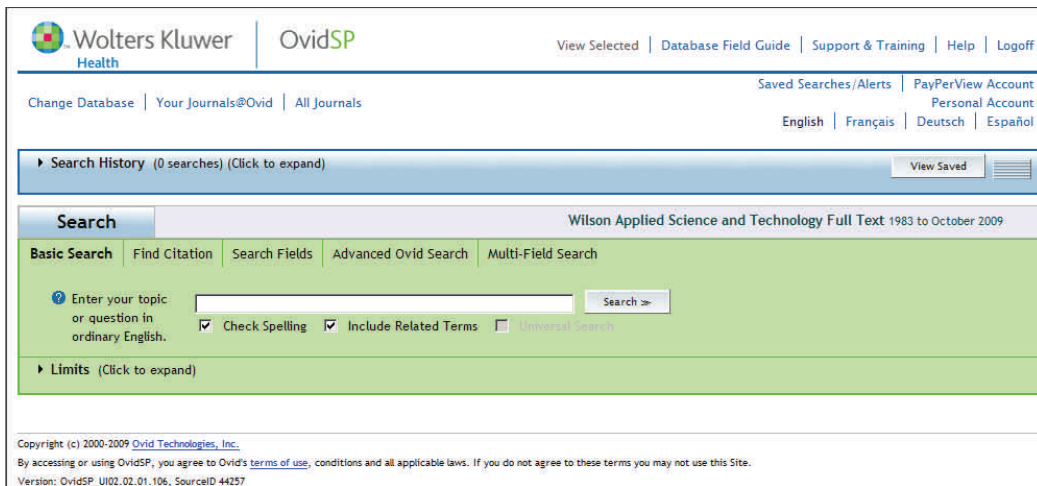


## Wilson Applied Science & Technology goes full text

As of this month, Wilson Applied Science & Technology goes from being an abstract and indexing database to providing full text.

You can find the database as ever via the 'Databases' section of our Library home page. Either search for 'Wilson' and click on the link or select any of the Technology related subject options (computing, mechanical engineering, civil engineering, electrical engineering—even property, planning and quantity surveying will find much of use in there). The database is available on or off campus.

There's a guide getting to started at:



<http://www.ovid.com/site/pdf/osp/OvidSPUserGuide100208.pdf>

A variety of other helpful guides and fact sheets are available at:

<http://www.ovid.com/site/help/documentation/osp.jsp?top=28&mid=30&bottom=55>

The database covers 1983—2009 and has wide subject coverage as the title implies and we'd warmly recommend

it to the Technology Faculty particularly—although the Science Faculty may find there's items of interest should you wish to explore it.

Any queries to Timothy Collinson.

## Library Guides

### Getting Started

	I'm in a hurry	I want to know more
Where is the Library?	In Ravelin Park, next to the Students' Union.	The main entrance is on Cambridge Road opposite the end of Burnaby Road (leading to Milldam, Richmond, Portland Building etc) and the Tennis Dome.
How do I join?	Most students don't need to do anything - your Campus Card which you get when you register also acts as your library card.	Your library number is underneath the barcode on the edge of your Campus Card.
When is the Library open?	Term-time: 0800-2400 Monday-Sunday	The Issue Desk is open for borrowing and returning books:

As part of the new Library web site revamp, we've developed a page that collects all of our guides into one place. If you'd like to see the huge range of topics we cover, or explore certain subjects in detail, or just want to point students to where they can find help on library services (e.g. 'Distance Learners' or 'The Map Library'), or explanations of how to find information (from ebooks to EndNote usage) or even specific subject guides then take a look at:

<http://www.port.ac.uk/library/guides/>

Towards the bottom of the page is a collection of leaflets on services for staff which you might find particularly useful.



"HONESTLY, ERWIN. CAN'T YOU JUST FLIP A COIN?"

©1996 Tom Swanson

## Project Support for Group Work?

Please could the member of staff in the Faculty of Technology who asked for possible books on supporting students doing group work for their projects, please get in touch with Timothy Collinson?

Next month...budget news!