


## Permalink “Fix” for Remote Use of Erwin Library Resources (CQ Researcher)

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- II. Permalinks may be copied or emailed to yourself from the page on which the journal article, ebook, or streaming video is displayed, and then pasted into any sort of document, discussion board or email for later access.
- III. If you **Copy** a **Permalink** from an Erwin Library database, or **Email** it to yourself or your instructor, and, when you or your recipient are using a computer outside the library, that link doesn’t work, **you may need to add a proxy prefix** to the Permalink to complete it, so you will be directed to a prompt page to login as a remote user with your Erwin Library barcode number.
- IV. One database that poses this problem, though with an easy fix, is **CQ Researcher**.
- V. To create a complete Permalink using the **Document URL** emailed or copied from this resource:
  - A. First, **Copy** and **Paste** into another open file (preferably in **Notepad** to prevent any format “contamination”) the Erwin Library proxy prefix:  
<https://waynecc.idm.oclc.org/login?url=>
  - B. Then, **Copy** your **Document URL** from the citation area at the end of the **article** and **Paste** it right after the prefix to form the **complete Permalink** which you can **Save** to use later to access the article or ebook again, as in the following examples:

[83] "Frequently Asked Questions," dads, Driver Alcohol Detection System for Safety, <http://tinyurl.com/hs2awr3>. [Go to top](#)

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Our Erwin Library proxy prefix is always: <https://waynecc.idm.oclc.org/login?url=>

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