



## Selected Sources of Literary Criticism

### PRINT SOURCES

**NASCAT**, the Online Catalog to Locate Books about the Work and/or the Author.

Search strategies include subject heading, keyword, and title. Example:

Keyword Search: Ibsen and criticism

Subject Search: Ibsen—criticism and interpretation

#### In Reference Area

- **Excerpted Criticism Available in Reference Works**  
Example: *Short Story Criticism*, *Contemporary Literary Criticism*, etc.
- **Literary Reference Series.**  
Example: *Survey of Short Fiction*, *Dictionary of Literary Biography*, etc.
- **Book Review Digest and Book Review Index**  
Lists of published book reviews by year and author.

### DIGITAL SOURCES (Available From the Library Database List: Resources A-Z)

**Gale Literature Resource Center** to locate overviews, biographies of authors and literary criticism from books and journal articles

**Academic Search Premier** to locate full-text articles in journals and magazines

**InfoTrac General OneFile** to locate full-text articles in journals and book reviews in magazines

**JSTOR and Project Muse** to locate scholarly journal articles in full text

**MagillON Literature Plus** to locate plot summaries, author biographies

**Historical New York Times** or **Lexis-Nexis Academic** to locate book reviews in New York Times.

**MLA Bibliography** to locate scholarly journal articles

NOTE: To locate articles in the Library's print and microfilm collection, consult the Periodicals Holding List for titles, dates, and format.

### WEBSITES

American Authors on the Web: <http://lang.nagoya-u.ac.jp/~matsuoka/AmeLit-G.html>

American Authors and Literary Movements: <http://www.wsu.edu/~campbell/amlit/aufram.html>

Literary Resources: American: <http://andromeda.rutgers.edu/~jlynch/Lit/american.html>

English Literature on the Web: <http://www.lang.nagoya-u.ac.jp/~matsuoka/EngLit.html#General>

IPL Literary Criticism Site: <http://www.ipl.org/div/litcrit/>