



## Psychologists (biographies)

### Locating Information in Books

- Search [ValCat](#) online catalog, to locate books found in the Delta College Library or area Public Libraries.
- Browse the following Reference books:
  1. *Encyclopedia of Psychology* - Reference BF 31 .E52
  2. *McGraw-Hill Encyclopedia of World Biography* - Reference CT 103 .M27 1973
  3. *The Great Psychologists* - BF 81 .W35 1977
  4. *A History of Psychoanalysis* - BF 173 .F494 1979

### Locating Information in Journals and Magazines

- Search the following library databases in order to locate articles about psychologists.
  1. [EBSCO](#): Social Sciences Full Text : subjects relating to psychology are included in this database.
  2. [EBSCO](#): OmniFile Full Text : will provide the full-text of articles that cover a variety of subjects.
  3. [InfoTrac](#): search all of the databases at the same time.
  4. [PubMed](#) : is a very large index that will supply some full-text articles. PubMed contains information pertaining to all of medicine, including psychology.

### Locating Information on the WWW

There are search strategies that can be used to find credible sources on the World Wide Web. You can use Google to search for University (academic), Government, and Organizational sites for finding biographies of psychologists.

When searching Google, you can specify certain types of sites. Please look at the following examples.

1. Sigmund Freud site:.edu
2. B.F. Skinner site:.gov
3. Carl Jung site:.org

By using the command "site:.edu", you are telling Google to find information at any university site. The thought is that the information found at a university will probably be more credible than information found at just anyone's home page.

The same is true of the command "site:.gov". The information found at a government Web site, or within a government document, may be seen as credible.