Subject Guide

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This guide lists selected online, electronic and print information sources available to Kwantlen Faculty, students and staff. Check the Library Catalogue to find additional resources at KUC.

- Journal & Article Indexes
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Other KUC Library Resources by Subject guides that may be of interest to Automotive students:
- Job Search

Journal & Article Indexes

KUC Library subscribes to a variety of journals both in print and online. If you’re not sure if a journal is scholarly (often called “academic” or “peer-reviewed”), look at our checklist.

Article Indexes & Databases

- ALLDATA Automotive
- Academic Search Premier
- Applied Science and Technology Index
- Business Source Premier
- Canadian Periodical Index (CPI.Q)

Online Journals and Magazines

- Automotive Body Repair News (ABRN)
- Automotive Engineering International Online
- Automotive News
- AutoWeek-the Auto Enthusiast's Online Resource
- Babcox Magazines
- Canadian Driver
- Car and Driver
- Motor Magazine
- Motor Trend
- Selected Print Journals in the Library

Background Information

Important Print Resources

- Auto Brakes Technology TL 269 J65 2000 Cloverdale
- Auto Fundamentals TL 240 S84 2000 Cloverdale
- Auto Heating and Air Conditioning Technology TL 271 J65 2001 Cloverdale
- Auto Suspension and Steering Technology TL 257 J64 2000 Cloverdale
- Automatic Transmissions and Transaxles TL 263 J65 2002 Cloverdale
- Automotive Brake Systems TL 269 E37 2001 Cloverdale
- High and Mighty: SUVs-the world's most dangerous vehicles and how they got that way TL 230.5 S66 B73 2002 Surrey
- Modern Automotive Technology TL 146 D84 1998 Cloverdale
- Car Craft Cloverdale
Selected Online Reference Tools

- Cambridge Dictionaries Online
- Encyclopedia of British Columbia - a comprehensive online reference source for BC-related information, including articles, sound files, images, maps, charts and graphs.
- Online dictionaries - A list of more than 400 online dictionaries.
- Oxford Reference Online - Provides access to 100 key Oxford dictionaries and reference works across a broad subject spectrum.
- WWWWebster Dictionary - include pronunciation, etymology, and a built-in thesaurus.
- Autopedia - the Automotive Encyclopedia
- Inner Auto Parts - How Cars Work 101
- AutoWorld - Automotive Terminology 101

Selected Videos

- Phantom Fix [videorecording] TL 153 P45 2002 Surrey
- Steering Angles [videorecording] TL 256 A78 pt. 4 Cloverdale
- Worksafe BC - videos

Citation Styles

- APA - American Psychological Assoc. guidelines
- MLA - Modern Language Assoc. standards

Automotive Web Resources

- Auto Central
- Auto Channel
- The AutoGuide
- Autobody Online
- The AutoMakers - Field Guide to Automotive Technology
- Autoshop 101
- Autosite
- Cars.com - comprehensive online resource for buying, selling and owning a vehicle
- Car Stuff
- Fluke Test and Measurement Tools
- How Car Stuff Works
- Pittsburg State University Research Guide Automotive Technology
- Mitchell 1
- Where to Find Material Safety Data Sheets on the Internet
- Worksafe BC - videos

TIP: Don't believe everything you read! Evaluate web

Associations & Organizations

- Automotive Aftermarket Industry Association (AAIA)
- Automotive Service and Repair Association
- Automotive Service Association (ASA)
- iATN (International Automotive Technicians' Network)
- Japan Automobile Manufacturers Association
- National Institute for Automotive Service Excellence (ASE)
- Society of Automotive Engineers
- Canadian Labour Congress
- Auto Manufacturers
- Chrysler
- Ford Motor Company
- General Motors
- Car Stuff Links to Car Manufacturers
safely very carefully for their accuracy, authority, and currency. Here are some evaluation criteria to help you.

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Government Websites
- Apprenticeship and the Red Seal Program
- Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety
- Canadian General Standards Board
- Occupational Outlook Handbook - United States
- Workers' Compensation Board of B.C.

Automotive Schools
- Conestoga College
- Kwantlen University College
- Northern Alberta Institute of Technology
- Red Deer College
- Southern Alberta Institute of Technology

Job Search
- Auto Service Technology Career Guide
- Canadian Careers Page
- Job Shark Canada
- Monster.ca
- Also, check out Kwantlen Library's Job Search page

Suggest a Purchase

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