How to locate Dance Resources in the Libraries

To find dance-related books, in print or electronic formats, go to the Libraries' home page and click on Advanced Search, then click on the Subject tab and enter the term dance-. You'll see a listing of all the subject headings related to this topic. Click on the one you want. Most dance books can be found within the Library of Congress classification numbers GV1580-1799.4.

The Music Library and Special Collections have very useful items, too, including audio and visual resources. Much of the Art & Architecture Library collection is now at Anderson Library.

To find print or electronic periodicals, go to the Libraries' home page and click on Advanced Search, and then click on Journal Title. You can just enter in the word Dance to bring up resources related to dance.

Here are a few journals you might want to look at (these are all electronic):

- Dance Chronicle
- Dance Magazine
- Dance Research
- Dance Research Journal
- Folk Dancer
- Pointe
- The journal of the English Folk Dance Society

Useful Databases

To access databases through the Libraries' home page, go to Research Tools, then click on Databases and Browse by Subject. Click on Theater and Dance to see the best resources for your research. International Bibliography of Theater & Dance with Full Text has thousands of articles to choose from. Also recommended are Academic Search Complete, JSTOR, and Project MUSE.

Useful Websites

Google Scholar  http://scholar.google.com/
Perseus Project at Tufts http://www.perseus.tufts.edu/
Smithsonian  http://www.si.edu/

Library Links:

Library Website: info.lib.uh.edu
Dance Research Guide: http://guides.lib.uh.edu/dance
Theater Research Guide: guides.lib.uh.edu/theatre

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