Instructions for Accessing the Databases through Canvas

In the navigation sidebar to the left, click on the "Library Resources" link. From that page, select "A-Z Database List."

This pulls up a page that has links where you can search for pages alphabetically. However, it is easier just to type the database you want to access in the "Search for Databases" in the search bar section at the top of the page.

We will be working with the following database:

• Points of View Reference Center

Directions:

- 1. Try to find a topic that interests you in the **Points of View Reference Center**
- 2. Read through the **Point/Counterpoint** for your topic (the green and blue boxes on the right side of the page.
- 3. Look at the **Bibliography** at the bottom of the page. This can be one way to find some sources for your research.
- 4. Now do a Google search for your topic. Do you get a large number of results?
- 5. Try to limit your Google search by asking some questions related to your topic? For example, if you are interested in Animal Rights, a related question might be, "Should research conducted on animals be discontinued in the United States?"
- 6. How does asking questions change the search results?