Innopac is an online catalog of library holdings. Our system is shared by the Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center Libraries and can be accessed from any computer with Internet access at: http://innopac.lsuhsc.edu There is no password or ID required for use of the system.

**Searching**

- Select “Items in the Shreveport Library” to search the Shreveport collection.
- Searching can be based on author name, book/journal title, subject word(s), or specific search words.

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- Search results are returned in alphabetical order based on the closest matching items.
- Up to twelve records are listed per screen. If more than twelve results are found, the “Next Page” and “Previous Page” buttons can be used to view additional results.
- Limiting a Search -- Once the catalog has retrieved search results, you may limit those results according to publication date, type of material, language, location, etc. by choosing the “Limit This Search” button. The results can also be sorted by year, with the most current being listed first; just check the “Sort Results by Year” box. After specifying limits, press the “Limit/sort items retrieved using above data” button to retrieve and view results.
To view the item record, click on the blue link.
The item record gives the information necessary to locate the item.

Library Holdings
Tells the range of volumes/ issues the library has for this title

Latest Received
Lists received date & expected dates for current journals

Locations
Tells where the item is shelved

### Item Locations

- **Serials Shreve** – Journal Collection: Current year Journals are housed on the 1st Floor
- **All Others**: A-J – Second Floor  K-Z – Ground Floor
- **Main Shreve** – Book Collection, First Floor
- **Ref Shreve** – Reference Collection, First Floor
- **Reserve Shreve** – Reserve Collection, First Floor, Circulation Desk
- **AV Shreve** – Audio Visual Collection, Second Floor

### Electronic Resources

- Some catalog items have electronic links available. These links are not accessible from the public terminals but may be accessed from the Library Computer Labs (Room 1-417 or 1-419).
- Electronic access is also available from the Library home page through “E-Journals” and “E-Books” links (http://lib.sh.lsuhsc.edu/).

### Hints

- It is not necessary to use punctuation when searching.
- Capitalization of any words is ignored.
- If a search does not yield the expected results:
  - Check spelling of all search terms
  - View nearby items that were retrieved
  - Check MeSH for alternate search terms
  - Search using an alternate search method, such as Words or Subject
- The truncation symbol is the asterisk (*): searching “Wor*” will find entries for “World, Worm, Worth” and all other words beginning with “Wor”.

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