Finding journal articles on reading lists using the EBSCO database

One question we get asked quite frequently is...

How do I find the journal articles that are on my reading list?

In order to explain the easiest way of doing this I am going to use the following reference as an example:

Wright, P.M. and McMahan, G.C. (2011) 'Exploring human capital: putting 'human' back into strategic human resource management, *Human Resource Management Journal*, 21(2), pp. 93-104

In the following order, the <u>four key pieces</u> of information that we need are:

- Title of journal Human Resource Management Journal
- Year of publication (2011)
- Volume and issue number 21(2)
- Page number(s) **93-104**

Now that we have this information, the starting point is the **Journals by Title** search tab located on the library homepage.

This resource provides an A-Z list of all of the individual journals that the library subscribes to and where they can be found.

Type the name of a particular journal title into the search box (i.e., Human Resource Management Journal) and click 'Go'.



For this particular journal, there are four links:



- ABI/INFORM Complete ProQuest Database
- Business Source Premier EBSCO Database
- IMI Hard Copy Holding refers to hard-copy issues contained within the physical library journal archive
- Wiley Online Library external link to this journal but only accessible when in the IMI building

We know that the	Search within this publication		All Issues
publication year of		- "TT	+ 2014
the article is 2011. As		For "Human Resource Management Journal"	+ 2013
a result, only the		Human Resource Management Journal	+ 2012
Business Source		0954-5395	2011
Premier link will be	Publisher Information:	Wiley-Blackwell 9600 Garsington Road Oxford OX4 2DQ United Kingdom	Vol. 21 Issue 4 - 2011 Vol. 21 Issue 3 - 2011
relevant as it	Bibliographic Records:		Vol. 21 Issue 2 - 2011
contains issues from	100 C	03/01/2004 to present (with a 12 Month delay)	Vol. 21 Issue 1 - 2011
2004 – present. Click	Fuil Text.	*Full text delay due to publisher restrictions ("embargo")	+ 2010
on the link.	Publication Type:	Academic Journal	+ 2009
	Subjects:	Human Resources	+ 2008
On the next screen	Description:	Business and human resource strategy design of organizations; work and jobs; recruitment and selection; performance appraisa; training and development; and management and trade union relations.	+ 2007 + 2006
there will be a list of	Publisher URL:	http://www.wiley.com/WileyCDA/	+ 2005
publication years on	Frequency:	4	+ 2004
	Peer Reviewed:	Yes	+ 2003
the right-hand side.	2		+ 2002
As previously		WILEY Blackwell	+ 2001
mentioned, the			+ 2000
publication year of	View Links:	Check LinkSource for more information	+ 1999
the article we are	Notes:	This title is held locally in the IMI Library	+ 1998
			+ 1997
looking for is 2011.			

Once selected, a drop down menu will appear with a list of issues for that particular year. Here is the last important bit, we have identified that the article is from volume 21, issue 2. Click on this issue and you will be presented with a list of articles contained within this specific issue only. In the large majority of cases the number of returned articles will be small.

Find all my search terms: JN "Human Resource Management Journal" AND DT 20110401 Expanders	Library	JN "Human Resource Management Journa Select a Field		t Journa Select a Field (optional) - Search Clear	
Refine Results Search Results: 1 - 8 of 8 Date Newest + Furrent Search I. Exploring human capital: putting 'human' back into strategic human resource management. Search Results: 1 - 8 of 8 Date Newest + Find all my search terms: JN "Human Resource Management Journal: 2011, Vol. 21 Issue 2, p93-104, 12p. 853.2010.00165.x. By: Wight, Patrick M.; McMahan, Gary C. Human Resource Management Journal: 2011, Vol. 21 Issue 2, p93-104, 12p. 853.2010.00165.x. Date Newest + The field of strategic human resource management has seemingly rediscovered human capital with increasing research mediator in the relationship between HR practices Subjects: HUMAN capital; PERSONNEL management, INFORMATION resources management, FINANCIAL performant PSYCHOLOGISTS; Temporary Help Services; Human Resource Consulting Services; Administration of Human Resource Management, INFORMATION resources consulting Services; Administration of Human Resource Management, PSYCHOLOGISTS; Temporary Help Services; Human Resource Consulting Services; Administration of Human Resource Management, M		AND -	vanced Search Search	Select a Field (optional)	
N "Human Resource Academic J 20110401 Xapanders The field of strategic human resource management has seemingly rediscovered human capital with increasing research mediator in the relationship between HR practices Subjects: HUMAN capital; PERSONNEL management, INFORMATION resources management; FINANCIAL performanc PSYCHOLOGISTS; Temporary Help Services; Human Resources Consulting Services; Administration of Human Resources	Current Search 1. EX				
Apply related words Public Health, and Veterans' Affairs Programs)					ement Journal. 2011, Vol. 21 Issue 2, p93-104. 12p

In the case of this issue, there are a total of 8 results and the first result happens to be the article that we require.

We can now click on the PDF Full Text option and download/print the article.

The above steps can be repeated for all articles found in your reading list.

If you need any help using this guide, please don't hesitate to contact the Information Desk in the library. You can call to the desk in person, or contact us by phone (01-2078513) or e-mail **knowledge@imi.ie**