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# Metadata and research

Abstracts, and keywords in the visibility of scientific research products.

Educational offerings to young researchers in the CIVICA network

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# Summary

- Data and research
- Analysis of research tools
- User search strategies
- Keywords and abstracts
- Other identifiers
- Analysis of a case study
- Suggestions

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# Data and research

Once upon a time - How did people search before the internet?

The rise of digital resources

E-journals

Open access

Discovery tools

Google scholar

Etc.

Focus on HSS



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Lectures & addresses in India, comprising all the lectures and replies to the various addresses of welcome; his discourses and conversations, etc.; with a complete account of his memorable tour through India, from Colombo to Bombay by way of Madras, Calcutta and United Provinces during 1906. Mayavati, Prabuddha Bharata Press, 1906.  
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# Analysis of research tools

OPACs (?)

Discovery tools

Google scholar

Databases

# User search strategies

User tasks based on IFLA LRM (conceptual model)

- Find
- Identify
- Select
- Obtain
- Navigate

Is that true?

How is the research done?

# Keywords and abstracts

- Crucial for an effective research
- Key issues
  - Lack of controlled vocabulary
  - Language barriers
  - Training to learn to search effectively

Keywords are a tool to help indexers and search engines find relevant papers

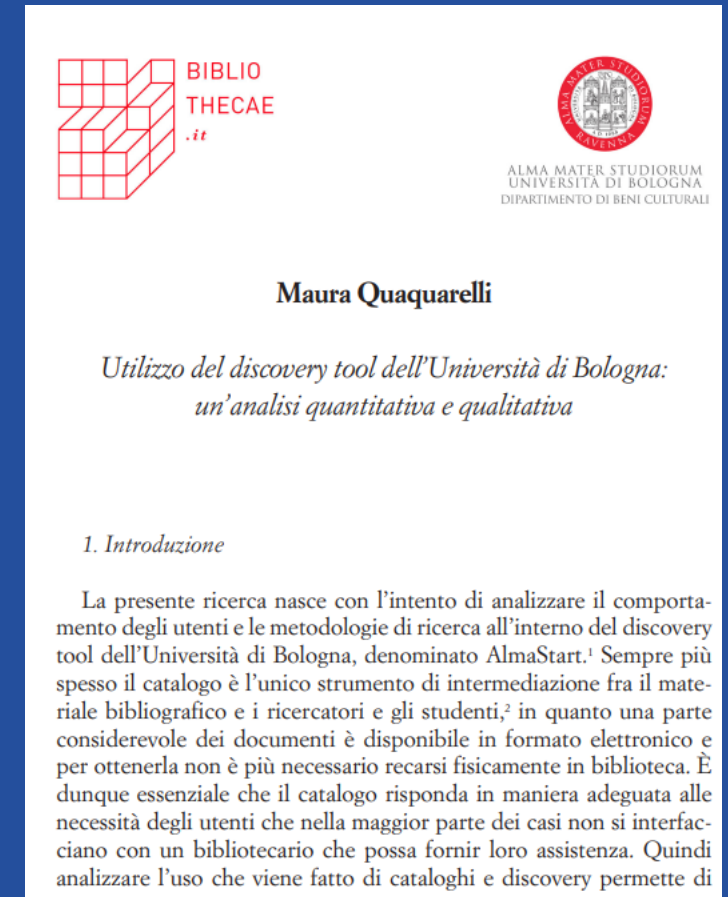
# Other identifiers

- Some examples
  - Orcid
  - Isni
  - DOI
- Etc

# Analysis of a case study

- Cfr. Search behavior on University of Bologna discovery tool
- DOI <10.6092 /issn.2283-9364/15079>

Patrons use the discovery mostly to search known-item in order to reach the full text of documents



# Suggestions

## Keywords

- Focus on the main topic of your research
- keywords not too long but also not too short
- Perform keyword research before submitting your article
- Don't let your keyword choices be an afterthought

## Abstract

- What was done?
- Why did you do it?
- What did you find?
- Why are these findings useful and important?

# Q&A

Thank you

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