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## **Introduction**

The American Center Information Resource Center holds a collection of periodicals whose coverage, far from being exhaustive, is comprehensive. This collection of more than thirty titles ranges from newspapers to scholarly scientific journals. It does not pretend to present the most authoritative titles in all fields of interest. Neither is a collection for the specialist. What it aims to do is offer up-to-date sources of information on the American society and way of life, the socio-political process and contemporary U.S. policies, and be easily accessible by patrons of all walks of life.

In addition to these periodicals available in printed form, the Information Resource Center offers access to a large number of electronic periodicals in a wide range of topics via internet.

The Information Resource Center (IRC) holds back issues of its active titles. The retention period differs from title to title, and the retention information is indicated in the field "Lib. Holdings" in each periodical record listed in the Catalog. (see sample).

## User's Guide

This annual catalog is a list of the periodicals to which the American Center Information Resource Center (IRC) currently subscribes. It has two sections. The main one is an annotated list of titles arranged by broad subject category. The second one is an alphabetical list of titles.

The following is a sample of how the date is displayed in the list:

Title of periodical	International Standard Serial number	Annotation
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**American Heritage** (ISSN 0002-8738)

Covers political, economic, social and cultural aspects of America's history. Heavily illustrated with authentic American Art, much of it in full color.

**Freq.: B-M**

**Indexed in : R.G.**

**Lib. Holdings: 1991-**

Indicates number of issues  
Published per yer

Indicates back issues available in  
printed form, on CD-ROM,  
or online.

**List of abbreviations:**

A. : Annual  
 B-M : Bi-monthly  
 B-W : Bi-weekly  
 CY : Current Year  
 D. : Daily  
 Freq. : Frequency  
 M. : Monthly  
 OR : Odd Regular  
 Q : Quarterly  
 R.G. : Reader's Guide  
 Var : Variable  
 W. : Weekly

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## I. AMERICAN STUDIES

### **American Heritage** (ISSN 0002-8738)

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**Freq.: B-M**  
**Lib. Holdings: 1991-**  
**Infotrac**

### **American Literature** (ISSN 0002-9831)

Published by Duke University in cooperation with the American Literature Section of the Modern Language Association of America. The outstanding scholarly journal devoted to American Literature.

**Freq.: Q**  
**Lib. Holdings: 1996-**  
**Factiva**  
**Infotrac**

### **American Quarterly** (ISSN 0003-0678)

A scholarly journal of the American Studies Association devoted to American politics, society, history, art and belles-lettres. Annual issue lists American Studies research in progress, college and university programs in American Studies, and a theme-centered bibliography.

**Freq.: Q**  
**Lib. Holdings: 1985-**  
**Infotrac**

### **American Studies International** (ISSN 0026-3079)

This journal has two purposes, only one which is actually international. It publishes lengthy bibliographic essays and reviews of the literature on topics from American sport reviews of the literature on topics from American sport history to Chicano literature to the U.S. Congress. Beyond the bibliographic essays, other articles are generally from scholars outside the United States and emphasize international aspects.

**Freq.: 3/yr.**  
**Lib. Holdings: 1996-**  
**Factiva**  
**Infotrac**

### **Journal of American Studies** (ISSN 0021-8758)

Published by British Association of American Studies, this journal is devoted to promoting the study of the history, institutions, literature, and culture of the United States.

**Freq.: 3/yr.**  
**Lib. Holdings: 1996-**  
**Infotrac**

## II. Economics, Business and Management

### **Business Week** (ISSN 0007-7135)

The nation's leading weekly general business magazine. Articles report on current business activities and events that have an impact on the American economy.

**Freq.: W.**  
**Library holdings: 2 Years**  
**Nexis**  
**Infotrac**

### **Forbes** (ISSN 8402858)

(America Best Big Companies issue)  
 For top executives in Business & finance requiring information on cooperate management.

**Freq.: M**  
**Library holdings: 2 Years**  
**Factiva**  
**Infotrac**  
**Nexis**

### **Fortune** (ISSN 8403025)

Its is edited for top executives and upper-level managers, focusing on the ideas, issues individuals and investments that can help them better manage their businessman.

**Freq.: M**  
**Library holdings: 2 Years**  
**Factiva**  
**Infotrac**  
**Nexis**

**Harvard Business Review** (ISSN 0017-8012)

An outstanding scholarly journal offering articles in the areas of business and management.

**Freq.: B-M**

**Library holdings: 2 Years**

**Factiva**

**Infotrac**

**Nexis**

**Time, Domestic ed.,** (ISSN 0040-781X)

A news magazine noted for its incisive reporting of the national and international scene.

**Freq.: W.**

**Indexed in: R.G.**

**Library holdings: 2 Years**

**Nexis**

**Infotrac**

**Factiva**

**III. Current News and General Interest****International Herald Tribune** (ISSN 0294-8052)

The most widely read American daily newspaper published outside the U.S., incorporating editorials, features and news items from its two parent newspapers—The New York Times and the Washington Post.

**Freq.: D**

**Library holdings: 3 months**

**Factiva**

**Nexis**

**National Geographic** (ISSN 0027-9358)

A richly illustrated magazine of geography and allied subjects—travel, discovery, exploration and scientific research—in various parts of the world and in various cultures.

**Freq.: M.**

**Library holdings: 2 Years**

**Infotrac**

**CD Rom 1888-1990**

**People** (ISSN 00937673)

Marxist analysis and commentary on major development affecting working people. Also excellent resource on labor politics economics and history.

**Freq.: W.**

**Library holdings: 2 Years**

**Ebsco**

**Infotrac**

**Nexis**

**Proquest**

**U.S. News and World Report** (ISSN 8435946)

National and international affairs, reporting and analyzing news of government, business, industry, labor, international relations, national defense.

**Freq.: M.**

**Indexed in: R.G.**

**Library holdings: 2 Years**

**Nexis**

**Infotrac**

**U.S. Society and Values**

An electronic journal published and transmitted worldwide by US International Information Program at two-week intervals. It examines major issues facing the US and the international community.

**Freq.: B-W.**

[www.usinfo.state.gov](http://www.usinfo.state.gov)

**Info USA CD Rom**

## IV. English Language Teaching and Linguistics

### **Applied psycholinguistics** (ISSN 0142264)

It publishes original research papers on the psychological process involved in language. It examines language development, language use and language disorders in adults and children with a particular emphasis on cross-language studies. The journal gathers together the best words from a variety of disciplines including linguistics, psychology, reading, education, language learning, and neurology. In addition to research reports, theoretical reviews will be considered for publication as will keynote articles and commentaries.

**Freq.: Q.**

**Ebsco**

**Infotrac**

**Nexis**

**Proquest**

### **Chronical of higher education** (ISSN 0009-5982)

And Events in academe, SA,  
Chronicle Almanac, A,  
Chronicle review, OR

News, trends, legislation, meetings, seminars, workshops, and classified employment, advertising for higher education administration, faculty members, researchers and scholars.

**Freq.: W.**

**Library holdings: CY**

**Ebsco**

**Infotrac**

**Nexis**

**Proquest**

### **English for Specific Purpose** (ISSN 309010759)

Publishes articles and research notes reporting basic research in the linguistic description of specialized varieties of English and the application of such research to specific methodological concerns

**Freq.: Q**

**Lib. Holdings: 1992-**

### **ELT Journal** (ISSN 0951-0893)

An international journal for teachers of English to speakers of other language. It includes practical help on procedure and technique; discussion of methods of teaching; reports on new ideas and systems in teaching.

**Freq.: Q**

**Lib. Holdings: 1992-**

**CD-ROM 1981-1988 [61]**

### **English Teaching Forum** (ISSN 8755-0393)

Provides practical and original ideas for the teaching of English as a second language. Published by the United States Information Agency.

**Freq.: Q**

**Lib. Holdings: 1981-**

### **Modern Language Quarterly** (00267929)

On a quarterly basis, The *Modern Language Quarterly* publishes scholarly essays and book reviews that pertain to literary history. The journal has been housed at the University of Washington Seattle since 1940. As a journal of literary history, *MLQ* is devoted to understanding how literature, in its own day and in its afterlife, has made a difference.

**Freq.: Q**

### **TESOL Quarterly** (ISSN 0039-8322)

The primary publication of the American ESL/EFL profession, publishing both scholarly and practical-oriented articles. It is published by teachers of English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL), an international organization which, in many ways, defines the profession. Its articles the widest possible subject in its articles, reflecting the best in the field of ESL/EFL.

**Freq.: Q**

**CD-Rom:**

## V. Journalism

### **Columbia Journalism Review** (ISSN 0010194 X)

Official analysis of performance of print and broadcast news media.

**Freq:** BM.

**Library holdings:** CY

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Proquest

### **Foreign Policy** (ISSN 0015-7228)

Published by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, it aims "to stimulate rational discussion of the new directions required in American foreign policy."

**Freq.:** Q

**Indexed in:** R.G.

**Library holdings:** 1989-

Factiva

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### **Issues of Democracy**

An electronic journal published and transmitted worldwide by US International Information Program at two-week intervals. It examines major issues facing the US and the international community.

**Freq.:** M.

[www.usinfo.state.gov](http://www.usinfo.state.gov)

Info USA CD Rom

## VI. Performing and Visual Arts

### **Down Beat** (ISSN 0012-5768)

Current coverage of the personalities, music, and recordings of the jazz scene.

**Freq.:** M.

**Library holdings:** CY

Factiva

Infotrac

### **Journal of Democracy** (ISSN 1045-5736)

Published by the National Endowment for Democracy, its stated purpose is to document and explain democratic developments in specific countries and advance understanding of the broader conditions and strategies for instituting and maintaining democratic government.

**Freq.:** Q

**Library holdings:** 2 Years

## VII. Political Science

### **Current History** (ISSN 0011-3530)

A basic international affairs journal for the general reader as well as the specialist. A chronological summary of important events of the month, by country, appears in each issue. One issue annually is devoted to North Africa.

**Freq.:** 9/yr.

**Library holdings:** 2 Years

Infotrac

### **Middle East Policy** (ISSN 1061-1924)

A journal published by the American Arab Affairs Council to provide a forum for viewpoints on recent developments that affect U.S.-Arab relations. Includes book reviews and official texts of addresses and agreements.

**Freq.:** Q

**Library holdings:** 1985-

Infotrac

Factiva

### **Foreign Affairs** (ISSN 0015-7120)

A distinguished journal of international affairs as they affect United States relations in all parts of the world.

**Freq.:** BM

**Library holdings:** 1987-

Factiva

Infotrac

Nexis

### **U.S. Foreign Policy Agenda**

An electronic journal published and transmitted worldwide by US International Information Program at two-week intervals. It examines major issues facing the US and the international community.

**Freq.:** M.

[www.usinfo.state.gov](http://www.usinfo.state.gov)

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## VIII. Science and Technology

### **Scientific American** (ISSN 0037-7333)

Serving the scientist and lay community, this outstanding periodical offers articles on recent scientific developments and theories, historical and biographical aspects of science, and the inter-relationships of humanities and natural sciences.

**Freq.: M**

**Library holdings: CY**

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