Guide 2: Subject Categories
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## Arts, Business, Education, Humanities, and Social Sciences

### Area, Ethnic, and Gender Studies
- African American studies 0296
- African studies 0293
- American studies 0323
- Asian American studies 0343
- Asian studies 0342
- Baltic studies 0361
- Black studies 0325
- Canadian studies 0385
- Caribbean studies 0343
- Classical studies 0343
- East European studies 0347
- Ethnic studies 0631
- European studies 0440
- French Canadian culture 0482
- Gender studies 0733
- GLBT studies 0492
- Hispanic American studies 0737
- Holocaust studies 0507
- Islamic culture 0512
- Judaic studies 0751
- Latin American studies 0550
- Middle Eastern studies 0555
- Native American studies 0740
- Near Eastern studies 0559
- North African studies 0580
- Pacific Rim studies 0561
- Regional studies 0604
- Scandinavian studies 0613
- Slavic studies 0614
- South African studies 0654
- South Asian studies 0638
- Sub Saharan Africa studies 0639
- Women’s studies 0453

### Business
- Accounting 0272
- Arts management 0424
- Banking 0770
- Business administration 0310
- Entrepreneurship 0429
- Finance 0568
- Management 0454
- Marketing 0338
- Sports management 0430

### Communications and Information Sciences
- Communication 0459
- Information science 0723
- Information technology 0489
- Journalism 0391
- Library science 0399
- Mass communication 0708
- Multimedia communications 0558
- Technical communication 0643
- Web studies 0646

### Fine and Performing Arts
- Art criticism 0365
- Art history 0377
- Cinematography 0435
- Dance 0378
- Design 0389
- Film studies 0900
- Fine arts 0357
- Music 0413
- Performing arts 0641
- Theater 0465
- Theater history 0644
- Theater studies 0645

### Education
- Adult education 0516
- Art education 0273
- Bilingual education 0282
- Business education 0688
- Community college education 0275
- Continuing education 0651
- Curriculum development 0727
- Early childhood education 0518
- Education 0515
- Education finance 0277
- Education history 0520
- Education policy 0458
- Educational administration 0446
- Educational evaluation 0443
- Educational leadership 0449
- Educational philosophy 0598
- Educational psychology 0525
- Educational sociology 0340
- Educational tests & measurements 0288
- Elementary education 0524
- English as a second language 0441
- Foreign language instruction 0444
- Gifted education 0445
- Health education 0680
- Higher education 0745
- Home economics 0278
- Industrial arts education 0521
- Instructional design 0447
- Language arts 0279
- Mathematics education 0280
- Middle school education 0490
- Multicultural education 0455
- Music education 0522
- Pedagogy 0465
- Performing arts education 0457
- Physical education 0523
- Reading instruction 0535
- Religious education 0527
- School administration 0461
- School counseling 0519
- Science education 0714
- Secondary education 0533
- Social sciences education 0534
- Special education 0529
- Teacher education 0530
- Technology education 0710
- Vocational education 0747
## HUMANITIES

### HISTORY
- African history 0331
- American history 0337
- Ancient history 0579
- Asian history 0332
- Black history 0328
- Canadian history 0334
- European history 0335
- History 0578
- History of Oceania 0504
- Latin American history 0336
- Medieval history 0581
- Middle Eastern history 0333
- Modern history 0582
- Russian history 0724
- Science history 0585
- World history 0506

### LANGUAGE & LITERATURE
- African literature 0316
- American literature 0591
- Ancient languages 0289
- Asian literature 0305
- Canadian literature 0352
- Caribbean literature 0360
- Classical literature 0294
- Comparative literature 0295
- English literature 0593
- French Canadian literature 0355
- German literature 0311
- Icelandic & Scandinavian literature 0362
- Language 0679
- Latin American literature 0312
- Linguistics 0290
- Literature 0401
- Literature of Oceania 0356
- Medieval literature 0297
- Middle Eastern literature 0315
- Modern language 0291
- Modern literature 0298
- Rhetoric 0681
- Romance literature 0313
- Slavic literature 0314

### LAW AND LEGAL STUDIES
- Alternative dispute resolution 0649
- Environmental law 0439
- Intellectual property 0513
- International law 0616
- Law 0398
- Legal studies 0559
- Patent law 0562

### SOCIAL SCIENCES
- Archaeology 0324
- Area planning and development 0341
- Biographies 0304
- Criminology 0627
- Cultural anthropology 0326
- Demography 0938
- Economic history 0509
- Economic theory 0511
- Economics 0501
- Economics, Commerce-Business 0505
- Economics, Labor 0510
- Folklore 0358
- Forensic anthropology 0339
- Geography 0366
- Individual & family studies 0628
- International relations 0601
- Labor relations 0629
- Military history 0722
- Military studies 0750
- Organization theory 0635
- Organizational behavior 0703
- Physical anthropology 0327
- Political Science 0615
- Public administration 0617
- Public policy 0630
- Recreation and tourism 0814
- Social research 0344
- Social structure 0700
- Social work 0452
- Sociolinguistics 0636
- Sociology 0626
- Transportation planning 0709
- Urban planning 0999

### INTERDISCIPLINARY
- Alternative energy 0363
- Artificial intelligence 0800
- Climate change 0404
- Energy 0791
- Museum studies 0730
- Nanoscience 0565
- Nanotechnology 0652
- Neurosciences 0317
- Peace studies 0563
- Sustainability 0640
- Systems science 0790
## Behavioral, Natural, and Physical Sciences

### AGRICULTURE
- Agricultural economics 0503
- Agricultural education 0517
- Agricultural engineering 0539
- Agriculture 0473
- Agronomy 0285
- Animal sciences 0475
- Aquatic sciences 0792
- Horticulture 0471
- Plant sciences 0479
- Soil sciences 0481

### ARCHITECTURE
- Architecture 0729
- Architectural engineering 0462
- Landscape architecture 0390

### BEHAVIORAL SCIENCES
- Behavioral psychology 0384
- Behavioral sciences 0602
- Clinical psychology 0622
- Cognitive psychology 0633
- Counseling psychology 0603
- Developmental psychology 0620
- Experimental psychology 0623
- Occupational psychology 0624
- Personality psychology 0625
- Physiological psychology 0989
- Psychobiology 0345
- Psychology 0621
- Quantitative psychology 0632
- Social psychology 0451

### BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES
- Biochemistry 0487
- Bioinformatics 0715
- Biology 0306
- Biomechanics 0648
- Biophysics 0786
- Biostatistics 0308
- Cellular biology 0379
- Developmental biology 0758
- Endocrinology 0409
- Evolution & development 0412
- Genetics 0369
- Histology 0414
- Limnology 0793
- Microbiology 0410
- Molecular biology 0307
- Morphology 0287
- Neurobiology 0421
- Parasitology 0718
- Physiology 0719
- Plant biology 0309
- Systematic biology 0423
- Virology 0720

### ECOSYSTEM SCIENCES
- Ecology 0329
- Macroeconomy 0420
- Paleocology 0426

### ENGINEERING
- Aerospace engineering 0538
- Automotive engineering 0540
- Biomedical engineering 0541
- Chemical engineering 0542
- Civil engineering 0543
- Computer engineering 0464
- Computer science 0984
- Electrical engineering 0544
- Engineering 0537
- Geological engineering 0466
- Geophysical engineering 0467
- Geotechnics 0428
- Industrial engineering 0546
- Mechanical engineering 0548
- Mining engineering 0551
- Naval engineering 0468
- Nuclear engineering 0552
- Ocean engineering 0547
- Operations research 0796
- Petroleum engineering 0765
- Robotics 0771

### ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES
- Conservation biology 0408
- Cultural resources management 0436
- Environmental economics 0438
- Environmental education 0442
- Environmental engineering 0775
- Environmental geology 0407
- Environmental health 0470
- Environmental justice 0619
- Environmental management 0474
- Environmental philosophy 0392
- Environmental science 0768
- Environmental studies 0477
- Fishery sciences 0792
- Forestry 0478
- Land use planning 0536
- Natural resource management 0528
- Range management 0777
- Urban forestry 0281
- Water resources management 0595
- Wildlife conservation 0284
- Wildlife management 0286
- Wood sciences 0746

### GEOSCIENCES
- Aeronomy 0367
- Atmospheric chemistry 0371
- Atmospheric sciences 0725
- Biogeography 0425
- Biological oceanography 0416
- Chemical oceanography 0403
- Continental dynamics 0406
- Geobiology 0483
- Geochemistry 0996
- Geographic information science 0370
- Geology 0372
- Geomorphology 0484
- Geophysics 0373
- Hydrologic sciences 0388
- Marine geology 0556
- Meteorology 0557
- Paleoclimate science 0653
- Palontology 0418
- Petroleum geology 0583
- Petrology 0584
- Physical geography 0368
- Physical oceanography 0415
- Planetary science 0593
- Plate tectonics 0592
- Remote sensing 0799
- Sedimentary geology 0594

### HEALTH AND MEDICAL SCIENCES
- Aging 0493
- Alternative medicine 0496
- Audiology 0300
- Dentistry 0567
- Epidemiology 0766
- Gerontology 0351
- Health care management 0769
- Health sciences 0566
- Immunology 0562
- Kinesiology 0575
- Medical ethics 0497
- Medical imaging 0574
- Medicine 0564
- Mental health 0347
- Nursing 0569
- Nutrition 0570
- Occupational health 0354
- Occupational therapy 0498
- Ophthalmology 0381
- Osteopathic medicine 0499
- Pathology 0571
- Pharmaceutical sciences 0572
- Pharmacology 0419
- Physical therapy 0382
- Public health 0573
- Public health education 0560
- Speech therapy 0460
- Surgery 0576
- Toxicology 0383
- Veterinary medicine 0778
MATHEMATICAL AND PHYSICAL SCIENCES
Acoustics 0986
Analytical chemistry 0486
Applied mathematics 0364
Astronomy 0606
Astrophysics 0596
Atomic physics 0748
Chemistry 0486
Condensed matter physics 0611
Electromagnetics 0607
High temperature physics 0597
Inorganic chemistry 0488
Low temperature physics 0598
Materials science 0794
Mathematics 0405
Mechanics 0346
Molecular chemistry 0431
Molecular physics 0609
Nuclear chemistry 0738
Nuclear physics 0756
Optics 0752
Organic chemistry 0490
Particle physics 0798
Physical chemistry 0494
Physics 0605
Plasma physics 0759
Polymer chemistry 0405
Quantum physics 0599
Solid state physics 0600
Statistics 0463
Theoretical mathematics 0642
Theoretical physics 0753