



RESEARCH GUIDE

Spanish Language & Literature



For access to the Web-based guide *Resources for Spanish Language & Literature* connect to:
<http://www.lib.uconn.edu/online/research/bysubject/span.htm>

Library Catalogs

HOMER — Library Catalog

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu> (UConn Libraries homepage) → HOMER – Library Catalog

Provides citations for books and journals owned by the University of Connecticut Libraries

WorldCat

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → WorldCat

Provides citations (and information on which libraries own an item) for books, journals, media, manuscripts, etc. held at virtually every library in the United States, as well as some in Canada, the United Kingdom, and Mexico.

Index and Abstracting Services: Literature and Language

Academic Search Premier

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → Academic Search Premier

A full-text, multidisciplinary magazine & journal database that provides the full text of over 4,500 journals and magazines, and indexes a total of more than 8,000 titles in all disciplines

MLA International Bibliography 1926+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → MLA

Produced by the Modern Language Association of America, the MLA indexes critical materials on modern languages, literature, linguistics and folklore in more than 3,000 journals and series, monographs, working papers, proceedings, bibliographies and dissertations. The materials are in many languages.

Hispanic American Periodicals Index (HAPI) 1970+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → HAPI (Handbook of Latin American Studies)

Handbook of Latin American Studies (HLAS) 1936+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → Handbook of Latin American Studies

Web of Science

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → Web of Science → Arts & Humanities Citation Search

Web of Science offers citation searching on authors and co-authors, keyword searching of abstracts, titles and KeyWords Plus, and other enhanced access to the *Arts & Humanities Citation Index*, a multidisciplinary database covering the journal literature of the arts and humanities. It indexes 1,100 of the world's leading arts and humanities journals, as well as covering individually selected, relevant items from over 6,800 major science and social science journals.

Philosopher's Index

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → Philosopher's Index

Provides author, subject, keyword and other indexing (with abstracts in some cases) of monographs, essay collections, and over 300 journals in the field of philosophy. Subjects covered include aesthetics, epistemology, ethics, logic, philosophical anthropology, philosophy of education, philosophy of language and related topics.

Historical Abstracts 1967+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu/> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → Historical Abstracts
Indexes world literature in history, and related humanities and social sciences.

ERIC 1966+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu/> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → ERIC
The premier U.S. national bibliographic database of education literature. Sponsored by the US Dept of Education, ERIC consists of two files: Resources in Education, covering document literature, and Current Index to Journals in Education, covering published journal literature from over 775 periodicals.

LLBA 1973+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu/> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → LLBA
Linguistics and Language Behavior Abstracts provides indexing and abstracts for approx. 2,000 journals with selective coverage of books, occasional papers, and dissertations. Covers theoretical linguistics, language acquisition, computational and mathematical linguistics, language therapy, and other language-related fields.

ProQuest Dissertation & Theses 1861+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu/> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → ProQuest
Dissertations & Theses

(Abstracts available online for 1980+; full-text 1997+.)

Offers the complete range of academic subjects appearing in dissertations accepted at accredited institutions in the U.S. and Canada since 1861. Updated monthly.

Full-text Resources

eJournal Locator

http://www.lib.uconn.edu (UConn Libraries home page) → eJournal Locator

The University of Connecticut Libraries purchases access to thousands of journals, online and in full text, through various databases and commercial online journal providers. The Full Text Journal Locator is used to determine if a title is available through one or more of the Libraries' electronic resources, and to connect to the database or online journal directly.

Film Studies and Cultural Resources

Film Literature Index 1973+

Level A Annex / PN 1993 F65

Alternative Press Index 1991+

http://www.lib.uconn.edu (UConn Libraries home page) → All Databases → Alternative Press Index

Print 1969-2005: Dodd Reference AI 3 A27

Left Index 1982-1999

Dodd Reference /AI 3 L4

America: History and Life 1964+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu/> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → America History and Life

Historical Abstracts 1967+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu/> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → Historical Abstracts

Women's Studies International 1972+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu/> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → Women's Studies International

Sociological Abstracts 1963+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu/> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → Sociological Abstracts

Bibliographies, Bibliographers, Guides to Literary Criticism, Characters, & Authors

These resources are particularly important when researching a concept, time period, or author occurring or writing before the establishment of many online databases or indexing/abstracting services. Also for the study of topics where a particular historiographer/bibliographer dedicated a good part of his/her life to compiling information on what was published on a particular topic, from a particular country(ies), etc.

For example, José Toribio Medina compiled works on the products of the press (from its first introduction) for virtually all Latin American countries. His works are an invaluable resource for the study of colonial Latin American Literature. Many of these works are located in the *Medina Collection*, Special Collections, Dodd Research Center.

All guides listed below include references, some more than others, to critical studies (journal articles, books and book chapters, or essays) on Spanish and/or Latin American and Caribbean literature. This is a selective list. Other guides are found in the Reference Collection and the General Collection under similar call numbers. See also *Research Guide – Literary Criticism*.

Afro-Braziliana: A Working Bibliography

Babbidge Level A / Z 1697 N4 P67

Argentine Literature

Babbidge Level A / Z 1621 F66 1982

***Indice Histórico Español*, 1953+**

Ref. Z 2696 I6

Includes sections on literature and separately published subject indexes for each year.

***Indice Informativo de la Novela Hispanoamericana* (5 vols.)**

Babbidge Level A / Z 1609 F4 C65

Modern Spanish Dramatists: A Bio-Bibliographical Sourcebook

Ref. PQ 6051 M53 2002

Puerto Rican Literature: A Bibliography of Secondary Sources

Ref. Z 1557 L56 F67 1982

Women Writers of Spain: An Annotated Bio-Bibliographical Guide

Babbidge Level A / Z 2693 .5 W6 W65 1986

Dictionary of Literary Biography

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu> (UConn Libraries home page) → All Databases → Dictionary of Literary Biography

Provides biographical and critical coverage of authors in lengthy essays. Includes several volumes dedicated to Latin American and Spanish literature. Individual titles are:

Modern Latin American Fiction Writers. First Series

Babbidge Level A Annex / PS 21 D5 v. 113 (Library Use Only)

Modern Latin American Fiction Writers. Second Series

Babbidge Level A Annex / PS 21 D5 v. 145 (Library Use Only)

Twentieth Century Spanish Poets. First Series

Babbidge Level A Annex / PS 21 D5 v. 108 (Library Use Only)

Twentieth Century Spanish Poets. Second Series

Babbidge Level A Annex / PS 21 D5 v. 134 (Library Use Only)

***Contemporary Authors* 1962+**

[http://www.lib.uconn.edu/](http://www.lib.uconn.edu) (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → Contemporary Authors

Print: **Babbidge Level A Annex / PN 451 C632 (Library Use Only)**

Provides biographical sketches often accompanied by authors' comments.

Use the *Cumulative Index*, Babbidge Level A Annex / PN 451.C633, Library Use Only) to locate specific volume and CA series.

Contemporary Literary Criticism 1973+

<http://www.lib.uconn.edu/> (UConn Libraries homepage) → All Databases → By Database Name → Contemporary

Literary Criticism

Print: **Babbidge Level A Annex / PN 771 C584** (Library Use Only)

Includes living authors and those who died after 1959.

Classical and Medieval Literature Criticism 1988+

Print: **Babbidge Level A Annex / PN 610 C53** (Library Use Only)

Covers world authors from classical antiquity throughout the fourteenth century.

Nineteenth-Century Literature Criticism 1981-1997

Print: **Babbidge Level A Annex / PN 761 N5** (Library Use Only)

Covers authors who died between 1800-1899.

Twentieth-Century Literary Criticism 1978+

Print: **Babbidge Level A Annex / PN 771 G27** (Library Use Only)

Covers authors who died between 1900-1959.

Dictionaries: Spanish/Spanish and Spanish/English

Diccionario de uso del Español / María Moliner

Ref. PC 4625 M6 1998

Diccionario de la Lengua Española / Real Academia Española

Electronic Resource / Babbidge Library / Level 1 / Information Cafe 2 / Table 6 / Shared CD-Rom 2

Diccionario de la Lengua Española / Real Academia Española

Ref. PC 4625 A3 2001

Oxford Spanish Dictionary: Spanish-English / English-Spanish

Ref. PC 4640 O94 2001

American Heritage Spanish Dictionary: Spanish-English / Inglés-Español

Ref. PC 4640 A47 2001

Dictionary of Latin American Spanish Phrases and Expressions

Ref. PC 4822 H36 2002

Dictionary of Honduran Colloquialisms, Idioms and Slang

Babbidge Level 4 / PC 4844 H6 S35 2001

NOTE: Search by **subject** in HOMER, the Libraries' catalog, to locate other Spanish-Spanish, Spanish-English, and Spanish-[other] dictionaries.

Example: **Spanish Language Dictionaries**
Spanish Language Dictionaries English
Spanish Language Dictionaries Galician
Spanish Language Dictionaries Guaraní