Setting Up Research Alerts

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Google News

• Email updates of the latest relevant Google results
  o Monitor developing news stories
  o Keep current on other professionals in your area of research
  o Get the latest updates on a topic of interest
  o Keep tabs on research
Google News – Access

- [http://www.google.com/alerts/create](http://www.google.com/alerts/create)

![Google News Alerts Form]

- **Search query**
  - What are you interested in keeping track of?
- **Result Type**
  - Everything
  - News
  - Blogs
  - Video
  - Discussions
  - Books
- **How often**
  - Daily
  - Weekly
  - As it happens
- **How many**
  - Only the best
  - All
- **Provide email**
Google Scholar
- Search
  - Articles
  - Theses
  - Books
  - Abstracts
  - Court opinions
- Email updates of the latest relevant Google Scholar results

Google Scholar – Access

Google Scholar – Alerts
- Topic of interest
  - Newly published papers with your search criteria
• Who is citing me?
  o Individual names in the references

![Create alert form](image1)

• When is a paper of interest being cited?
  o Alerts for the particular title

![Create alert form](image2)
Keeping track of colleague(s)
  - Provide name(s) of individuals
    - AND – when these individuals publish together
    - OR – when either/or of these individuals publish

Create alert

Alert query: author:gendelman, h.e. AND author: mosley, r.l.
Email: alissa.fial@unmc.edu
Number of results: Show up to 10 results

Create alert

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My NCBI

- Through PubMed
- National Center for Biotechnology Information (NCBI)
- Email Alerts
  - Search topics
  - Individuals

My NCBI – Access

- Search **Medline via PubMed** from the Library homepage [http://www.unmc.edu/library](http://www.unmc.edu/library)
- **Select** Literature Databases under **Quick Links**
- If you have not done so already, register for an account
My NBCI – Email alert

- Receive emails on a monthly, weekly, or daily basis
  - Select which day
  - Decide the format and number of citations to request

Search: ("AIDS Dementia Complex"[Mesh]) AND "Cognition"[Mesh]

Name of Search:  ("AIDS Dementia Complex")
E-mail:  alissa.fial@unmc.edu

Would you like e-mail updates of new search results?
  - No thanks.
  - Yes, once a month.
    Which day?  the first Saturday
  - Yes, once a week.
    Which day?  Saturday
  - Yes, every day.

Formats:
  Report format:  Summary

Number of items:
  Send at most:  10 items □ Send even when there aren't any new results

Any text you want to be added at the top of your e-mail (optional):  

Save  Cancel  Delete
My NCBI – RSS Feed Alert

- Really Simple Syndication Feed
  - Will update you for a website or in this case, articles using your search topic
  - May set up through RSS sites, including email (i.e. Google)
Scopus

- Covers peer-reviewed scientific literature citations and web resources
- Content updated daily
- 46 million records
- Over 18,000 titles
- Includes conference papers and proceedings, scientific web pages, and patents

Scopus – Access

- Search Scopus from the Library homepage [http://www.unmc.edu/library](http://www.unmc.edu/library)
- Select Literature Databases under Quick Links
- If you have not done so already, register for an account
Scopus – Account Registration

Register
Registration is quick and free. It allows you to personalize these Elsevier products if you have access. For example, you can

Your details
First name: 
Family name: 

E-mail and password
Enter a password between 5 and 20 characters. Your e-mail address will be your username.
E-mail address: 
Password: 
Confirm password: 

Your role and field of interest
Your role: Select your role in your organization
Please select at least one subject area of interest

- Agricultural and Biological Sciences
- Arts and Humanities
- Biochemistry, Genetics and Molecular Biology
- Business, Management and Accounting
- Chemical Engineering

I wish to receive information from Elsevier B.V. and its affiliates concerning their products and services
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Register
Scopus – Alert For Search

- Conduct a search from the Documents tab
- Select search topic
- Select search criteria
- You can Set Alert (email notification) or Set Feed (RSS feed)
Scopus – Alert (Individual)

- Conduct a search from the **Author Search** tab
- Select an individual
  - Use his/her last name and initials or first name
  - May include institutional affiliation

![Author Search Form](image-url)
Scopus – Alert (Individual)

- You can **Set Alert** (email notification) or **Set Feed** (RSS feed)
  - Alerts can be set for each time the individual is being cited
  - Or alerts can be set for each time the individual publishes

### Allen, Keith D.

**Personal**

- Name: Allen, Keith D.
- Other formats: Allen, Keith
  - Allen, K. D.
  - Allen, K.
- Author ID: 7202632302
- Affiliation: Munroe Meyer Institute for Genetics and Molecular Biology, Omaha, United States

**Research**

- Documents: 59
- References: 773
- Citations: 582 total citations by 443 documents
- h Index: 9
- Co-authors: 83

**Alerts**

- **Alert**: whenever the author **publishes**
- **Alert**: whenever the author is being **cited**
EBSCOHost

- Database vendor
- Resources include:
  - CINAHL/CINAHL with Ebooks
    - Nursing & allied health
    - Electronic books
  - Dentistry Source
    - Dental resources
  - MEDLINE
    - Biomedical resources
  - PsycINFO
    - Psychological resources

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EBSCOHost – Save Search

- Create a search name/alert
- Describe the search
- Includes date created
- May select multiple databases
- Includes search strategy
- Save the search or create an alert

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EBSCOHost – Alerts

- Email alerts
  - Frequency of notification
  - How far back to search
  - Type of results (i.e. brief)

- RSS Feed
  - Frequency of notification
  - How far back to search
  - Type of results (i.e. brief)