Library website: [http://www.highpoint.edu/library/](http://www.highpoint.edu/library/)
Library Catalog
The library catalog search box can be found on the library’s main page.

Clicking on “Advanced Search” will open search interface with more options:
Library Catalog (cont.)
Searching the library catalog can find books, articles, archival materials, audio, visual resources and more. The catalog search should be more broad than a database searches. Items found through the catalog are not indexed to the degree that items in a database are.

Primary sources
Primary sources can be found through the catalog, the databases and on the web. The key terms to use when searching specifically for primary sources include but are not limited to the following: correspondence, letters, diaries, accounts, journals, voices, writings, documents, recordings, papers and narratives. Add these to your topic search terms. More on Primary Sources can be found in the History Subject Guide.

Databases
JSTOR
This database provides access to historical coverage of scholarly journals in a wide range of disciplines. Coverage goes back to the first issue (some as far back as the 1800s), but does not include the most recent issues (usually last 3-5 years). May entries are book reviews, so be sure to narrow to articles to prevent too many non-relevant results. All full text, PDFs.

ProQuest History Databases
All of Proquest's history related resources in one place, concentrated on one subject.

ProQuest Central
ProQuest Central brings together 30 of the most highly used databases to create the largest single academic research resource available today.

Google Scholar
Use this link to connect Google Scholar with HPU's Journal Finder. This will allow optimum full text access to content provided by HPU. Open access items will be found as well. You will be asked for your HPU username and password if off-campus.

WorldCat on FirstSearch
OCLC catalog of books and other materials in libraries worldwide.

HathiTrust Digital Library
HathiTrust is a partnership of academic & research institutions, offering a collection of millions of titles digitized from libraries around the world. It is available online and much of the content is open access. It can searched through the library's catalog or directly from the HathiTrust website.

Google Scholar
Using The HPU specific link will allow access to HPU provided content. Google Scholar will also find any open access items available on the web, limited to scholarly and academic resources. Much, but not all, will be full text.
Interlibrary Loan
Articles can be delivered electronically to the patron’s email in about 1-3 days. Books take a bit longer, between 1 and 3 weeks. Please keep in mind when requesting materials that these are the average turnaround times. Instructional or specialty video and audio materials, dissertations, music scores, and most other types of items can be requested. Items can be picked up in Smith Library.

We have recently moved our ILL service away from ILLiad to a new service called HPUShare. This request will need to be made through HPUShare which requires you to have a library account. You can create a library account here: http://www.highpoint.edu/library/my-library-account/

Then, to submit an ILL request, go here: HPUShare: http://2123.account.worldcat.org/profile/route/openurl?

Research Guides
Library Homepage>Guides>History>History Subject Guide
Miscellaneous Notes
JSTOR search quirks.
“joseph stalin” no limiters / full text: 16,106 results.
“joseph stalin” articles / full text: 7,682 results.
“joseph stalin” articles / abstract: 13 results.
“joseph stalin” articles / item title: 4307 results.

So why is the abstract search limiter so off?
Because approximately only 10% of articles on JSTOR have abstracts. To widen your search remove the abstract filter to search article full-text.

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