

PARKS, RECREATION, and ECOTOURISM

Following is some general information about resources and tools to assist researchers in the field of Parks, Recreation, and Ecotourism.

FINDING BOOKS

The library's holdings are best accessed through Minerva, our online catalog. This system can be searched by author, title, subject heading, or key word. Help in using the system is available online at the reference/circulation desk. The library catalog [<http://minerva.maine.edu/search~S96>] can be accessed from the library as well as your home or office via the internet.

The library holdings are arranged by the Library of Congress Classification system and uses Library of Congress subject headings. Examples of possible subjects include:

Ecotourism; Environmental policy; Handicapped – recreation; Interpretation of cultural and natural resources; Leisure; Leisure industry; National parks and reserves; Natural resources – management; Outdoor recreation; Parks; Protected areas; Recreation; Recreation areas; Tourism; Wilderness Areas – recreational use

1993 Maine state comprehensive outdoor recreation plan / Department of Conservation, Bureau of Parks and Recreation. **REF GV191.42.M2 M3 1993**

Anatomy of a park : essentials of recreation area planning and design / Bernie Dahl, Donald J. Molnar. **SB481 .D34 2003**

Conducting meaningful interpretation : a field guide for success / C.W. Ward and A.E. Wilkinson **GV181.18 .W37 2006**

Creative management in recreation, parks, and leisure services / Richard G. Kraus, Joseph E. Curtis **GV181.5 .K62 1990**

Doing honest work in college : how to prepare citations, avoid plagiarism, and achieve real academic success / Charles Lipson. **PN171.F56 L56 2004**

Ecotourism: principles, practices and policies for sustainability / Megan Epler Wood
<http://www.uneptie.org/pc/tourism/library/ecotourism.htm>

Ecotourism & certification : setting standards in practice **G156.5.E26 E35 2002**

Ecotourism policy and planning / ed. by D.A. Fennell & R.K. Dowling. **G156.5.E26 E355 2003**

The environmental resource handbook. **REF GE20 .E586 2003/04**

Facing the wild : ecotourism, conservation, and animal encounters / Chilla Bulbeck. **G156.5.E26 B85 2005**

Interpretive master planning: for parks, historic sites, forests, zoos, and related tourism sites, for self-guided interpretive services, for interpretive exhibits, for guided programs/tours / by John A. Veverka. **AS6 .V48 1994**

Park Planning guidelines/ George E. Fogg. **SB481 .F6 2000**

Parks directory of the United States **REF E160 .S65 2001**

Sustainable tourism in protected areas : guidelines for planning and management / prepared for the United Nations Environment Programme, World Tourism Organization, and IUCN--the World Conservation Union. **G156.5.E26 E26 2002**

Tourism and natural resource management : a general overview of research and issues / Jeffrey D. Kline [2001] **BULLETIN #5064**

Tourism in national parks and protected areas : planning and management / by Paul F.J. Eagles and Stephen F. McCool. **SB486.P83 E24 2002**

United States Code, Title 16: Conservation

http://assembler.law.cornell.edu/uscode/html/uscode16/usc_sup_01_16.html

Digital Book Index <http://www.digitalbookindex.com/about.htm>

National Academy Press (Full text of over 3000 titles) <http://books.nap.edu/index.html>

FINDING JOURNAL ARTICLES AND CONFERENCE REPORTS

The following abstracting/indexing databases will help you find published non-book literature.

Academic Search Premier (EBSCOhost) <http://libraries.maine.edu/mainedatabases/authmaine.asp?db=asp2>
Agricola (EBSCOhost) <http://libraries.maine.edu/mainedatabases/authmaine.asp?db=ag>
Aquatic Sciences and Fisheries Abstracts (ASFA)
<http://libraries.maine.edu/mainedatabases/authmaine.asp?db=asf>
Environment Complete (EBSCOhost) <http://libraries.maine.edu/mainedatabases/authmaine.asp?db=eih>

JOURNALS

Journal of leisure research
Journal of park and recreation administration : a publication of the American Academy for Park and Recreation Administration <http://www.sagamorepub.com/ebooks/>
National parks
Parks & recreation
Park Science: integrating research and resource management <http://www2.nature.nps.gov/parksci/>
Wildlife Control Technology

For a complete list of our journal holdings go to: <http://www.unity.edu/library/periodicals.asp>

ONLINE ARTICLES

Cambridge Scientific Abstracts. Discovery Guides
Ecotourism: the promise and perils of environmentally-oriented travel by Heather E. Lindsay (February 2003)
<http://www.csa.com.prxy2.ursus.maine.edu/discoveryguides/ecotour/overview.php?SID=pqgkqasl0ocunem9oijcqnmhk3>

ASSOCIATIONS/SOCIETIES

Academy of Leisure Sciences <http://www.academyofleisureciences.org/index.html>
American Academy for Park and Recreation Administration <http://www.aapra.org/>
Association for Tourism and Leisure Education (ATLAS) <http://www.atlas-euro.org/>
Cradle of Forestry <http://www.cradleofforestry.org>
International Ecotourism Society <http://www.ecotourism.org/>
Maine Land Trust Network <http://www.mltm.org/>
Maine Recreation and Parks Association <http://merpa.org/index.htm>
National Association for Interpretation <http://www.interpnet.com/>
National Association of Recreation Resource Planners <http://www.narrp.org/>
National Parks Conservation Association <http://www.npca.org>
National Recreation and Park Association <http://www.nrpa.org>
National Wildlife Control Operators Association <http://www.nwcoa.com/index.htm>

WEB RESOURCES

Leave No Trace Center for Outdoor Ethics <http://www.LNT.org/>
National Recreation Database <http://www.lin.ca/htdocs/findrs.cfm>

GOVERNMENT SITES

Bureau of Land Management <http://www.blm.gov/wo/st/en/prog/Recreation.html>
National Park Service <http://www.nps.gov/>
Park Guide <http://www.nps.gov/parks.html>
Recreation.Gov <http://www.recreation.gov/>
USA.gov The U.S. Government's official web portal <http://www.usa.gov/>