Step 6B

- The screen says "Searching: Specific Databases..."
- If you want to see the name of the database you are searching, click on those three dots (the ellipsis).

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Search - Step 6C

- Now it says which database you chose.
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- Type your topic, what you want to find articles about, in the first box.
- Since this is an education database, do NOT type or add "education" unless that is part of the word, as in "special education".
- Our topic, "multiculturalism in education" thus becomes just "multiculturalism".
- Sometimes, the database will "guess" what you are typing and offer choices.

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- Since you want to find articles about what you just typed in, that is your subject.
- To the right of the box where you typed that title, there is a drop-down box.
- Click on it, and then scroll down to find "Descriptors", the word this database uses for "subjects". This will only find articles that are about your topic.

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- There were only 2 articles.
- This could mean 2 things: there are only 2 articles on this topic (rare, but possible), or this database uses another word for the topic. For example, either "women" or "female" are used in different databases.
- To find out what words the database uses, you need to search the thesaurus.
- Click on the "Thesaurus" link at the top.

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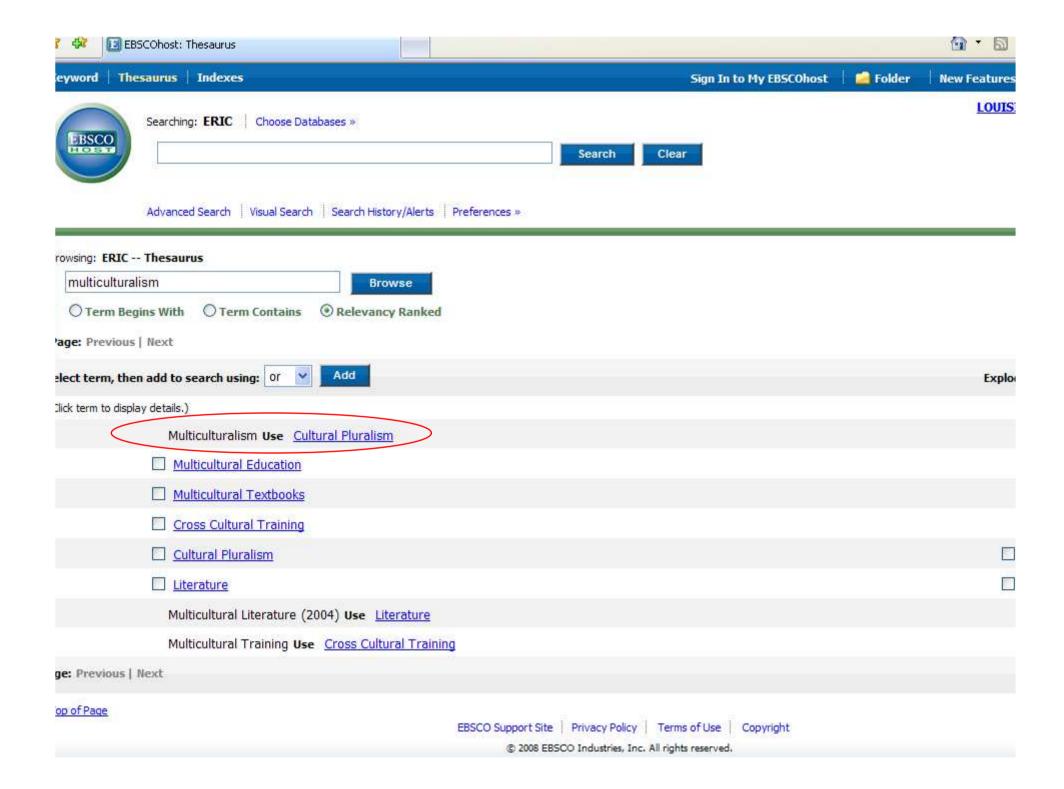
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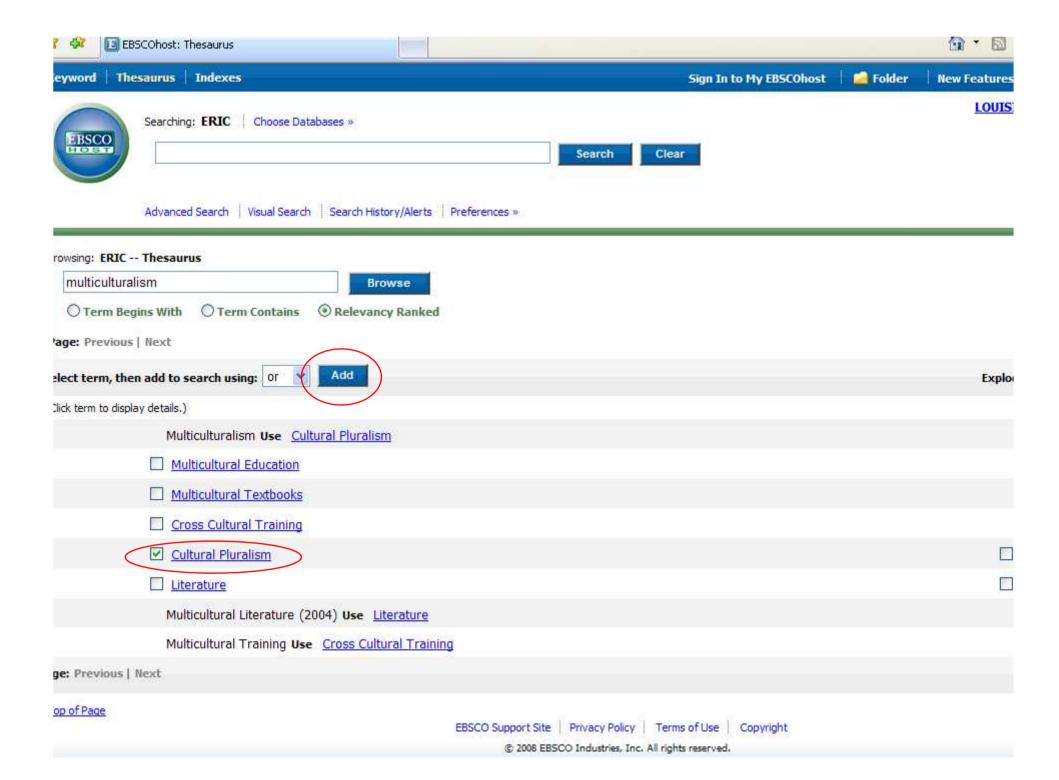
- Type your topic in the lower search box, inside the thesaurus section.
- Be sure to click on the little circle in front of "Relevancy Ranked" under the search box. That will make the thesaurus search for the meaning of the word you typed, not just those actual letters.
- Then click the "Browse" button.

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 The result tells us that this database uses "cultural pluralism" instead of "multiculturalism".



- To change your search using this new word, click on the little box to the left of that word.
- Then click on the "Add" button to take that word out of the thesaurus and up into the regular search box. The "or" drop-down menu is only used if you wanted to combine 2 or more thesaurus searches.



- The new word now appears in the top box, in what I call "database-ese", with the codes and marks to translate what you want into how the database is set up.
- Click on the "Search" button.

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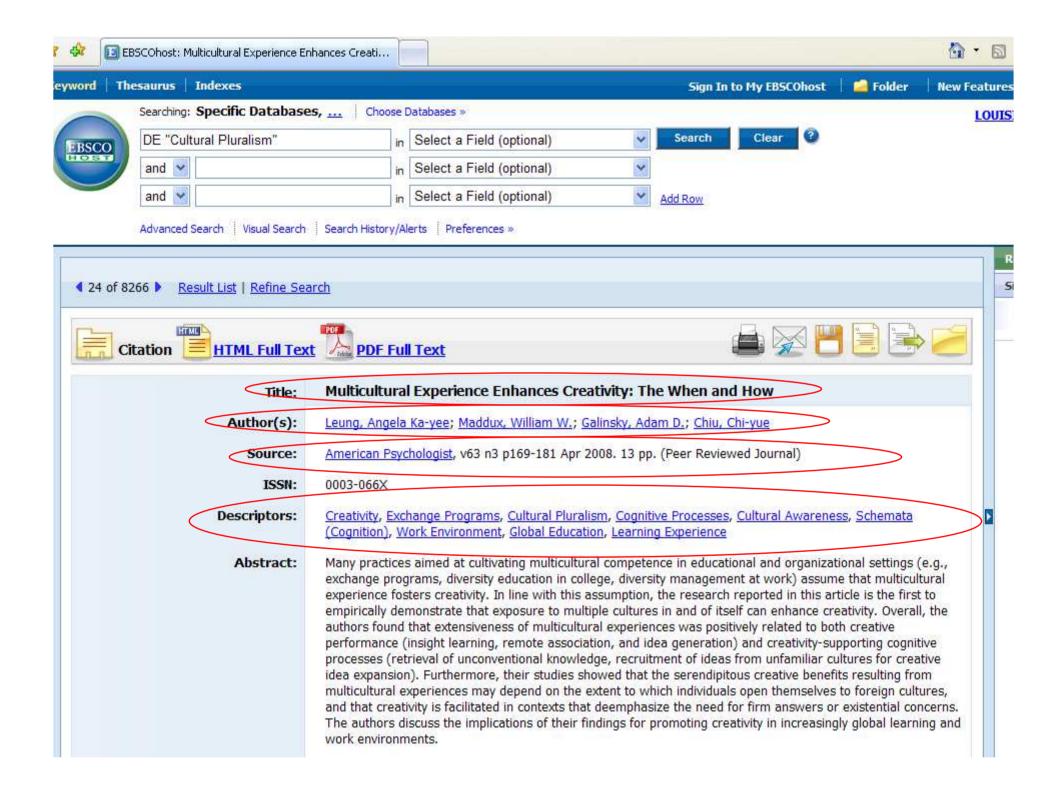
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- Go to the 3rd page of results. It is common in ERIC to have the first page or so not available because the database has information about articles before they are available or are in specialized journals.
- Number 24 says "not held locally" but does have full-text links.
- Click on the title (the blue link) for number 24 "Multicultural Experience Enhances".

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- This is also called the "citation" page, since it contains information about the article. Much of it you might not need.
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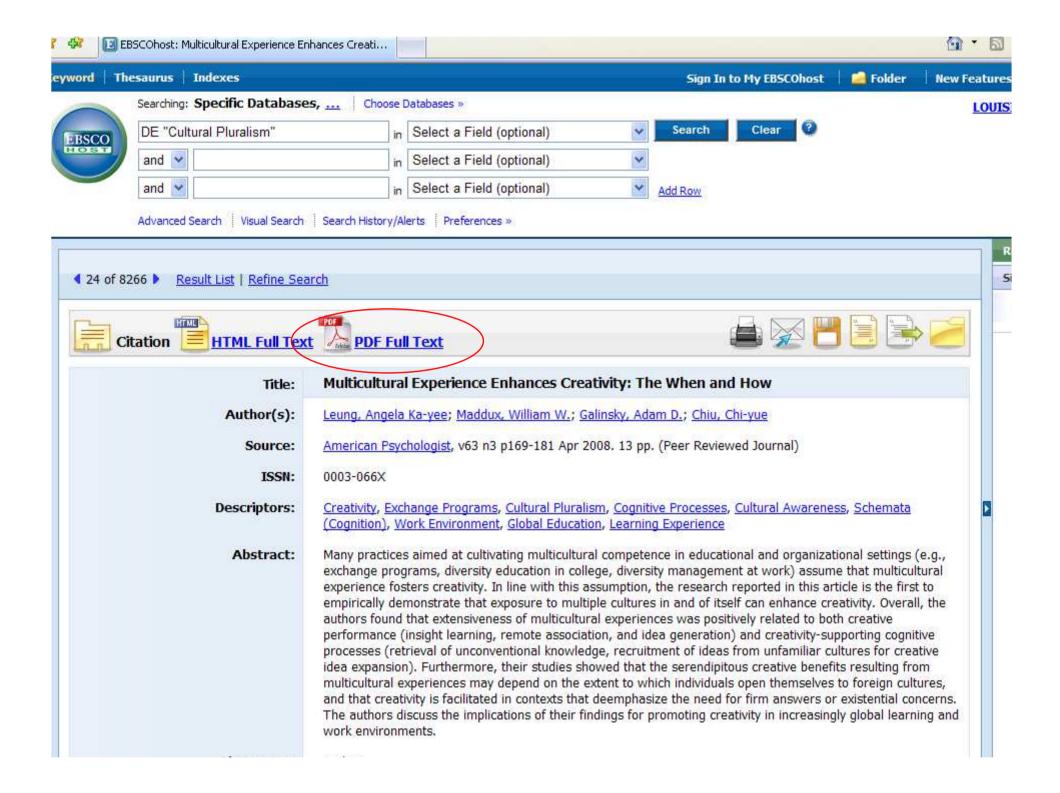
- The last parts are important if you get the full-text directly from the database:
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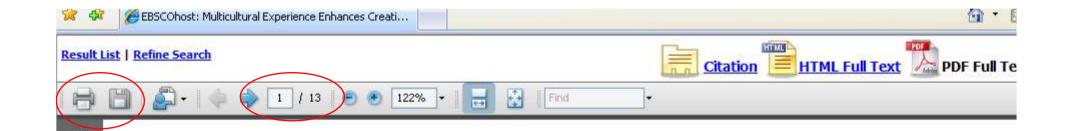
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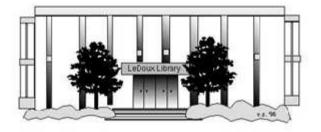
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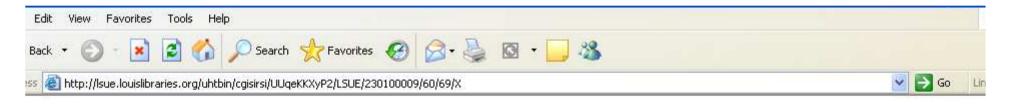


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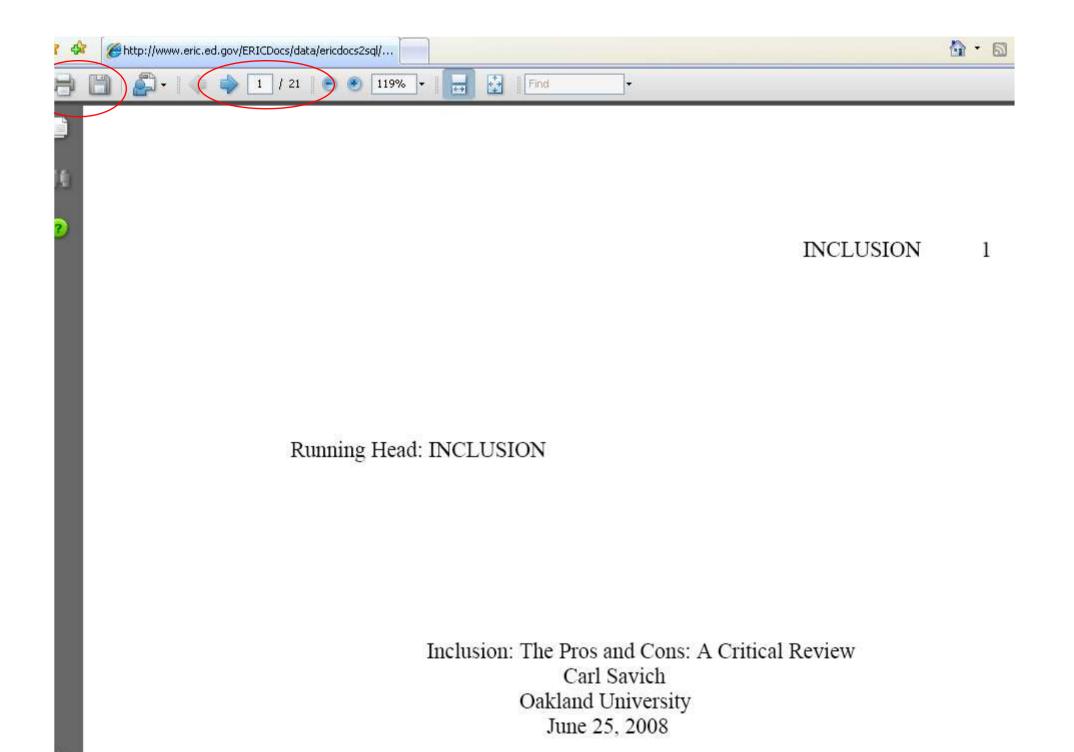
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