Doing a cited reference search in Web of Science

from the library home page http://library.mcmaster.ca click on the Articles/Databases Tab, and type "web of science" in the search box; click on the title Web of Science to connect to the database (Note: you may need your MAC ID)

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Use databases to find articles, data	, images , etc.
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web of science	Database Name • GO
	Go to: All Databases Already have a citation? Use our Article Finder.

2. on the ISI Web of Knowledge screen, click the "Cited Reference Search" link



3. following the instructions on the screen, give the details of the article you want to find references to. We will use the following article as an example:

Gallup, J. L., Sachs, J. D., & Mellinger, A. D. (1999). Geography and economic development. International Regional Science Review, 22(2), 179.

a. Cited Author: type the author's last name, then their first initial followed by an asterisk, e.g. gallup j*

Cited Author:	gallup j*	9
	Example: O'Brian C* OR OBrian C*	

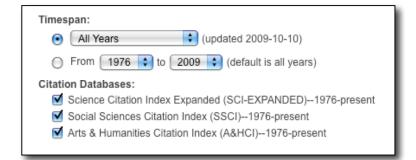
b. **Cited Work:** click the "journal abbreviation list" link to look up the correct abbreviation for the journal, e.g. for our journal, *International Regional Science Review*, it's *int regional sci rev*. Type the abbreviated journal title into the **Cited Work** input box.

Cited Work:	INT REGIONAL SCI REV	9
	Example: J Comput Appl Matir	
	journal abbreviation list	

c. Cited Year(s): type the year that the article was published, e.g. 1999

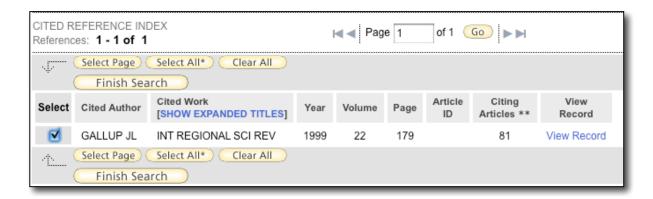
Cited Year(s)	1999
	Example: 1943 or 1943-1945
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d. at the bottom of the screen, note that you have the option of choosing one or more of the 3 available citation indexes; tick the one(s) you're interested in



e. then click Search

f. on the results screen, tick the box(es) beside any references that match your article (there may be zero, one or more); check the volume and page to be sure you have the right article. Also note that sometimes articles are cited incorrectly (wrong volume, page, year, etc.)!



- g. click Finish Search to display all the articles that cite your article in their lists of references; you may be able to click the titles of these articles to see more complete details
- h. to print, save, export, or e-mail these article citations:
 - use the checkboxes to select the one(s) you want
 - click Add to Marked List at the top of the screen to add them to the Marked List
 - then click "Marked List" at the top of the "Web of Science" tab to see your marked items and select your desired options



