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Most consulted databases and Journals for politics

**RUQuest**

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*Instruction*: RUQuest LibGuide

*Access*: RU-employees and -students.

**Journals - Top 10**

- American Journal of Political Science
- American Political Science Review
- The Journal of Politics
- International Organization
- The Journal of International Political Economy
- Political Analysis
- British Journal of Political Science
- Comparative Political Studies
- Annual Review of Political Science
- International Security
- West European Politics

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**Google Scholar**

In Google Scholar you can find references to academic publications in many different disciplines and forms (e.g. journal articles and preprints).

*Instruction*: Smarter searches with Google (partially discusses Google Scholar)

*Access*: Freely accessible.

*Special feature*: If an article is available online, the link ‘RU- Full Tekst?’ will appear next to the references in Google Scholar. If you use a PC outside RU’s IP domain, you need to make an once-only adjustment in the settings.

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