Resources for FYSP 113

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Reference / Background information

Russian/Soviet Cinema

The BFI companion to Eastern European and Russian Cinema

Main Reference PN1993.E2 B44 2000

Historical Dictionary of Russian and Soviet Cinema

Main Reference PN 1998.2 .R578 2009

Russian History

Encyclopedia of Russian History

Main Reference DK14 .E53 2004 (4 vols.)

OBIS

- Oberlin College Library online catalog
- Materials in Mudd, Art, Science, Conservatory, Special Collections

OhioLink Catalog

- Catalog of books/films/materials in university libraries across Ohio
- To borrow items click "Request this item"; barcode is the number on back of your OCID
- How long it takes: 3-4 business days
- Loan period: 3 weeks with up to 6 renewals permitted as long as the item has not been requested by someone else

Film Reviews/Criticism on the web

KinoKultura

New York Times Film Reviews

Internet Movie Database (IMDB)

Find your film listed in IMDB, then find the link "External Reviews" on the left side menu. Be aware that some links are sources with questionable authority.

Film reviews / scholarly articles in library databases

→ All databases findable in databases tab on library homepage

Academic Search Complete

Contains a large number of full text periodicals

To improve search results, try adding a keyword "review" or "film"

Also try selecting "Entertainment Review" in Document Type menu

EastView database of Russian Newspapers

Includes Russian news sources in English, including:

Current Digest of the Russian/Soviet/Post-Soviet Press (1949-current)

The Moscow News 1998-current
Moscow Times 1997-current

Film and Television Literature Index

Contains citations for articles from both popular media (i.e. *The Village Voice, The Nation*) as well as film-specific publications (i.e. *Cineaste, Filmmaker*). Primarily English-language journals

Finding journal articles, history and culture topics

<u>ABSEES</u> (American Bibliography of Slavic and Eastern European Studies) Searches scholarship on all aspects of Eastern European life and culture

Historical Abstracts

Large database of journal articles in world history 1450-present

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