University Writing Program
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Essay: Jonathan Lethem, "The Ecstasy of Influence"

Background Information

Oxford Reference Online
http://www.columbia.edu/cgi-bin/resolve?clio3311290
Hundreds of authoritative encyclopedias and subject dictionaries

Blackwell Reference Online
http://www.columbia.edu/cgi-bin/resolve?clio6193134
Searchable full text of various literary and cultural studies companions

Books

CLIO, Columbia’s catalog
http://www.columbia.edu/cgi-bin/resolve?AMS3996
Use Guided Search, truncation.

WorldCat
http://www.columbia.edu/cgi-bin/resolve?AMS7418
Worldwide catalog of 70 million records

Articles

ProQuest
http://www.columbia.edu/cgi-bin/resolve?ANH8357
Interdisciplinary index with searchable full text of most articles.

Web of Science
http://www.columbia.edu/cgi-bin/resolve?clio2054244
Interdisciplinary index that also tracks the sources used by individual articles.

MLA Bibliography
http://www.columbia.edu/cgi-bin/resolve?AKU2886
The most comprehensive database of citations to research on literature.

JSTOR
http://www.columbia.edu/cgi-bin/resolve?AMG1286
Full text of more than 600 scholarly journals (usually not the latest five years).

Project Muse
http://www.columbia.edu/cgi-bin/resolve?AMF5799
Full text of the recent issues of several hundred scholarly journals

Lexis Nexis Academic
http://www.columbia.edu/cgi-bin/resolve?AND3603
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