



Latino/Latina Studies Library Resource Guide

This guide is comprised of a selected list of print and electronic sources available through the University Libraries which provide information on Latino/a history, culture and experience.

Reference Works

[The Almanac of Latino Politics](#)

CARLSON Reference [E184.S75 A537 2006](#)

Here is a comprehensive statistical compilation of Latino political participation and voting trends over the next 25 years for the United States. Examined are the impact Latino voters will have in Presidential, U.S. Senatorial, Gubernatorial, and Congressional elections, as well as the implications of Latino population and voter participation growth.

[Anuario Hispano \(Hispanic Yearbook\)](#)

CARLSON Reference [HD2346.U52 W352 2006-2007](#)

This edition of this national resource and referral guide for the Hispanic community includes contact information, interviews, articles, and statistical data in the areas of employment, business, education, government, and health. Also included: listings of community organizations, publications, and media outlets in the United States and abroad; financial aid opportunities for students; career and business opportunities for professionals; health-related information.

[Bilingual Children's Books in English and Spanish: an annotated bibliography, 1942 through 2001](#)

CARLSON Reference [Z1037.7 .D36 2003](#)

Lists more than 400 (mostly) picture books, featuring text in both Spanish and English.

[Encyclopedia Latina: history, culture, and society in the United States](#) CARLSON Reference [E184.S75 E587 2005](#) v. 1-4

These four volumes provide students and scholars with multidisciplinary coverage of sociological, political, and aesthetical subjects, encompassing all facets of Latino history, culture, and civilization from 1550 to the present. It contains 150 biographical entries as well as maps, charts and primary documents.

[Encyclopedia of Latino Popular Culture](#)

CARLSON Reference [E184.S75 E59 2004](#) v. 1-2

This work provides an extensive selection of Latino pop culture topics, featuring nearly 500 essay entries on noted people, festivities, items, terms, movements, sports, food, events, places, visual and performing arts, film, institutions, fashion, literature, organizations, the media, and more.

[Encyclopedia of Minorities in American Politics](#)

CARLSON Reference [E184.A1 E574 2000](#) v. 1-2

These volumes focus on the history of minorities in U.S. politics, and are comprised of historical and contemporary biographies, important court decisions, key issues, major events, movements, and organizations. Primary documents, directory information on organizations, and photographs are included.

[Encyclopedia of Modern Mexico](#)

CARLSON Reference [F1234 .D364 2002](#)

This resource focuses on the culture, history, achievements, and politics of the Mexican people since 1940.

[Gale Encyclopedia of Multicultural America](#)

CARLSON Reference [E184.A1 G14 1995](#) v. 1-2

This work provides essays on the culture, acculturation, assimilation, community, family, history, language, religion, and settlement patterns of minority and ethnic groups in the U.S., and includes contact information for organizations and media, with suggestions for further reading on multiculturalism.

[The Greenwood Encyclopedia of Multiethnic American Literature](#)

CARLSON Reference [PS153.M56 G74 2005](#) v. 1-5

This encyclopedia offers a comprehensive introduction to ethnic American writing, and includes biographical, geographical, and historical information, and covers ethnic stereotypes, legislation, and other topics within multiethnic American literature. [illustrated]

[*The Hispanic American Almanac: a reference work on Hispanics in the United States*](#)

CARLSON Reference [E184.S75 H557 2003](#)

This edition details major aspects of Hispanic American culture, addressing such topics as art, biography, business, history, literature, religion, women, and more, with more than 450 charts, maps, and photographs.

[*Hispanic Americans: a statistical sourcebook*](#)

CARLSON Reference [E184.S75 H5655](#)

This resource provides a summary of statistical information about Hispanic Americans published by the U.S. government.

[*The Hispanic Databook*](#)

CARLSON Reference [E184.S75 H567 2004](#)

This book presents detailed statistics and rankings relating to the Hispanic population for 1,266 U.S. cities and counties, with figures from the latest census, including 23 ethnic backgrounds.

[*The Oxford Encyclopedia of Latinos and Latinas in the United States*](#)

CARLSON Reference [E184.S75 O97 2005](#) v. 1-4

This Encyclopedia offers comprehensive information about the diverse experiences in the United States of Latinos and Latinas from around the world on such topics as art, education, health, history, identity, politics, and religion.

[*The Praeger Handbook of Latino Education in the U.S.*](#)

CARLSON Reference [LC2669 .P73 2007](#)

This work describes in depth the state of Latino education in US schools. An introduction gives a historical overview, arranged alphabetically by subject. A comprehensive index and a glossary are included.

[*A Reference Guide to Latin American History*](#)

CARLSON Reference [F1410 .H463 2000](#)

This reference provides detailed cultural, economic, and political coverage of key events in Latin American history spanning colonialism to 20th century revolutionary movements. It also contains 300 biographies.

[*Reference Library of Hispanic America*](#)

CARLSON Reference [E184.S75 R44 2003](#)

This three volume series details the current status and historical achievements of Hispanic Americans and is a source for information about a broad range of important aspects of Hispanic life & culture in the United States, including business, documents law, family life, history, organizations, performing arts, politics, religion, science, sports, women and more.

[*Voices of Multicultural America: notable speeches delivered by African, Asian, Hispanic, and Native Americans, 1790-1995*](#)

CARLSON Reference [PS663.M55 V64 1996](#)

Contains about 230 speeches including influential Hispanic Americans. Includes biographical sketches on life and career.

Electronic / Web Resources

[*Chicano Database*](#)

A specialized, comprehensive bibliographic database for information about Mexican-Americans and the Latino/a experience in general, updated quarterly. Access by doing a title search in the [UT Library Catalog](#).

[*Hispanic*](#)

This online magazine highlights the achievements and contributions of Latino/as in American society. Access by doing a title search in the [UT Library Catalog](#).

[*Overview of Race and Hispanic Origin: 2000.*](#)

This electronic resource provides statistics compiled from the U.S. Census Bureau, 2001; access by doing a title search in the [UT Library Catalog](#) or from <http://www.census.gov/population/www/socdemo/hispanic.html>

[*Recommended US Latino Websites: Diversity & Ethnic Studies*](#)

This diverse list of Web resources assembled at Iowa State University by Susan A. Vega García includes Chicano / Mexican American, Cuban American, Puerto Rican, and other Latinos residing in the US.

http://www.public.iastate.edu/~savega/us_latino.htm