

# GUIDE to RESEARCH in SPANISH LITERATURE

## Locating Secondary literature



**A:** Primarily access to articles

**B:** Primarily access to books

**O:** Access to other kinds of materials (manuscripts, pamphlets, bibliographies, etc.)

Resources that cover all time periods of Spanish literature:

### **E- Resources**

#### **B** WorldCat.

The online catalog of books in almost all US and some European research libraries. Keyword searching by author, title, subject; with capability to limit by language, time period, etc.

*Web database:*            *Access from Libraries' Home Page*

#### **B, O** Biblioteca Nacional de España.

The catalogue, **ARIADNA**, includes: modern books published after 1831; old books, leaflets and pages printed up until 1830; manuscript books and documents; magazines and newspapers; drawings, engravings and photographs; maps and plans; video-recordings; scores and sound recordings.

*Web site:*                            [www.bne.es](http://www.bne.es)

#### **A** MLA International Bibliography

Consists of bibliographic records pertaining to literature, language, linguistics, and folklore, and includes coverage from 1963 to the present. Provides access to scholarly research in over 4,400 journals and series. It also covers relevant monographs, working papers, proceedings, bibliographies, and other formats.

*Web database:*            *Access from Libraries' Home Page, under **Online Resources***

#### **A** Bibliografía de la Literatura Española desde 1980

La más completa y única bibliografía sobre la Literatura Española actual. Pone a su disposición referencias bibliográficas de obras, ediciones, traducciones de originales y estudios sobre los mismos, aparecidos a partir de 1980 en libros o en publicaciones periódicas, homenajes, actas de congresos, misceláneas, etc.; editadas en España o en el extranjero.

*Web database:*            *Access from Libraries' Home Page, under **Online Resources***

#### **A** Humanities Full Text

A database of articles that cites articles from English-language periodicals, plus the full text of selected periodicals. Subjects covered: Archaeology, Area Studies, Art, Classical Studies, Communications, Dance, Film, Folklore, Gender Studies, History, Journalism, Linguistics, Literary & Social Criticism Literature, Music, Performing Arts, Philosophy, Religion and Theology.

*Web database:*            *Access from Libraries' Home Page, under **Online Resources***

### **A Arts and Humanities Citation Index**

A multidisciplinary database covering the journal literature of the arts and humanities. It indexes 1,144 of the world's leading arts and humanities journals, as well as covering individually selected, relevant items from over 6,800 major science and social science journals. Provides access to current information and retrospective data from 1975 forward. Do a *Cited Reference Search* and *Find Related Records*, to expand your searching forwards and sideways.

*Web database:*            *Access from Libraries' Home Page, under **Online Resources***

### **B, A Handbook of Latin American Studies**

A bibliography on Latin America consisting of works selected and annotated by scholars. Edited by the Hispanic Division of the Library of Congress, the multidisciplinary *Handbook* alternates annually between the social sciences and the humanities. Each year, more than 130 academics from around the world choose over 5,000 works for inclusion in the *Handbook*. Continuously published since 1936, the *Handbook* offers Latin Americanists an essential guide to available resources.

*Web database:*            *Access from Libraries' Home Page, under **Online Resources***

### **B, A Hispanic American Periodicals Index (HAPI)**

Complete bibliographic citations to articles, book reviews, documents, original literary works, and other materials appearing in more than 500 key social science and humanities journals published throughout the world. Covers current political, economic, and social issues, and Latin American arts and letters. Many of the citations are linked to full text.

*Web database:*            *Access from Libraries' Home Page, under **Online Resources***

### **A Traces: llengua i literatura catalanes**

A catalog of Catalan language and literature. *Servei d'Informació Bibliogràfica de Llengua i Literatura Catalanes*, from the University of Barcelona. Essential for Catalan literature, very useful for Peninsular literature as well. A searchable database of articles in journals.

*Web database:*            [www.cbuc.es/llc/](http://www.cbuc.es/llc/)

### **A Essay and General Literature Index**

Cites essays and articles contained in collections of essays and other works published in the United States, Great Britain and Canada. Focus on humanities and social sciences.

*Web database:*            *Access from Libraries' Home Page, under **Online Resources***

### **A Periodical Index Online**

An electronic index to millions of articles published in thousands of periodicals in the arts, humanities and social sciences since 1770. Includes Spanish titles.

*Web Access:*            *Access from Libraries' Home Page, under **Online Resources***

### **A JSTOR.**

An electronic archive of journal articles that includes backfiles of nearly 50 literary journals (JSTOR adds titles every year). They are searchable and include the full-text of articles in several formats. JSTOR does not, however, usually include recent years of journals. But it does go back to the early 20<sup>th</sup> century in coverage, and so acts as an index to articles that are not covered in most electronic (and print) indexes.

*Web database:*            <http://www.jstor.org>

### **A Project MUSE.**

Searches the recent years of online journals of the JHU Press. Full-text of articles now includes other presses as well; including Oxford University, Carnegie Mellon, MIT Press, Duke University

*Web access:*            <http://muse.jhu.edu/>

## Print Resources

### **B, A Bibliografía de la literature hispánica.** J. Simón Diaz

The indispensable bibliography for Spanish literature. Still a work in progress (it has reached *Francisco Pacheco* in the alphabet), but at 16 volumes to date it is an essential resource for general literature, the Middle Ages, and Golden Age. Includes Castilian, Catalan, Galician, Basque, and Spanish American (up to independence) literatures. Volume 1 covers literary history, Volume 2 bibliographies and catalogs, Volume 3 the Middle Ages, and Volumes 4-16 Golden Age.

*General Reference:* Z 2691 .S5

### **B, A Manual de bibliografía de la literatura española.** J. Simon Diaz.

Treats *Fuentes generales, Edad media, Siglos de Oro, Siglo XVIII, Siglo XIX, and Siglo XX.* Alphabetical by author; lists works written and then works about. Includes subject index.

*General Reference:* Z 2691 .S54 1980

*D Level:* PJ 1006.5 .S62 1963 and 1980 editions

### **B, A Manual de literatura española.** Felipe Pedraza-Jiménez.

1. Edad Media -- 2. Renacimiento -- 3-4. Barroco (2 v.) -- 5. Siglo XVIII -- 6. Epoca romántica -- 7. Epoca del realismo -- 8-9. Generación de fin de siglo (2 v.) -- 10-11. Novecentismo y vanguardia (2 v.) -- 12-14. Posguerra (3 v.). A multi-volume, thorough history (or manual) of Spanish literature, with extensive "*Bibliografía citada*" at the end of each section. Detailed information on authors and literary movements. Includes index of authors names in each volume. Use the detailed "*Contenido*" at the back of each volume for orientation.

*D Level Blue Labels:* PQ 6032 .P4

### **B, A Romanische Bibliographie.**

An annual publication of work in the field of Romance languages and literature. Each year includes a large section on Spanish literature, arranged by time period, and then by author. Includes a lot of non-English sources. Includes Catalan and Galician literature. A resource not to be overlooked.

*D Level (1985-2001):* Blue Labels PC 3 .Z481

*Libraries Service Center (LSC) (1975-1984):* PC 3 .Z481

*Libraries Service Center (LSC) (1875-1974):* PF 3 .Z42

### **B, A The year's work in modern language studies.**

Critically assess major articles, books and new editions. Better coverage of English language than Spanish language publications. Very useful introduction to recent secondary literature.

*Libraries Service Center (LSC) 1929-1974:* PD 1 .Y39

*D Level 1975-2002:* PB 1 .Y45

*General Reference 2003:* PB 1 .Y45

### **A Materiales de investigacion: indice de articulos de revistas** (1939-1949)

A 2-volume set, alphabetical by subject. Indexes 10 years of Spanish periodicals, covering material not included in any database.

*B Level:* AI 17 .T6

## **Print Resources - continued**

### **B, A, O Manual de bibliografía de la literatura española.** H. Seris.

Divided into chapters of *Obras generales*, *Obras bio-bibliográficas*, *Géneros literarios*, and *Cultura*. The literary section is subdivided into poetry, theater, and other genres. There are separate sections for countries, writers, regions of Spain in some chapters. An older but very useful bibliographic tool.

*Libraries Service Center (LSC):*

*PJ 1006.5 .S48*

### **B Autoras en la historia del teatro español (1500-2000).**

4-volumes, chronological arrangement. Volume 4 is an index for the set. Information on each writer includes brief biographical profile; works written with setting, characters, and synopsis of plot; and brief bibliographical notes (secondary sources).

*D Level:*

*Z 2693.5 .W6 A8 1996*

### **B, A Bibliography of the drama of Spain and Spanish America.** R. Grismer

Alphabetical by author of the article or book, so less than useful without the index. The index however gives access by name of writer, by genres (opera, entremés, etc), by city, by title.

*D Level:*

*PJ 1006.5 .G7 Quarto*

### **B, A The feminist encyclopedia of Spanish literature**

A 2-volume set with articles on women writers. Includes a short essay on each writer, followed by a list of their works and works about them.

*D Level Blue Labels:*

*PQ 6055 .F46 2002*



## **Edad Media**

**B, A La Edad Media** J. Simón Diaz. (Volume 3 of the *Bibliografía de la literatura hispánica*).  
The fullest bibliography of the period.

*General Reference:*                    Z 2691 .S5

## **B, A Boletín Bibliográfico de la Asociación Hispánica de Literatura Medieval**

A comprehensive bibliography of Spanish (Castilian, Catalan, Galician etc.) medieval literature. Easy to use and very rich in content.

*Web database:*                    <http://griso.cti.unav.es/medieval/ahlm/principal.html>

## **A International Medieval Bibliography**

A comprehensive, current bibliography of articles in journals and miscellany volumes (conference proceedings, essay collections or Festschriften) worldwide.

*Web database:*                    Access from Libraries' Home Page, under **Online Resources**

## **A, O ITER: Gateway to the Middle Ages and Renaissance**

“Covers all literature pertaining to the Middle Ages and Renaissance (400-1700). Citations for journal articles, reviews, bibliographies, catalogues, abstracts and discographies are included. Also included are citations for monographs, and material published in monographs and collections of essays.”

*Web database:*                    Access from Libraries' Home Page, under **Online Resources**

## **B, A Repertorio de medievalismo hispanico (1955-1975)**

A 4-volume bibliography of articles and books on the Spanish Middle Ages. All subjects, including literature covered. Unfortunately, as valuable as it is as a source of hard to find materials, it has no index. So its usefulness is minimal, since it is arranged alphabetically by author's name (author of the book or article).

*B Level:*                                DP 3.5 .S18



## Siglos de Oro

### **B, A Bibliografía de la literatura hispánica.** J. Simón Diaz

The indispensable bibliography for this time period. Still a work in progress (it has reached *Francisco Pacheco* in the alphabet), but at 16 volumes to date it is an essential resource for the Middle Ages and Golden Age. Includes Castilian, Catalan, Galician, Basque, and Spanish American (up to independence) literatures.

*General Reference:*                      *Z 2691 .S5*

### **B, A Spanish literature 1500-1700:** a bibliography of Golden Age studies in Spanish and English 1925-1980.

A substantial (700+ pages) listing of works, organized by genres and also alphabetical by author. Good indexes.

*General Reference:*                      *Z 2692 .M57 1984*

### **B, A Das spanische Drama im goldenen Zeitalter/ El teatro español en los siglos de oro: inventaio de bibliografías.**

A bibliographical handbook, divided into *Generalidades*, *El teatro de los siglos de oro*, *Bibliografías de orientación temática*, *Los autores y sus obras dramáticas*, *El escenario y las representaciones*, *La impresion de textos dramáticos*, and *Catálogos*. There is a subject index, and a register of libraries.

*D Level:*                                      *PJ 1006.5 .R46 1989*

### **O Spanish Golden Age drama:** an annotated bibliography of US doctoral dissertations 1899-1992, with a supplement of non-US dissertations.

The title describes it. A useful index of dissertations, with indexes of institutions, authors and directors of dissertations, subjects and titles.

*D Level:*                                      *Z 2694 .D7 R6 1998*

### **B, A Catálogo bibliográfico de la literatura picaresca siglos XVI-XX** J.L.Laurenti

2-volume guide to studies on all phases of the picaresque novel.

*D Level Blue Labels:*                      *PQ 6147 .P5 Z995 2000*

### **B, A Castilian romances of chivalry in the 16<sup>th</sup> century.** D. Eisenberg.

Includes both primary and secondary references. For the best known romances, lists all manuscripts and printed editions, as well as studies. Includes an index of names. Library holdings included.

*Libraries Service Center (LSC):*                      *PJ 1147 .C5 Z993*

### **B, A Bibliografía razonada y anotada de las obras maestras de la picaresca española.**

J.V.Ricapito.

An annotated bibliography of works on the picaresque in Spain, as well as individual authors. Detailed table of contents and numerous cross-references.

*D Level:*                                      *PJ 1147 .P5 Z997 1980*

## **Siglos de Oro - continued**

### **B, A, O Bibliografía de la literatura picaresca.** Joseph Laurenti.

For each novel, lists editions and translations (English, German, French, Dutch, Italian, and more), as well as studies on all Spanish picaresque novels. Also has sections on bibliographies, anthologies, studies on the picaresque, relations to other literatures.

*Libraries Service Center (LSC):* PJ 1256 .P5Z948 1973

Also a **Supplement**, updating the studies to 1978.

*Libraries Service Center (LSC):* PJ 1256 .P5Z948 1973 *Suppl.*

### **B La novela barroca: catálogo bio-bibliográfico (1620-1700).** B. Ripoll.

32- 17th century writers are included. For each, a brief biographical profile, a list of early editions, reproductions of the first edition title pages, references to major critical studies (bibliography of these included) and to *Estudios*. Several indexes: chronological by year, titles, printers and booksellers.

*D Level:* PJ 1006.5 .R56 1991

### **B, A Bibliographie internationale de l'humanisme et la Renaissance.**

A very interdisciplinary index. Includes references to works in many languages and many subjects; economics, jurisprudence, philosophy, religion, art, the sciences, and literature. Loosely, it covers the 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> centuries. Index by *Matières* (rather general subject headings), by geographical regions, and by author.

*D Level:* Z 6207 .R4B5



## Siglo XVIII

**B, A Bibliografía de autores españoles del siglo XVIII**. Francisco Aguilar Piñal.  
10 volumes, so far, the fullest bibliography of 18<sup>th</sup> century Spanish literature. Provides data on manuscripts, works by an author, critical studies, and the location of the works in at least 1 library. Several indexes.  
*D Level:* *Z 2682.A64 1981*

**O Spanish, Catalan, and Galician literary authors of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries: an annotated guide to bibliographies**. David S. Zubatsky  
Extremely helpful source for finding bibliographies on an author.  
*General Reference :* *Z 2691 .A1 Z85*

**B, A, O Bibliografía del romancero oral**. A. Sánchez Romeralo, et al.  
Covers the "modern oral tradition", from 1700 to the present. Includes primary sources as well as studies of the *Romancero*. Several useful indexes: by title of ballad, by archives and libraries, by authors, by places, by date, by "area" that is Spanish, Catalán, Canarian, Portuguese, etc. An indispensable guide to this field.  
*D Level:* *PJ 1089 .Z99 S26 1980*

**B, A Catálogo de autores teatrales del siglo XVIII**. J. Herrera Navarro.  
Alphabetical by authors' names, includes brief biographical profile followed by a list of works and a brief list of *Estudios*. Name and title indexes. Very useful *Bibliografía utilizada para la formación del Catálogo* at the back.  
*D Level:* *PJ 1103.9 .H47 1993*

**B, A The Eighteenth century**: a current bibliography.  
An annual volume, listing studies on the 18<sup>th</sup> century in general, but including a section on *Literary Studies* (also *Printing, Historical, Social Studies, Philosophy, Science, Fine Arts, Individual authors*). While it's heavily weighted towards English (and French) writers, any student of the 18<sup>th</sup> century should be familiar with it.  
*D Level:* *Z 5579.6 .E36*



## Siglo XIX

### **B, A The Romantic movement.** a selective and critical bibliography for...

An annual compilation of literature on Romanticism. Includes a section each year on Spain. Indispensable survey of important works in both Spain and Latin America.

*General Reference:* Z 6514 .R6 R63

### **B, A The origins of Spanish Romanticism: a selective annotated bibliography.** M. Jacobson

It's slim, but it's full of information. Heavily annotated (long) citations of works that are important in the field.

*Libraries Service Center (LSC):* PJ 1006.5 .J33 1985

### **O Spanish, Catalan, and Galician literary authors of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries: an annotated guide to bibliographies.** David S. Zubatsky

Extremely helpful source for finding bibliographies on an author.

*General Reference :* Z 2691 .A1 Z85

### **A Literatura y periodismo en las revistas del Fin de Siglo : estudio e indices (1888-1907).**

A study of 20 fin-de-siglo periodicals, with complete listing of contents. An index in the back makes it a very useful tool for material that is not otherwise indexed.

*Libraries Service Center (LSC):* PJ 1072 .C445 1991

### **B, A Catálogo de dramaturgos españoles del siglo XIX.** T. Rodríguez Sánchez.

Alphabetical by author's name, directory to dramatic writers. Includes very basic biographical information, a listing of their works, and some references to secondary literature.

*D Level Blue Labels:* PQ 6113 .R113 1994

### **B, A Catálogo de estudios sobre el teatro romántico español y sus autores.** José Luis González Subías.

Very handy bibliography of studies on Spanish Romantic drama and individual authors. Section I : *Estudios y escritos acerca del teatro español en la época romántica* (1810-1870) is a chronological listing of general studies, going back to 1810. Section II : *Bibliografía sobre autores* is an alphabetical by author listing of studies on individual writers and their works. Section III : *Fuentes bibliográficas indirectas* is a chronological listing of articles and books of interest to the study of Spanish Romanticism, beginning in 1820.

*D Level :* Z 2694 .D7 G67 2005 *Quarto*

### **B, A The nineteenth- century theatre in Spain: a bibliography of criticism and documentation.** Margaret Rees.

A specialized bibliography of studies on the 19<sup>th</sup> century Spanish theater. Alphabetical by author (or anonymous title). Indexes of Titles, Subjects, and Names. Includes studies from 1800 to 2001.

*D Level Blue Labels:* PN 2783 .R44 2001

### **B, A Bibliografía del romancero oral.** A. Sánchez Romeralo, et al.

Covers the "modern oral tradition", from 1700 to the present. Includes primary sources as well as studies of the *Romancero*. Several useful indexes: by title of ballad, by archives and libraries, by authors, by places, by date, by "area" that is Spanish, Catalán, Canarian, Portuguese, etc. An indispensable guide to this field.

*D Level:* PJ 1089 .Z99 S26 1980



## Siglo XX

### **O Spanish, Catalan, and Galician literary authors of the twentieth century: an annotated guide to bibliographies.** David S. Zubatsky

Alphabetical by author's name, a listing of bibliographies on individual 20th century writers, plus a bibliography of general sources.

*General Reference :* Z 2691 .A1 Z83

### **B, A, O La guerra civil española en la novel: bibliografía comentada.** M. Bertrand de Muñoz

An outstanding bibliography that covers not only Spanish writers (those who wrote in Spain and in exile), but also authors of more than 20 countries who wrote novels dealing with the Spanish Civil War. 3 volumes.

Basically, it lists novels of the period; each entry includes nationality and dates of author, a summary of the novel, and a brief critical note. Volume 2 has a brief bibliography of secondary sources (p. 699-731), and a list of libraries that have important collections of Civil War material. Many useful indexes (mujeres novelistas, obras por año de publicación, índice de la ideología política de los personajes, etc.)

*D Level:* P 5448 .W3 Z9938 1982

### **B Bibliografía de la novella de la Guerra civil y el Franquismo.** Carlos Fernández Santander

Lists novels written during the period, but also has a short bibliography of secondary sources, and essays on the literature.

*D Level:* Z 5917 .W33 F46 1996

### **B, A The contemporary Spanish novel: an annotated critical bibliography, 1936-1994.** S.

Amell

Divided into 2 sections – books and articles. With indexes by author and title. Each entry has informative commentary.

*D Level:* Z 2694 .F4 A64 1996

### **B, A, O La novela española entre 1936 y el fin de siglo: historia de una aventura.** J.M.

Cachero

A very valuable annotated bibliography (p. 661-806) dealing with the Spanish novel of this period. Includes studies of individual authors and works. Divided into articles, pamphlets, and books.

*D Level Blue Labels:* PQ 6144 .M35 1997

### **B, A Las literaturas hispánicas de vanguardia: orientación bibliográfica.**

Includes Spain and Latin America.

*D Level:* PJ 1006.5 W39

## **Siglo XX - continued**

### **B, A Diccionario de las Vanguardias en España, 1907-1936.**

For all but the most important writers, (i.e. Garcia Lorca), there is no real critical information. But this is a useful resource for Vanguard studies, includes all kinds of artists, visual and literary, as well as information on many periodicals of the period.

*D Level:* *NX 562 .A1 B66 1995*

### **B, A, O Bibliografía del romancero oral.** A. Sánchez Romeralo, et al.

Covers the "modern oral tradition", from 1700 to the present. Includes primary sources as well as studies of the *Romancero*. Several useful indexes: by title of ballad, by archives and libraries, by authors, by places, by date, by "area" that is Spanish, Catalán, Canarian, Portuguese, etc. An indispensable guide to this field.

*D Level:* *PJ 1089 .Z99 S26 1980*



This represents only the basics of finding secondary literature. There are many other, more specialized resources.

- A good way to find such things is to use the "**Type of Literature**" search. By doing a keyword subject search in a library catalog on types of literature such as:  

<i>catalogs</i>	<i>criticism and interpretation</i>	<i>bibliography</i>
<i>indexes</i>	<i>periodicals</i>	<i>sources</i>

you can exploit the fact that these categories are standardized across US library catalogs, and locate relevant or specialized resources.

For example, to find published bibliographies on a writer, do a subject keyword search on author's last name and the word **bibliography**. This is especially useful at Hopkins, as bibliographies are often in Libraries Service Center (LSC) Park and cannot be found by browsing the stacks. The search: *garcia lorca bibliography* retrieves 3 titles.

A subject search on *spanish periodicals indexes* will retrieve 9 important titles.

- You may have noticed certain call numbers that are particularly important. **Browsing** PJ 1006, either in the stacks, or even better, in the online catalog, will turn up some interesting things. Likewise, Z 2680 – 2690 is a place you should be familiar with.
- By reading the **introductions and prefaces to the older printed indexes**, you will find other bibliographies and indexes mentioned. Follow these leads where possible.
- There are many published **guides to research in Spanish literature**. Here are a few. ***These are especially useful in Spanish and Latin American literature, as there are many, many published indexes and bibliographies.*** You can locate guides with a subject keyword search on:  
*reference books, spanish, bibliography, philology, handbooks, manuals*

Guide to reference works for the study of the Spanish language and literature and Spanish American literature. Hensley Woodbridge. *General Reference Z 2695 .A2 W66 1997*

Guide de bibliographie hispanique. E. Arnaud. *Libraries Service Center (LSC) Park Z 2681 .A75*

A sourcebook for hispanic literature and language. D.W. Bleznick. *General Reference Z 2695 .A2 .B55 1995 (1970 edition in Libraries Service Center (LSC) Park)*

Manual de investigación literaria : guía bibliográfica para el estudio de la literatura española. Pablo Jauralde Pou. *D Level PJ 1006.5 .J38 1981*

Spanish, Catalan, and Galician literary authors of the twentieth century : an annotated guide to bibliographies. David S. Zubatsky. *Libraries Service Center (LSC) Park PH 1911 .Z99 Z83 1992*

**David W. Foster** has written several bibliographies of literature of individual Latin American countries (Mexico, Peru, Brazil, Puerto Rico...), as well as many research guides to Spanish literature. Look him up by author in the Libraries' Catalog.

- Finally, there are many published **guides to literary research** in general. Find them as well with a subject keyword search on:

*Literature, research, methodology, bibliography, library*

Or a title keyword search on *literary research*.

The art of literary research. Richard D. Altick and John J. Fenstermaker. *D level PO 33 .A4* 1993.

Handbook of literary research. R.H. Miller. *D Level PO 56 .M54* 1995.

A handbook to literary research. ed. Simon Eliot and W.R. Owens. *D level Blue Labels PN73.H36* 1998

The Oxford guide to library research. Thomas Mann. *D Level Z710.M23* 1998