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FINDING ADELPHI PRO-CON DATABASES

- Go to libraries.adelphi.edu > in Search Box click on [Article Databases]
  - Click Browse A-Z: Some suggestions below!

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  Not sure where to begin? Try searching in our General Databases.
  For more search options, try MULTISEARCH or click here

- Opposing Viewpoints in Context
- CQ Researcher
- Gale Virtual Reference Library
- Sage Reference Online
- Chronicle of Higher Education
- LexisNexis Academic Universe (for current international & national news stories)

SEARCH FOR OPINION ARTICLES IN ANY DATABASE

Use key words and phrases with words that will search for debate on a topic. Examples:

- “capital punishment” controversy
- “stem cell” debate
- “same sex marriage” opinion
- “global warming” argument
- “genetic engineering” pro and con

SEARCH THESE WEBSITES FOR IDEAS

- ProCon.org http://www.procon.org
- Public Agenda http://www.publicagenda.org
- Issue Lab http://www.issuelab.org/home
FOR OPINION ARTICLES IN GOOGLE ADVANCED SEARCH

Use key words and phrases with words that will search for debate on a topic above.

**Example:**
To find educational sites debating the issue of global warming:

1. First: “google” [Google Advanced Search](#)

Advanced Search

Find pages with...

- **all these words:**
- **this exact word or phrase:** "global warming"
- **any of these words:** debate controversy argument
- **none of these words:**
- **numbers ranging from:**

Then narrow your results by...

- **language:** any language
- **region:** any region
- **last update:** anytime
- **site or domain:** .edu

Limit to an educational domain: .edu
Also consider:
- .gov (government)
- .org (organizations)

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