

Informit

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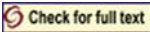
Informit contains:

- specialised databases collectively covering current affairs, health and medicine, business and economics, education, law and policing, science, engineering, humanities and social sciences, and focusing on Australia and New Zealand
- articles or brief summaries of articles produced by mainly Australian and New Zealand researchers and authors
- TVNews, an index of Australian television news, current affairs and selected documentaries from the free-to-air networks with links to the digitised video content
- the key databases, **A+ Education**, **AGIS Plus Text** (law), **Australian Public Affairs- Full Text** (humanities, law and social sciences), **Family & Society Plus**, and **Meditext** (health and medicine) and e-Library Collections for business, engineering, and the humanities and social sciences.

Use Informit to find:

- information and research on Australian and New Zealand topics
- current affairs, academic and professional journal articles
- video clips about current affairs
- information on interdisciplinary topics.

Tips:

- Use the **Find Relevant Databases** option for an overview of how much information is available on a topic, and to identify and select the most relevant databases to search. After selection, click “continue”.
- If you have selected a number of databases you will be able to search them simultaneously.
- Alternatively, use the **Databases by Subject** option as a guide to database selection. Note that some databases are no longer updated.
- In any Informit database, where the full text of a document is not available, click the  button. If a link to the full text does not appear, try **Search for this item in Monash University Library Catalogue**.

Look for similar information in:

- Newsbank newspapers: Australia and the world
- Factiva (for Australian newspapers)
- Other Australian studies databases at

www.lib.monash.edu.au/databases/australian_studies.html

Informit looks like this:

The screenshot shows the Informit website interface. At the top left is the Informit logo. Below it is a navigation bar with tabs for 'Databases by Name', 'Databases by Subject', 'Databases by Compilation', and 'Find Relevant Databases'. A secondary navigation bar contains a grid of letters from A to Z, with 'A' highlighted. Below this, it says 'Databases in use: Engineering Collection'. The main content area is a selection screen for the letter 'A', with a 'continue' button. It lists three databases:

- A+ Education** *Full text available*
Covers curriculum, educational research, information science, librarianship, management, policy administration, psychology, sociology, teaching and training and is produced by the Cunningham Library at the Australian Council for Educational Research (ACER).
170701 records; Full text articles: 2000- ; Index: 1978-
[Title List](#) | [More Information](#)
- ACCOUNT - ACCOUNT [formerly AATD]**
Covers accounting, auditing, taxation, insolvency, corporations law, superannuation, retirement planning, financial planning, practice management and human resources and is produced by the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Australia.
26240 records; 1982 - present
[More Information](#)
- AED - Australasian Education Directory**
AED is a concise accurate guide to educational institutions and related organisations in Australia and New Zealand, listing over 700 organisations and is produced by the Australian Council of Education Research (ACER).
3276 records; Updated annually
[More Information](#)

On the right side of the screen, there is a 'Welcome to Informit' section with a brief description of the service and a link to www.informit.com.au. Below that is a 'Getting Started' section with a 'Single database search' option.

More help from the Library:

Visit www.lib.monash.edu.au/help/ or

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- go to ask.monash at ask.monash.edu.au
- ask at the information desk at your nearest library. Check hours and locations: www.lib.monash.edu.au/libraries/
- log in to online chat via the Library's website.