Google Scholar Settings

About Google Scholar

Google Scholar is a web search tool that focuses on scholarly literature, including peer-reviewed papers, theses, books, preprints, abstracts and technical reports from all broad areas of research. It covers both open access and commercial content.

The Library has enabled its full text holdings on WorldCat and EBSCO Discovery Services (the Library's OpenURL linking service) in Google Scholar. Search results will display the following University of Pretoria Library links in results, when configured correctly:

- **FullText@UP** – Links to the University of Pretoria Library’s full text sources through WorldCat.
- **EDS@UP** – Links to the University of Pretoria Library’s full text sources through EBSCO Discovery Service.

**NOTE:** To enable your computer to find the relevant material on Google Scholar, you will have to make the following changes to your settings for Google Scholar when you are off-campus. On campus users are recognized by their IP and no configuration should be needed.

Follow this link [http://scholar.google.com/scholar_settings](http://scholar.google.com/scholar_settings) that will direct you to the settings screen for Google Scholar.

1. Confirm that *Search articles* have been selected.
2. Click on *Library links*. 
From your search results, choose the relevant links on the right hand side to view the full-text journal articles. Please note that when accessing licensed library resources, from off-campus, users will be prompted to authenticate as library users.

3. In the Show library access links for box, type Pretoria.

4. Click on the Search button.

5. Mark all the boxes for the University of Pretoria, including Open WorldCat.

6. Click on the Save Button.

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