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KULiP Kobe University Library Pathfinder

Functions of the Library Website

With the Library Website, you can

- Search for library resources (OPAC)
- Check notifications or opening hours
- Access databases by links
- Check due date or apply for extension of due date

....., etc.

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1. Information on the Top Page

Access

You can access the library website by searching for the words “Kobe univ. lib.” on a search engine. https://lib.kobe-u.ac.jp/en/



Information on the Top Page

① Search for Library Resources

You can find and access library resources.

② Menu

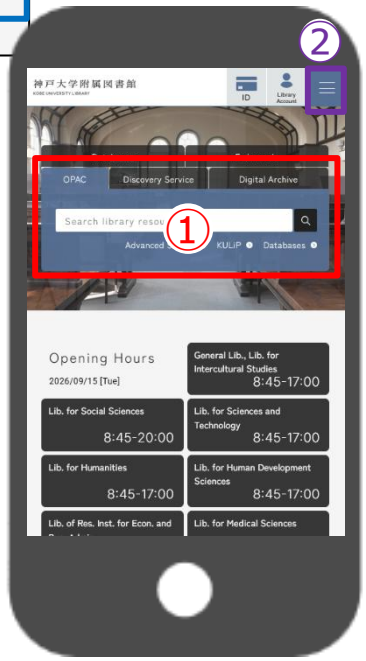
You can look up information about library services.

③ Notifications / Tweets

Notifications from the library.

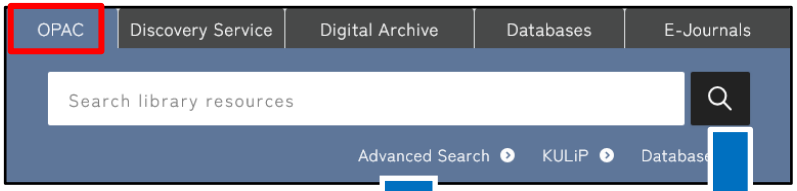
④ Each Library’s Information

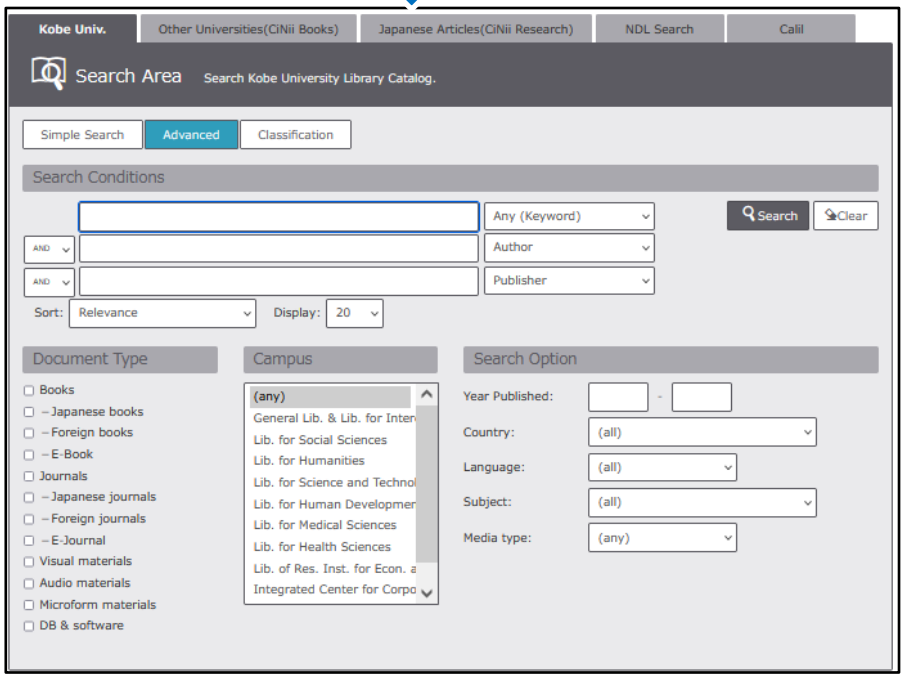
Each library’s weblinks and open hours.

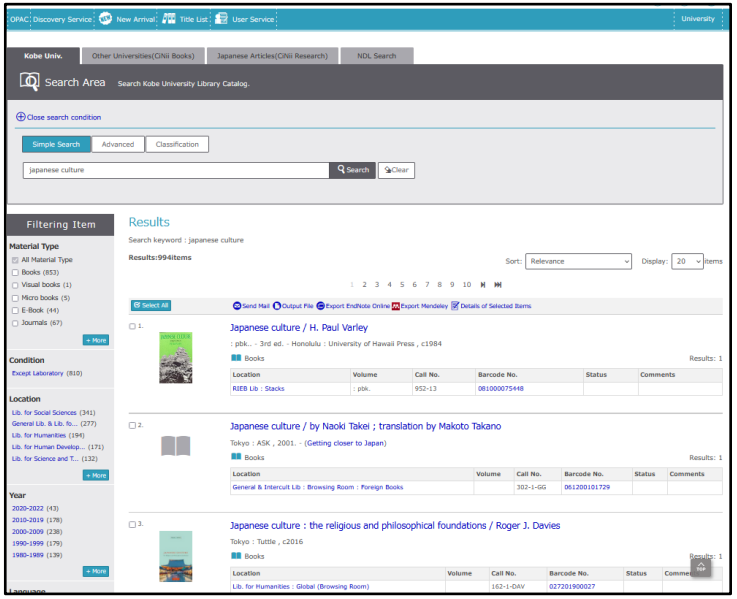


2. OPAC: Search Library Resources

"OPAC" is the library catalog. You can search for library resources (e.g., books, journals, e-resources and audio-visual materials) by entering keywords into the search box and clicking the "Search" button. You can also specify search conditions by using "Advanced Search" .





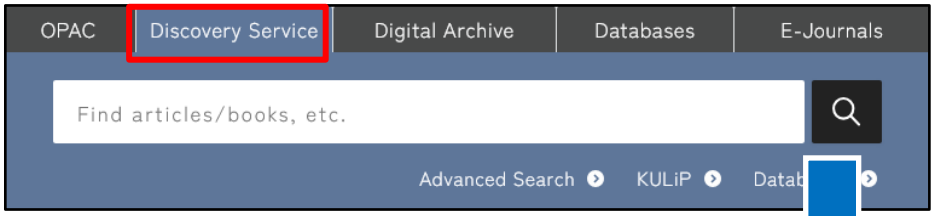


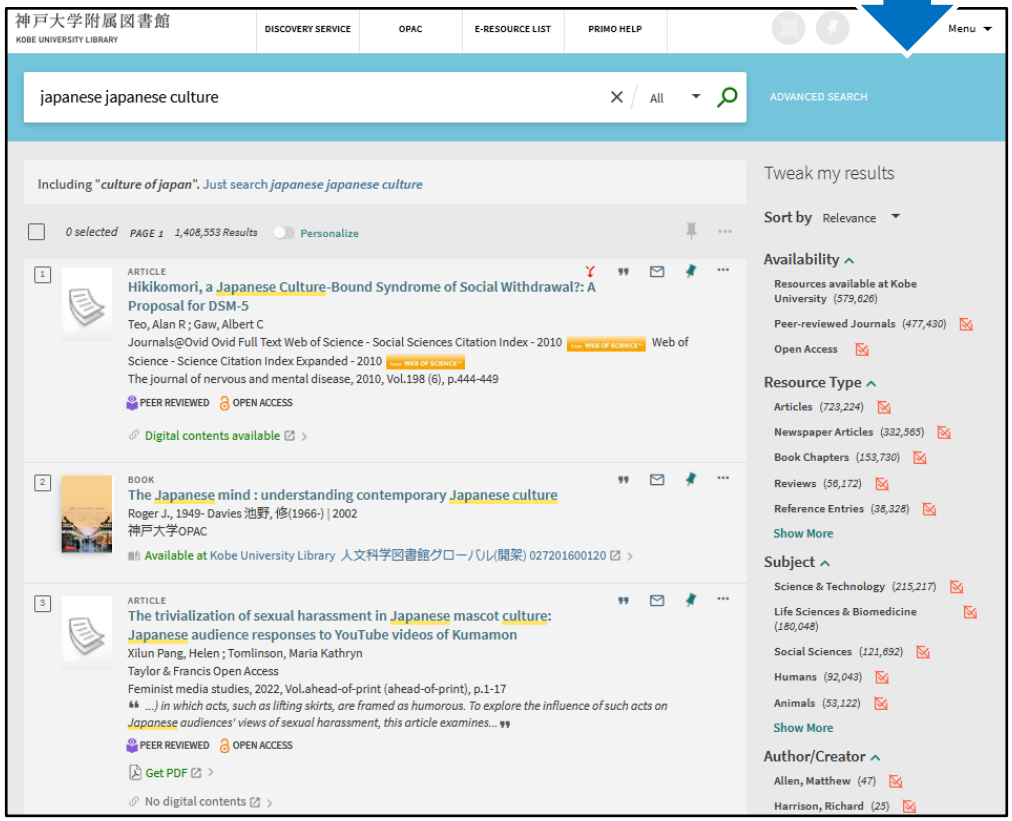
OPAC provides information about the locations and status of library resources.



3. Discovery Service: Find Articles / Books, etc.

"Discovery Service" allows you to search for articles, digitized materials and documents available at other institutes, as well as the Kobe University Library collections.



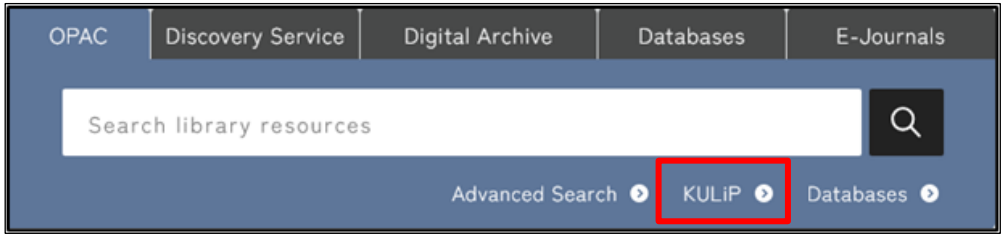


You can refine the search results by availability, resource types, subjects and so on.
When you want to visit the digital contents provider sites, please click on "Digital contents available".
You can also search for digitized materials provided by Kobe University from the "Digital Archive".



4. Pathfinder KULiP

KULiP (Kobe University Library Pathfinder) gives you useful information for your studies such as how to use databases and lists of study-aid resources.



Learning Resources

In this section, there are lists of study references that are recommended and annotated by teachers in charge of each class.

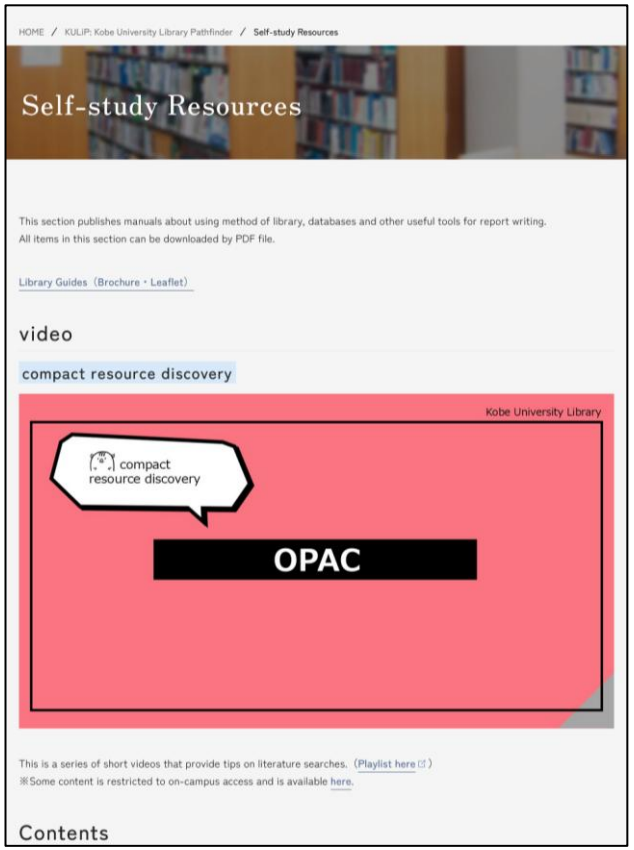
Information Retrieval Methods

This section provides you with lists of useful resources for your studies, research and so on.

Self-Study Resources

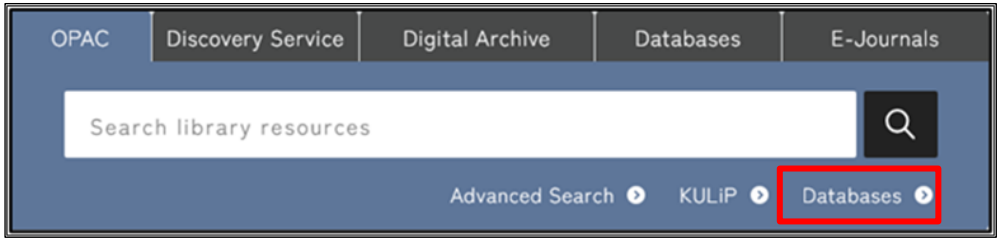
You should refer to this section when you do not know how to use databases or write references. This section has manuals for this purpose.

e.g.) Self-Study Resources



5. Databases

Databases and search tools for searching academic information are listed in alphabetical order.
Some tools can be accessed only through the on-campus network.



A. AAS Historical Periodicals Collection

Information

データベース名 / Database
AAS Historical Periodicals Collection

Access to DB

提供機関 / Vendor
EBSCO
利用条件 / Use condition
学内の方のみ / On-campus

※学外ネットワークからご利用の場合はVPN接続 または学認 を使用してご利用ください。
*You can access this database from off-campus networks by using "VPN Connection Service"[JPN] or "GakuNin"[JPN].
同時アクセス数 / Concurrent Users
制限なし / Unlimited
言語 / Language
English
収録範囲 / Recording Range
1684-1912
フルテキスト / Full-text
あり / Available
概要 / Description
アメリカ古書協会(AAS)が提供する、1684年から1912年までの植民地時代から内戦と復興までの北米の歴史・文化・生活に関する雑誌約7,000タイトルのアーカイブです。

When you click "データベース名 / Database", you can access the top page of each tool.

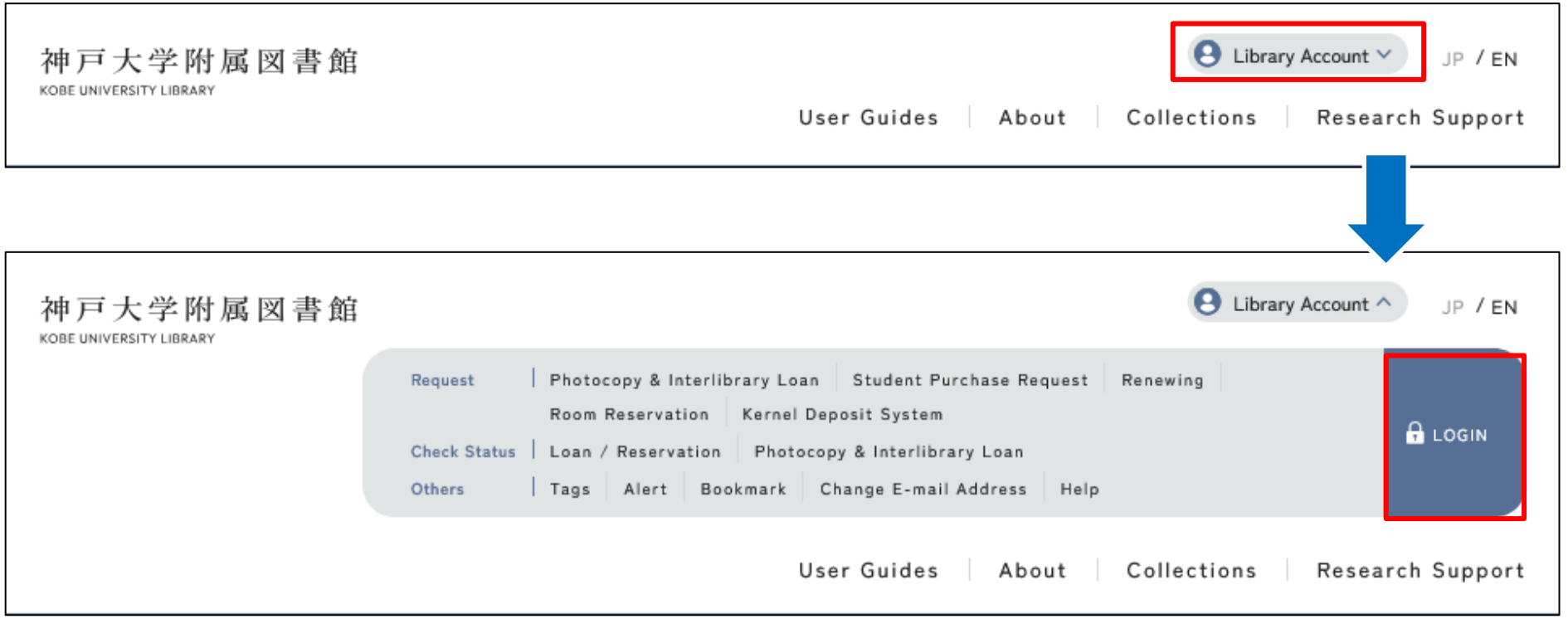
You can refer to user's guides for each tool from "User's Guides" links.



6. Library Account

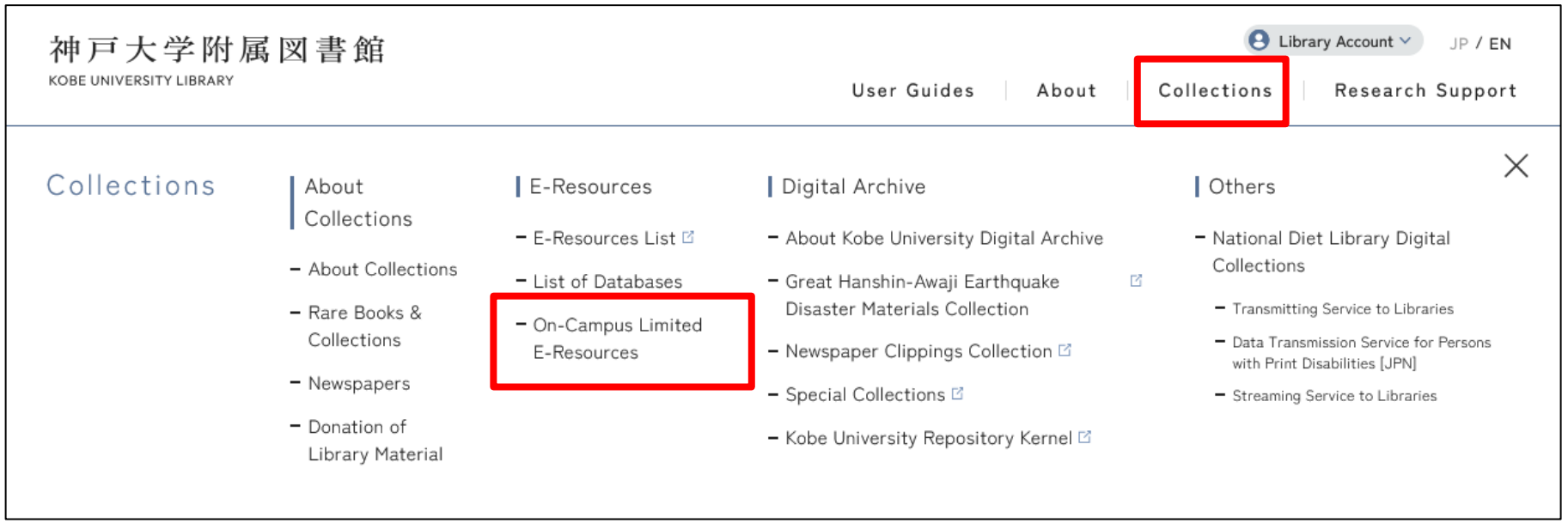
When you login to the library website, the library account services are available. The library account services are as below.

- Confirming your borrowed books and their due date
- Extending due date
- Applying for InterLibrary Loan
- Checking your lending and return history
- Reserving a room (e.g., group study room).



7. On-Campus Limited E-Resources

The databases and e-journals that Kobe University has subscribed to are limited access. However, you can access them from off-campus networks by using “VPN Connection Service” or “GakuNin”.





Please ask a member of Information Science and Technology Center staff or Library staff when you want to use “VPN Connection Service” or “GakuNin”.

https://www.istc.kobe-u.ac.jp/services/StandardService/VPN/
(Japanese text only)