

# *Government & Political Science Research Guide*

## **PRINT REFERENCE SOURCES**

### **Encyclopedias**

The Oxford Companion to Politics of the World (REF JA61 .O95 2001)  
The Presidency A to Z (REF JK511 .P775 1998)

### **Dictionaries**

The Blackwell Dictionary of Political Science (REF JA61 .B43 1999)  
Dictionary of Politics (REF JA61 .R39 1992)  
The Dictionary of 20<sup>th</sup>-Century World Politics (REF JA61 .S53 1993)  
The Encyclopedic Dictionary of American Government (REF JK9 .E53 1991)  
The Congress Dictionary (REF JK1067 .D5 1993)

### **Manuals**

North Carolina Manual (REF JK4130 .N6 2007)

### **Statistics**

Vital Statistics on the Presidency (REF JK518 .R34 1998)

### **Histories and Speeches**

The Inaugural Addresses of the Presidents (REF J81 .C95 1995)

## **CALL NUMBERS FOR BROWSING THE SHELVES**

**J** – General Legislative & Executive Papers  
**JA** – Political Science Collections & General Works  
**JC** – Political Theory. Theory of the State.  
**JF** – Constitutional History, General  
**JL** – Constitutional History, United States  
**JK** – Constitutional History, Canada & Latin America  
**JN** – Constitutional History, Europe  
**JQ** – Constitutional History, Asia, Africa, Australia & Oceania  
**JS** – Local Government  
**JV** – Colonies & Colonization. Emigration & Immigration.  
**JX** – International Law. International Relations.

## ONLINE DATABASES

**SIRS KNOWLEDGE SOURCE DATABASE** (Available on campus and from home with the use of a password)

**SIRS Government Reporter:** Contains information by and about the U.S. Government. A valuable source for current and historic government documents; landmark and recent U.S. Supreme Court decisions; information about federal departments, agencies, elected leaders and more. US Government Documents - the main database - delivers thousands of carefully selected, full-text documents and graphics from agencies, departments and commissions of the US government. Available on campus, and from home with the use of a password.

## WEB SITES OF INTEREST

**Biographical Directory of the U.S. Congress, 1774-present**

<http://bioguide.congress.gov/biosearch/biosearch.asp>

**University of Michigan's Government Resources on the Web**

<http://www.lib.umich.edu/govdocs/govweb.html>

**Political Resources on the Net** <http://www.politicalresources.net/>

**FedWorld .Gov** <http://www.fedworld.gov/>

**Democratic National Committee** <http://www.democrats.org/>

**Green Party of the United States** <http://www.gp.org/>

**Libertarian Party** <http://www.lp.org/>

**Republican National Committee** <http://www.rnc.org/>

**Socialist Party USA** <http://sp-usa.org/>