



## RDG 001: Prof. Lowenfeld

### Ethnicity & Customs: background of students assignment

#### REFERENCE BOOKS

<i>Dictionary of American Immigration History</i>	Call Number: Ref. JV6450.D53
<i>Encyclopedia of African American Culture &amp; History</i>	Call Number: Ref. E185.E54 2005
<i>Encyclopedia of Multiculturalism</i>	Call Number: Ref. E184.A1.E58
<i>Harvard Encyclopedia of America Ethnic Groups</i>	Call Number: Ref. E184.A1.H35
<i>The Italian American Experience</i>	Call Number: Ref. E184.I8.I673 1999

#### **NASCAT** - Library Catalog

For Circulating books, use search terms and keywords such as:

**Ethnicity, Multiculturalism, Hispanic ethnicity, French ethnicity, Irish ethnicity, etc.**

**Also: Wedding customs, Funeral customs, Cooking & culture.**

**Some examples:**

<i>Coming to America: a history of immigration</i>	Call Number: Ref. E181.A1.D6 2002
<i>Near a thousand tables: a history of food</i>	Call Number: Ref. TX353.F437 2002

#### DIGITAL ARTICLES FROM PERIODICAL DATABASES

Use the **Resources A-Z** link on the **library's homepage** for an alphabetical listing.

Search some of the following databases using the same keywords listed previously.

[Academic Search Complete](#)

[Infotrac General OneFile](#)

[History Resource Ctr: Modern World](#)

[Reader's Guide to Periodical Literature](#)

[History Resource Ctr: U.S.](#)

**WEBSITES - Search for websites using Google's search engine (or one of your own selections) and selecting keywords such as Irish Americans, Native Americans, Russian customs, French ethnicity, Wedding customs (Italian, Hispanic, French, etc.),**

[www.worldweddingtraditions.com](http://www.worldweddingtraditions.com)

[www.midwiferytoday.com](http://www.midwiferytoday.com)

[www.recipesource.com](http://www.recipesource.com) (recipes from around the world)

[www.wyfda.org](http://www.wyfda.org) (history of funeral customs)

[www.hudsonvalleyweddings.com](http://www.hudsonvalleyweddings.com) (international wedding customs)