

## Subject Guide: Accounting and Finance

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### Databases

  <b>Business Source Complete</b>	This database provides full-text coverage in all disciplines of business, including marketing, management, MIS, POM, accounting, finance and economics.
  <b>Gale Virtual Reference</b>	Provides profiles of nearly 3,400 jobs and 94 industries, invaluable advice on career skills, thousands of resource entries, and more.
  <b>LexisNexis Academic</b>	Full-text access to hundreds of newspapers, including The New York Times, is available here, as well as legal, reference, and business news.
 <b>ProQuest Business Databases</b>	This platform allows a search across several Proquest products including ABI/INFORM, Hoover's Company Profiles, Banking Information Source, and The Wall Street Journal.
<b>ReferenceUSA</b>	A nonpartisan resource for information on events and issues in the current world of government and politics. The ReferenceUSA database contains information on more than 14 million U.S. businesses, 210 million U.S. residents, 855,000 U.S. health care providers.
  <b>Regional Business News</b>	This database is updated daily and provides business news for the United States' metropolitan and rural areas.
<b>Small Business Resource Center</b>	Offers small business management resources for conducting industry research, financial planning, marketing a product, and franchising a business.
 <b>Westlaw Campus Research</b>	A step-by-step interactive feature aimed at helping students with critical thinking throughout the research process.

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### Reference Books

<b>Encyclopedia of Accounting Systems HF5635.E54</b>	Outlines the particulars of accounting systems for a wide range of industries, businesses, professions, and nonprofit organizations.
<b>Encyclopedia of Business and Finance HF1001.E466</b>	Topics include e-marketing, identity theft, agency theory, earnings management, social marketing, and international business. Many of the new articles are devoted to new organizations and legislation. Though the entries consist of factual histories and descriptions, many entries also provide practical information regarding types of businesses or professions that will aid any reader who might consider a career in one.
<b>Everyday Finance: Economics, Personal Money Management, and Entrepreneurship HB171.E93</b>	This two-volume text presents basic principles of economics, with Vol.1 devoted to how the economy works and Vol.2 on personal money management. Topics include basic concepts, descriptions of different kinds of economic systems, the ideas of influential economists, supply and demand, competition between businesses, and international trade. Vol.2 provides discussion of personal money management, including sections on budgeting, borrowing, saving, and entrepreneurship.
<b>A Financial History of Modern U.S. Corporate Scandals HV6769.M37</b>	This history of the major US financial scandals at the opening of the 21st century with detailed coverage of the market transactions and legal frameworks that formed the basis for the scandals.
<b>The History of Accounting: An</b>	Some 400 alphabetically arranged entries focus on a broad range of topics from accounting and economic concepts to accounting practices in different countries.

<b>International Encyclopedia HF5605.H573</b>	
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### Electronic Books

<b>Accounting Best Practices</b>	Offers information on advanced techniques and strategies to help you increase productivity, reduce costs, and efficiently monitor a company's existing systems.
<b>Bookkeeping Essentials</b>	Topic covered are: Cash and accrual accounting, Purchasing and payables, Billing and collections, Income taxes, Cash receipts, Petty cash, Bank reconciliations, The financial statements, Closing the books. Financial statement analysis. Financial reports. Record archiving. Auditing.
<b>The Controller's Function: The Work of the Managerial Accountant</b>	Provides an overview of the functions and responsibilities of the controller/management accountant in a corporation. A controller is the chief accounting executive of a corporation whose chief responsibilities include: (1) planning and control (i.e., budgeting), (2) financial reporting and interpreting, (3) tax administration, (4) management audits and development of accounting systems, and (5) internal/IT audits.
<b>Essential Management Accounting</b>	Illustrates how the application of management accounting techniques can improve business performance by linking with planning, analysis, management, operations and corporate finance.
<b>How to Understand the Financial Pages</b>	A guide to the financial media which explains the essential terms and concepts found in newspapers and magazines, financial websites, stockbrokers' research and company reports.
<b>International Financial Reporting Standards</b>	Accounting standards by the International Accounting Standards Board (IASB) and in the US by the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB). Each chapter summarizes and explains a new or revised international financial reporting standard, the issue or issues it address, the key underlying concepts, the appropriate accounting treatment, and the associated requirements for presentation and disclosure.
<b>An Introduction to Accounting and Managerial Finance</b>	Integrating the basic elements of accounting and finance, Bierman (business administration, Cornell U.) presents a text introducing readers to the real-world constraints and complexities of the two fields.
<b>Management Accounting: Retrospect and Prospect</b>	This convenient and exhaustive print reference source is designed to provide entrepreneurs with how-to information that they can apply to their own business. The Encyclopedia contains detailed articles and overviews of all the key information needs of small business users, including financing; financial planning; business plan creation; market analysis; sales strategy; tax planning and more.
<b>Mastering Financial Accounting Essentials</b>	Presents material in a way that explains the key features of modern accounting in a step-by-step style.
<b>Risk Management in Finance</b>	Helps professionals in the financial sector implement risk management processes, shows organizations how to enable data driven decision making, and provides an introduction to quality control methods such as Six Sigma and Total Quality Management (TQM). Examples and real-world case studies are included throughout.
<b>Wiley GAAP 2011</b>	Contains complete coverage of all levels of GAAP, now indexed to the new ASC. Wiley GAAP renders GAAP more understandable and accessible for research, and has been designed to reduce the amount of time and effort needed to solve accounting research issues.

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### Electronic Journals

<b>Accounting Forum</b>	Promotes greater understanding of the role of business in the global environment, and provides a forum for the intellectual exchange of academic research in business fields, particularly in the accounting profession.
<b>Advances in Accounting</b>	Emphasis continues to be placed on original commentary, critical analysis and creative research; research that promises to significantly advance our understanding of financial markets, management best-practices, behavioral phenomenon and regulatory policy.
 <b>Advances in</b>	Devoted to publishing articles about advancements in the development of accounting and its related disciplines from an international perspective.

<b>International Accounting</b>	
<b>The Economist</b>	A weekly news and business publication written for top business decision-makers and opinion leaders who need a wide range of information and views on world events.
<b>Financial Times</b>	Known for its global perspective, and recommended by world-renowned investor Warren Buffett, the Financial Times provides the insight and analysis into business, politics, and the markets that keeps you ahead of the curve.
 <b>Journal of Accounting Research</b>	Articles, research reports, capsules and comments, and thematic issues, on all aspects of accounting and the proceedings of the annual Conference on Accounting Research aimed at students, academics, libraries and practitioners.
 <b>The Rand Journal of Economics</b>	Research on the behavior of regulated industries, the economic analysis of organizations, and more generally, applied microeconomics.

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## Videos

<b>Indiana Multimedia Distribution System</b>	The Indian University provides a wealth of information in their <a href="#">Accounting</a> and <a href="#">Finance</a> video collections.
<b>Khan Academy</b>	The Khan Academy is an extensive video library, with interactive challenges and assessments. <a href="#">Accounting</a> and <a href="#">Finance</a> materials are available.
<b>NJIT Open Courseware: Accounting</b>	Provides financial accounting concepts needed for effective decision-making. This includes a brief discussion of how to record transactions using T accounts; preparing adjusted trial balances; preparing income statements, balance sheets, and statements of cash flows. Techniques for analyzing financial statements to examine a company's financial status with respect to profitability, liquidity, and solvency are also discussed.
 <b>NJVid</b>	The HCCC NJVid Collection of streaming videos can be searched with terms suchj as accounting, finance, etc. Titles include <a href="#">Introduction to Accounting Reports</a> , <a href="#">Accounting: Reporting for Cash</a> , <a href="#">Accounting: Reporting for Profit</a> , <a href="#">Financial Reporting for Business</a> , <a href="#">Money Never Sleeps: Global Financial Markets</a> , and more.
<b>Teacher Tube: Accounting</b>	A video sharing website similar to, and based on, YouTube. It is designed to allow those in the educational industry, particularly teachers, to share educational resources such as video, audio, documents, photos, groups and blogs. Learning levels are varied.

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## Websites

<b>The Big Picture Chart</b>	The chart illustrates the historical returns of major asset classes from 1926 onward. It opens into an engaging full-screen view with animation and expandable content
<b>Financial Accounting Standards Board</b>	Since 1973, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) has been the designated organization in the private sector for establishing standards of financial accounting that govern the preparation of financial reports by nongovernmental entities.
<b>FRED</b>	Short for Federal Reserve Economic Data, FRED, created and maintained by Research Department at the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis, combines data with a mix of tools that help the user understand, interact with, display, and disseminate the data.
<b>MarketWatch</b>	Published by Dow Jones & Co., tracks the pulse of markets for engaged investors with more than 16 million visitors per month. The site is a leading innovator in business news, personal finance information, real-time commentary and investment tools and data, with dedicated journalists generating hundreds of headlines, stories, videos and market briefs a day from 10 bureaus in the U.S., Europe and Asia.
<b>U.S. Securities and Exchange Commission</b>	The mission of SEC is to protect investors, maintain fair, orderly, and efficient markets, and facilitate capital formation.

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## Style Guides

<b>Citations Examples</b>	 for APA  for MLA
<b>Citation Generators</b>	<a href="#">Citation Machine</a> or <a href="#">Bibme</a>
<b>Noodle Tools</b> APA    MLA   	Noodle Tools formats and alphabetizes bibliographies in MLA, APA, and CMS styles for over 50 types of sources. Users can save bibliographies online or import to Word.
<b>OWL- APA and MLA</b>	This site, created by the Online Writing Lab of Purdue University, offers style guidance for APA, MLA, and CMS citations, bibliographies, research paper formatting, and more.
<b>Research and Documentation</b>	Website informed by <i>Research and Documentation in the Electronic Age</i> by Diana Hacker and Barbara Fister, offers help with finding, evaluating, and documenting resources, as well as sample style papers. Style include MLA, APA, CSE, and CMS.
<b>Research Tutorial: Citing Your Sources</b>	From Eastern Washington University, this resource provides interactive tutorials for MLA and APA citations, then offers hands-on ordering of citation elements.
<b>The Writer's Handbook</b>	From the Writing Center of the University of Wisconsin. This resource demonstrates several citation styles and tips for improving your writing.

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