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- Subject specific databases: Math Review, ChemVillage, Science Direct, Avery Index, etc.
- Citation styles APA, MLA, and other citation styles
- Newspaper, magazines vs. journals. Differences between primary and secondary sources.
- Evaluating resources: Online resources and traditional resources evaluation.
- Locating full-text when you only have a citation: E-Journals searching and locating a particular item through a citation
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  HC102.5.A2 K73 2004
  HC 102.5 A2 H36 1999
- **Careers in focus**. Business. 2000
  HF5381.2 .C375 2000
- **Dictionary of business** / Graham Bannock ... [et al.]. 2003
  HF1001 .D444 2003
- **Dictionary of e-business: a definitive guide to technology and business terms** Francis Botto. Botto, Francis. 2000
  HF 5548.32 B67 2000
  HD62.4 .C36 2004
- **Encyclopedia of African American business** / edited by Jessie Carney Smith; Milicent Lownes Jackson, consultant, Linda T. Wynn, consultant. 2006
  HD2358.5/U6 E53 2006
- **Encyclopedia of business** / Jane A. Malonis, editor; foreword by Martin S. Fridson. 2000
  HF1001 .E466 2000
- **Small business desk reference**. 2004
  HD62.7 .S585 2004
- **Ultimate business library: the greatest books that made management** / Stuart Crainer. Crainer, Stuart. 2003
  HF5351 .C732 2003

Useful Websites

- Bureau of Economical Analysis (US Department of Commerce) - http://www.bea.gov/
- Census Bureau Economic Programs - http://www.census.gov/econ/www/
- CNBC - http://www.cnbc.com/
- International Business Resources - http://globaledge.msu.edu/ibrd/ibrd.asp

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