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A Smarter Search Experience.

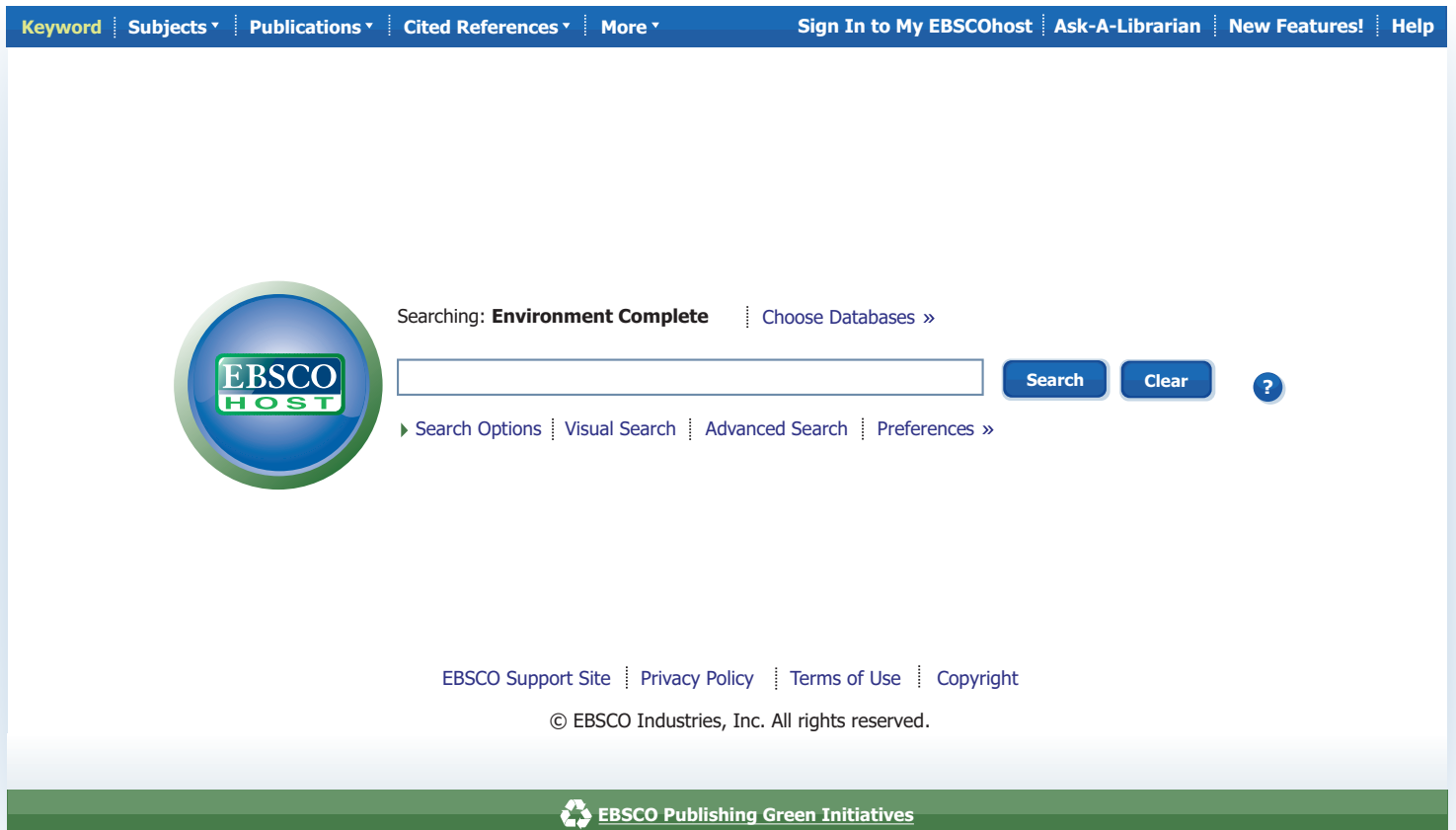


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# Experience EBSCOhost®

## Simplified Search Screen



The screenshot displays the EBSCOhost search interface. At the top, a dark blue navigation bar contains links for [Keyword](#), [Subjects](#), [Publications](#), [Cited References](#), [More](#), [Sign In to My EBSCOhost](#), [Ask-A-Librarian](#), [New Features!](#), and [Help](#). Below this, the main search area features the EBSCOHOST logo on the left. To the right of the logo, the text "Searching: **Environment Complete**" is displayed, followed by a link to "Choose Databases >". A search input field is positioned below the text, with "Search" and "Clear" buttons to its right. A help icon (a question mark in a circle) is located to the right of the search buttons. Below the search field, a link for "Search Options >" is visible, along with links for "Visual Search", "Advanced Search", and "Preferences >". At the bottom of the page, there are links for "EBSCO Support Site", "Privacy Policy", "Terms of Use", and "Copyright", followed by the copyright notice "© EBSCO Industries, Inc. All rights reserved.". A green footer bar at the very bottom contains the "EBSCO Publishing Green Initiatives" logo and text.

### ▶ Customers can also display additional search options if desired...

As always, many elements of the EBSCOhost search interface can be customized by subscribers. In addition to the clean, basic search screen (above), customers can click on "Search Options" to display available limiters, expanders, and other search modes, or set these options to appear by default.

# — Features...

## Bibliographic Record

### 1 "How to Cite"

Easy access to detail on how to cite EBSCOhost articles according to various bibliographic formats (AMA, APA, Chicago, MLA, etc.).

### 2 Similar Articles

While viewing an article of interest, easy access to additional relevant articles is presented in the right side pane. Other applicable information (including folders) may also appear.

The screenshot shows a bibliographic record for the article "Measuring the Polar Meltdown" by David Talbot. The record includes fields for Title, Authors, Source, Document Type, Subject Terms, Geographic Terms, Abstract, ISSN, Accession Number, and a Persistent link. A right-hand pane titled "Related Information" contains "Similar Articles" and "Folder has items".

## Advanced Search

The screenshot displays the EBSCOhost Advanced Search interface. It features a search bar with "CINAHL Plus with Full Text" selected, a search button, and a "Springfield Medical School" logo. Below the search bar are "Search Options" and "Limit your results" sections. The "Search Options" section includes radio buttons for "Boolean/Phrase", "Find all of my search terms", "Find any of my search terms", and "SmartText Searching". The "Limit your results" section includes checkboxes for "Full Text", "References Available", "Abstract Available", "Publication Year from", "Author", "Publication", "Peer Reviewed", "Research Article", "Exclude Pre-CINAHL", "CE Module", "Evidence-Based Practice", "Journal Subset", "Publication Type", "Language", "Gender", "Pregnancy", "Inpatients", "Outpatients", "Age Groups", and "Special Interest".

### 1 Display of Limiters

Limiters, expanders, and search modes are displayed in two-columns to provide more visibility to search options with less need for scrolling.

### 2 Subject Mapping

The needs of advanced users, such as the ability to suggest subject terms, are fully incorporated into the search experience.

### 3 Search History

Search history and alerts are easily accessible — located directly above the results list. Search history can be expanded and viewed inline with the results list.

# — Features & Functionality at a Glance...

## Smarter Results Page

The screenshot shows the EBSCOhost search results page for the query "global warming". The interface includes a navigation bar with options like "Keyword", "Subjects", "Publications", "Cited References", and "More". A search bar contains the query "global warming" with "Search" and "Clear" buttons. The left sidebar offers filters for "Source Type" (All Types, Academic Journals, Books, Conference Papers, Magazines, Newspapers, Primary Source Documents) and "Subject" (GLOBAL temperature changes, CARBON Dioxide, ENERGY Conservation, NUCLEAR Energy, CLIMATIC changes, EMISSIONS, CLIMATOLOGY, Greenhouse effect, Atmospheric GREENHOUSE gases, ECOLOGY). The main results area displays three items, each with a title, author, publication details, and a relevancy score. Item 1 is "Getting Power to the People" by Wald, Matthew L. Item 2 is "Stemming the tide (cover story)" by McDougal, Dan. Item 3 is "Measuring the Polar Meltdown" by Talbot, David. Item 4 is "The freezer defrosting: global warming and litter decomposition rates in cold biomes" by Aerts, R... The right sidebar provides "Limit your results" options (Full Text, Academic (Peer-Reviewed) Journals) and a "Date Slide Limiter" for the range 1886-2008. It also shows a "Folder has items" section for "Measuring the Polar Melt..." and a "Related Information" section with "Related Images" and "Related Articles".

### 1 Source Feature

All available source types that make up a result list are displayed, allowing users to narrow results by a specific type of publication.

### 2 Clustering

In addition to the most commonly recurring subjects in a result list, users can now distill search results by other index fields.

### 3 Breadcrumb Trail

As users click on clusters in the left side pane to narrow results, the refined search string is displayed and provides the ability to selectively remove individual terms.

### 4 Exposed Limiters

Users can directly utilize available limiters to refine a search without having to leave the results page.

### 5 Date Slide Limiter

This feature allows users to quickly limit results to a specified range of dates, a perfect complement to relevancy-ranked results.

### 6 Related Images

Applicable items from EBSCO's *Image Collection* appear adjacent to the results page. Hovering over thumbnail provides an expanded preview.

### 7 Image Quick View

Thumbnail images provide preview of graphical content within applicable PDF results.

### 8 Related Articles

Related articles from NewsBank, blogs, and other sources are also available from the results page.

### 9 Collapsible Panes

Users can open or close panes to allow wider view of results list.

### 10 Relevancy Ranking

Enhanced algorithm allows for even greater relevancy-ranked results. Results can also be sorted by date.

### 11 Preview Pane

Hover over this icon to preview individual records without having to leave the results page.

### 12 Folders

Right side pane offers an intuitive approach to organizing articles of interest. Articles can be added or removed directly from the results list or from the preview pane.

### 13 Branding

Expanded area for display of organizational branding on search and results screens.



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