

Find Audiovisuals in the Online Public Access Catalog (OPAC)

Example: You wish to search for materials about **Buddhism** in audiovisual format (**DVD** or **VHS**) only:

1. Access the Erwin Library homepage at <http://www.waynecc.edu/library/>

The screenshot shows the Erwin Library homepage in a Windows Internet Explorer browser window. The address bar displays <http://www.waynecc.edu/library/>. The page features a navigation menu with links for home, library users, resources, wcc historical archives, contacts, blog, and wcc home. A sidebar on the left contains a list of links including Home, All Library Users, Faculty Users, Distance Education Users, WCC Single Search, Online Public Access Catalog, Interlibrary Loan (ILL), WCC Historical Archives, Contacts, and Blog. Below the sidebar, there is a section for Location, Address, Library Hours, and Children's Storytime Dates. The main content area is titled "Erwin Library" and includes a welcome message and a "LIBRARY USER SERVICES" section with links for Ask a Librarian, Library Card Application, Mission Statement, and Information Literacy Session/Tour Reservations. A search interface is visible, with tabs for Single Search, OPAC, Journals A-Z, and Other Resources. The OPAC tab is selected, and the search box is empty. A dropdown menu shows "Wayne Community College" and a "Search" button is present. Callouts with arrows point to the OPAC tab, the search box, and the Search button.

Click the **OPAC** tab

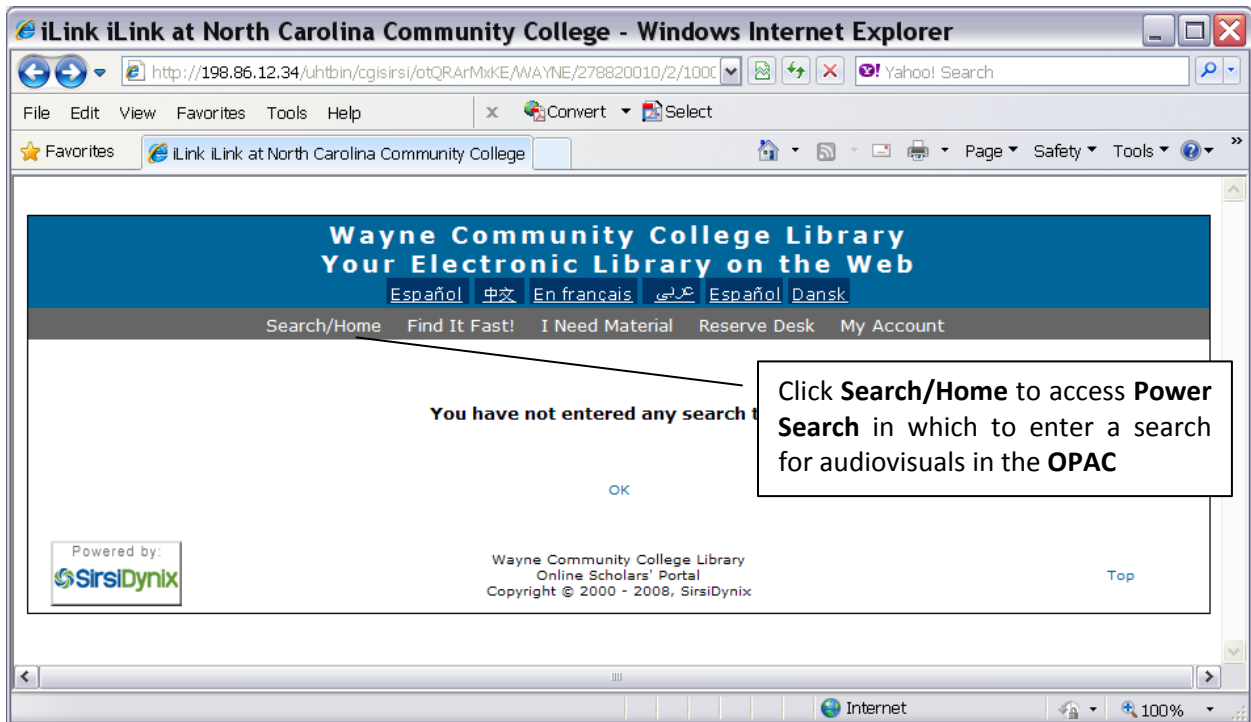
Leave the **Search** box empty and leave the search parameter default at **words or phrase**

Click the **Search** button

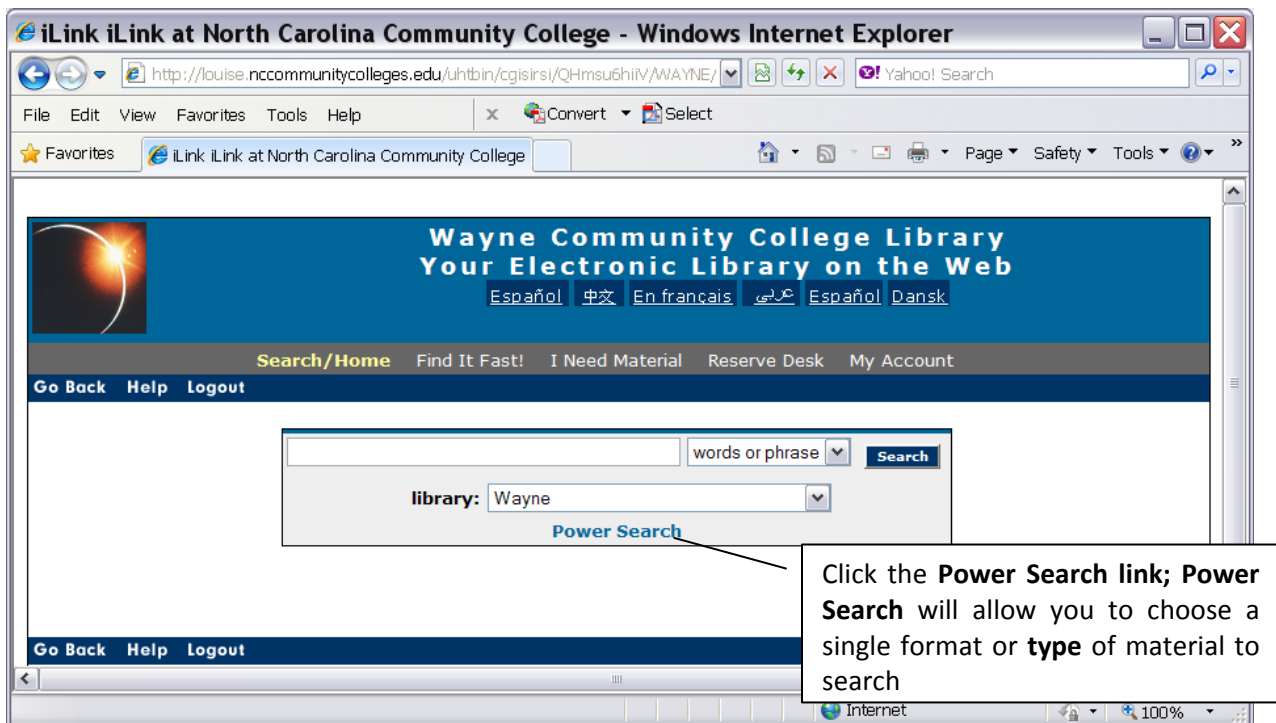
2. Click the **OPAC** tab
3. Leave the **Search Books & Videos** box empty

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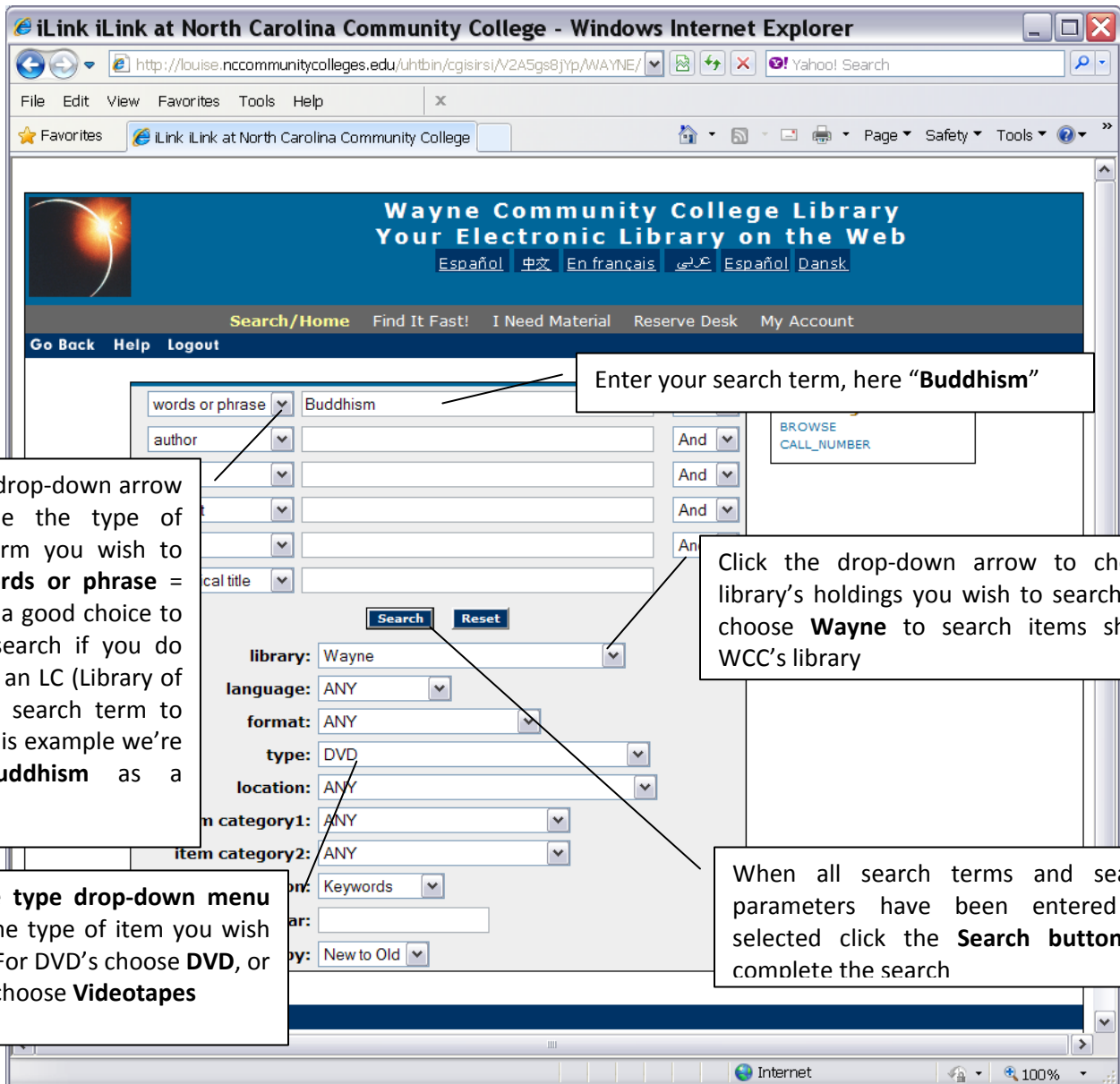
4. Leave the **Search box drop-down menu** default at **words or phrase**
5. Click the **Search button**



6. In the upper menu bar click **Search/Home** to access the **Power Search** link



7. Click the **Power Search** link below the **library** search box in the middle of the **OPAC Search/Home** page



Click the drop-down arrow to choose the type of search term you wish to use. **Words or phrase** = keyword, a good choice to begin a search if you do not know an LC (Library of Congress) search term to use. In this example we're using **Buddhism** as a keyword

From the **type** drop-down menu choose the type of item you wish to find. For DVD's choose **DVD**, or for VHS, choose **Videotapes**

Enter your search term, here "**Buddhism**"

Click the drop-down arrow to choose the library's holdings you wish to search. Always choose **Wayne** to search items shelved at WCC's library

When all search terms and search parameters have been entered or selected click the **Search** button to complete the search

8. From the **Power Search** drop-down menus click on the **arrow boxes** beside your chosen search boxes to select the proper parameters for your search
9. Our example uses a **words or phrase** (i.e. keyword) search for materials held by the **library of Wayne (Community College)**, more specifically for the "**DVD**" **type** of item (For VHS select **Videotapes** in the drop-down menu)

10. Enter any relevant **search terms** into one or more of the **search boxes**. Our example uses the **word or phrase** (i.e. keyword) search term **“Buddhism”**

11. Click the **Search button** in the middle of the screen to complete the search

The screenshot shows a Windows Internet Explorer browser window displaying the iLink OPAC search results for the keyword "buddhism". The page header includes navigation links like "Search/Home", "Find It Fast!", and "I Need Material". The search results are listed in a table with columns for item number, call number, title, and availability. Four callout boxes provide additional information:

- Callout 1:** Note that the keyword search for DVD's in the Erwin Library brought up **six titles** (items), which are listed in the body of the **Search Results** screen
- Callout 2:** Note that both DVD and VHS formats will be listed with the **“videorecording”** qualifier after the title
- Callout 3:** Click the **Details button** beside any entry to access the **Catalog Record** for more information about the item
- Callout 4:** In this case the **“12 copies”** means a 12-disc set. The OPAC database uses the word **“copy”** to describe all items, even if they are set items, not duplicate copies of one item. Click the **Details button on this screen**, then the **Catalog Record tab on the next screen** to identify the contents of each disc in the set

words or phrase "buddhism" search found 6 titles.	
#1	BL96 .M8425 2007 PT.1 Religions of the Axial Age [videorecording] : an approach to the world's religions / Muesse, Mark W. (Mark William), 1957- No copies currently available. Estimated wait undetermined.
#2	BL1033 .E226 2006 Eastern philosophy [videorecording] Full screen / Seymour, Malcolm. 1 copy available at Wayne in Audio Visual
#3	BL48 .B435 2006 DVD 1 Bill Moyers on faith & reason [videorecording] / Moyers, Bill D. 12 copies available at Wayne
#4	BL80.3 .E76 2006 DISC 1 Essentials of faith [videorecording] / Harrison, Ted. 7 copies available at Wayne

12. To find out more about an item on the **Search Results list**, click on the **Details** button to the left of the basic call number/title/author listing

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Click the **Catalog Record** tab to find out more about the **Contents** or **LC Subject terms** for the item

Audio Visual is the location where these items are shelved in the WCC Library, and it is closed to browsing, except by special permission to faculty

Please give the library staff member at the Circulation Desk **the location name as well as the call number** to have the item retrieved for you. Only WCC faculty or WCC teaching staff may check out audiovisual items not placed on **Reserve**.

Faculty may have an **Audio Visual** item placed on the **hold shelf** by calling the Circulation desk a day or two ahead of the time for his or her class session(s)

record 3 of 6 for search words or phrase "buddhism"

Item Information **Catalog Record**

Bill Moyers on faith & reason [videorecording]
Moyers, Bill D.

Publisher: Films Media Group :
Pub date: c2006.
Pages: 12 videodiscs (ca. 405 min.) :
ISBN: 1421353644
Item info: 12 copies available at Wayne.

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BL48 .B435 2006 DVD 1	1 DVD	Audio Visual
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BL48 .B435 2006 DVD 4	1 DVD	Audio Visual
BL48 .B435 2006 DVD 5	1 DVD	Audio Visual

Keep

Find more by this author
Find more on these topics
Nearby items on shelf

You Found Titles in Categories

Buddhism
Religion

Try these too...

Zen Buddhism

more information: The teaching ascribed to Gautama Buddha (ca. 483 B.C.) holding that suffering is inherent in life and that one can escape it into nirvana by mental and moral self-purification. (Webster, 3d ed)

13. For even more information about the **LC Subject terms** for the item, or the **Contents**, from the **Item Information** tab screen, click on the **Catalog Record** tab above the title

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The screenshot shows the iLink OPAC interface in a Windows Internet Explorer browser. The address bar displays the URL: <http://louise.nccommunitycolleges.edu/uhtbin/cgiirsi/IRzeESIInd/NCCCS/91710185/9>. The browser's title bar reads "iLink iLink at North Carolina Community College - Windows Internet Explorer".

The main content area displays search results for the query "buddhism". A navigation bar at the top includes links for "Go Back", "Help", "New Search", "Previous", "Next", "X-Refs", "Change Display", and "Kept Logout". Below the navigation bar, a callout box points to the "Go Back" link, stating: "Go Back will always return you directly to the original Search Results screen".

The search results show a record for "Bill Moyers on faith & reason [videorecording]" by Moyers, Bill D. The record includes fields for "Item Information" and "Catalog Record". A callout box points to the "Previous" link, stating: "Previous will only take you back one screen, in this example, back to the Item Information tab screen".

Additional information visible includes the key "ocm75525090", publisher "Films for the Humanities & Sciences", and a list of subject terms: Faith, Reason, Faith and reason, Christianity, Buddhism, Judaism, Islam, and Video recordings for the hearing impaired.

The screenshot shows the detailed information page for the video recording "Bill Moyers on faith & reason". The browser's address bar and title bar are the same as in the previous screenshot.

The page displays detailed metadata for the recording, including:

- Credits:** Series producer, Sally Roy.
- Performer:** Host, Bill Moyers.
- Date/place captured:** Originally broadcast on PBS television in 2006.
- Language:** Closed captioned for the hearing impaired.
- Abstract:** Bill Moyers explores the region between rationality and belief, joined by some of the world's most provocative writers and thinkers.
- Contents:** [Disc 1], Salman Rushdie (57 min.) -- [Disc 2], Mary Gordon (33 min.) -- [Disc 3], Colin McGinn (26 min.) -- [Disc 4], Jeanette Winterson (34 min.) -- [Disc 5], Will Power (25 min.) -- [Disc 6], Anne Provoost (27 min.) -- [Disc 7], David Grossman (32 min.) -- [Disc 8], Richard Rodriguez (31 min.) -- [Disc 9], Sir John Houghton (28 min.) -- [Disc 10], Margaret Atwood (35 min.) -- [Disc 11], Martin Amis (24 min.) -- [Disc 12], Pema Chödrön (53 min.).
- Subject terms:** Faith, Reason, Faith and reason, Christianity, Buddhism, Judaism, Islam, Video recordings for the hearing impaired.
- Added author:** Roy, Sally; Rushdie, Salman; Gordon, Mary, 1949-; McGinn, Colin, 1950-; Winterson, Jeanette, 1959-; Power, Will; Provoost, Anne, 1964-; Grossman, David; Rodriguez, Richard; Houghton, John Theodore; Atwood, Margaret Eleanor, 1939-; Amis, Martin; Chödrön, Pema; Public Affairs Television (Firm); WNET (Television station : New York, N.Y.); Films Media Group; Films for the Humanities & Sciences (Firm).
- Uniform title:** Bill Moyers on faith & reason (Television Program)

Two callout boxes provide additional context:

- A callout box points to the "Contents" field, stating: "Contents will usually list the main topics covered in each part or volume of a multi-part set, helping you choose which disc to ask for at the Erwin Library Circulation desk."
- A callout box points to the "Subject terms" field, stating: "Note that our keyword search term 'Buddhism' is actually a Library of Congress Subject Heading (LCSH), called Subject term in the OPAC display. Any text in blue in the OPAC may be clicked as a link to pull up a Search Results list of other items using that subject (or author or title) term in the Catalog Record".

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- Click **Previous** in the upper menu bar only to return to the screen immediately previous to the one you are on
- Click **Go Back** in the upper menu bar anytime you wish to return to the **Search Results** list

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Go Back Help New Search Previous Next X-Refs Change Display Kept Logout

record 3 of 6 for search words or phrase "Buddhism"

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BL48 .B435 2006 DVD 8	1 DVD	Audio Visual	
BL48 .B435 2006 DVD 9	1 DVD	Audio Visual	

- When you have completed your searches and recorded the call numbers for retrieval by the Erwin Library Circulation staff click **Search/Home** either to begin a new search session, or leave the **OPAC** at the search page for another patron to use

The Erwin Library Reference staff will be happy to tell you more about searching for materials in the **OPAC** in person in the library, or by phone at 739-6891 or Ext. 6891 from on-campus. A librarian will also reply to a request made through the **Erwin Library homepage** using the **Ask a Librarian form**.