

Transcript: Using Google Scholar to search Oxford's ejournals

In this video I will show you how to get Google Scholar to display links to Oxford's journals.

If you use Google Scholar regularly from home, you may have found that you can't always see links to the PDF versions of articles. This happens when there are no free versions available online. However, Oxford subscribes to thousands of online journals, which can be found in SOLO, the library catalogue.

To save you having to search Google Scholar and then also search SOLO, there is a setting you can change in Google Scholar that tells it to search SOLO for you. Then when you search Google Scholar, you will see these Find it @ Oxford links beside articles.

To do this, go to the hamburger button (that's the three horizontal lines) in the top-left of your screen.

Select the cog icon for Settings

Select Library Links

Now search for Oxford in the search bar

Tick the box next to University of Oxford, and save. If you move institutions or are affiliated with several institutions, you can search for and add those too.

Now, if we look at the search again, you can see Find it @ Oxford links which will take you through to the full text of the article. You may have to sign in with your Single Sign On when you click the link.

Thank you for watching this video – I hope it helps to speed up your searching.