

A guide to finding information in Roberts-LaForge Library

Subject Guide to Aviation

Browsing the Aviation Collection

The call numbers for aviation are listed below. In the event that you do not find what you are looking for by simply browsing, please consult the library catalog.

HE 9761-9900 Air Transportation. Airlines.

TL 500-777 Aeronautics. Aeronautical Engineering.

Selected Reference Books

Airplanes: The Life Story of a Technology [1L 515 .K45 2006 Ref] – this book discusses the history of
aeronautics and airplanes.
The Aviation and Aerospace Almanac [HE 9803 .A1 A9 2003 Ref] – this handbook provides information
pertaining to aeronautics and airlines in the United States.
Dictionary of Aeronautical Terms [TL509 .C73 2006 Ref] – this comprehensive dictionary contains over
10,000 entries for aviation-related terms. Some illustrations, tables, and lists are also included.
Encyclopedia of Technical Aviation [TL509 .B75 2003 Ref] – provides informative articles pertaining to
various aviation-related topics such as density altitude, calibrated airspeed, and takeoff performance.
The Vital Guide to Commercial Aircraft and Airliners [TL 670 .V57 2000 Ref] – this encyclopedia pertains
to airplanes and the history of airlines and commercial aeronautics.
World Aerospace Database [TL 512 .W66 2006 - 09 Ref] – this directory pertains to aeronautics and
aerospace industries in the United States. Also, the World Aerospace Database: Buyer's Guide is available [TL
512 .W67 2006 – 08 Ref].

Selected Databases

- **Business Source Complete** [EBSCOhost] Off-Campus Full-Text contains articles from academic journals, magazines, and other resources pertaining to aviation. SWOT analyses and industry profiles are also included. **General Science Collection** [EBSCOhost] Off-Campus Full-Text – provides full text of over 60 popular science
- iournals and magazines.
- JSTOR Off-Campus Full-Text contains articles from academic journals pertaining to many topics, including aviation.

 Regional Business News [EBSCOhost] Off-Campus Full-Text provides business news articles from journals, newspapers, and newswires. Articles pertaining to aviation are included.
- Science.gov Off-Campus Full-Text covers scientific, technical, and medical content.
- **Scirus** (1930-present) Off-Campus Full-Text access scholarly and authoritative journal and Internet literature for computer science, math, biology, chemistry, and space technology.

In addition to the databases listed above, you may also want to consult general databases such as Academic Search Premier and MasterFILE Premier.

Selected Web Sites

- Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association [http://www.aopa.org/] provides links to AOPA magazines, aviation classifieds, flight training information, a flight school database for finding flight schools, and other information.
- Aviation Links [http://www.flightland.net/] provides links to aviation-related Web sites and information about airlines, corporate aviation, and other related topics.
- Aviation Week [http://www.aviationweek.com/] provides up-to-date information pertaining to commercial, business, military, and space aviation. A job bank and information about homeland security related to aviation is also included.
- Federal Aviation Administration [http://www.faa.gov/] the official Web site of the FAA. It provides links to information pertaining to aircraft, airports, aviation statistics, training, certification, regulations, and safety.

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