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Passwords?

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But what about the login box you see in the advanced search dialog box? The bibliographies are designed to allow personal settings. This means you can save queries and files. In order to do so you need to create an account. You can do this clicking on the link 'click here to create an account' in the advanced search dialog box. Once an account is created you can use it for all bibliographies.

Searching

One can search in many ways the Peeters Online Bibliographies.

The most familiar way is to browse the contents of it. Open 'Browse Contents' and you will find the chapters organised according to the print publication.

A second option is to search one of the basic indices; make sure you search the correct index, fill in your search term and hit 'search'. Underneath the input box entries will be suggested; enter these suggestions by clicking on them.

Finally you can search combining all available indices with each other using the advanced search. The LiveSearch allows you to fill in the correct entries. Combine using AND, OR and NOT and the correct expression.

Results appear in the right window. Clicking on them will give you the complete files.