

Twentieth Century Latin American Poetry



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Where to find...

Reference Resources

General Guides

Bleznick, Donald W. *A Sourcebook for Hispanic Literature and Language: A Selected, Annotated Guide to Spanish, Spanish-American, and United States Hispanic Bibliography, Literature, Linguistics, Journals, and Other Source Materials*. Lanham: Scarecrow Press, 1995. (Ref PC 4071 Z 999 B54 1995)

Woodbridge, Hensley C. *Guide to Reference Works for the Study of the Spanish Language and Literature and Spanish American Literature*. 2nd ed. New York: Modern Language Association of America, 1997. (Ref PC 4071 W664X 1997)

Dictionaries, Bio-Bibliographical Resources, and Indexes

Salgado, María A. *Modern Spanish American Poets. First Series*. Detroit:Gale, 2003. (Ref PS 129 D53X v. 283) Part of the *Dictionary of Literary Biography (DLB) series*.

Salgado, María A. *Modern Spanish American Poets. Second Series*. Detroit:Gale, 2004. (Ref PS 129 D53X v. 290) Part of the *Dictionary of Literary Biography (DLB) series*.

Note: The *Dictionary of Literary Biography* is also available via the Database Finder <http://library.albany.edu/databases/search.asp> as part of the Literature Resource Center.

Sefamí, Jacobo, comp. *Contemporary Spanish American Poets: a Bibliography of Primary and Secondary Sources*. New York: Greenwood Press, 1992. (PQ 7084 Z999 S74X 1992)

Sonntag Blay, Iliana. *Twentieth-Century Poetry from Spanish America: an Index to Spanish Language and Bilingual Anthologies*. Lanham: Scarecrow Press, 1998. (PQ 7082 P7 Z991 1998)

History and Criticism

Fernández, Teodosio. *La Poesía Hispanoamericana en el Siglo XX*. Madrid: Taurus, 1987. (PQ 7082 P7 F36 1987)

Le Corre, Hervé. *Poesía Hispanoamericana Postmodernista: Historia, Teoría, Prácticas*. Madrid: Gredos, 2001. (PQ 7082 P7 L425X 2001)

Lewis, Marvin. *Afro-Hispanic, 1940-1980: from Slavery to "Negritud" in South American Verse*. Columbia: University of Missouri Press, 1983. (PQ 7552 P7 L49 1983)

Tips to search in online catalogs and databases



Keywords are terms considered to be “key” to finding information. **You might find them useful for your catalog and database searches.** Some examples:

- **Keywords in different languages.** vanguardismo, vanguardias, Avant-garde, Avant-gardism
- **Synonyms.** Latin American poets, Spanish American poets
- **Related keywords.** Experimental poetry, poesía pura, negritude

EXPAND your search by using

- **Keyword searches** for quick searches on broad topics
- **Boolean operators (OR)**
- **Truncation.** A symbol at the end of a word to retrieve variants of that word. For example: searching for **vanguard*** will find "vanguardismo" and "vanguardias".
- **Wildcards.** A symbol to be embedded within a word to replace a single character or a string of characters. For example: searching for **wom?n** will find “woman” and “women”.

	Truncation	Wildcard
Minerva (Online Catalog)	?	! (for a single character) # (for several characters)
MLA Worldcat	*	?
HAPI	Just leave the word root	Not available

NARROW DOWN/LIMIT your search by using

- **Subject searches** for a more controlled search
- **Boolean operators (AND, NOT)**

Where to find...

Books, Journals, Audiovisual Materials, Microforms, and other formats EXCEPT journal articles

University at Albany Online Catalog (MINERVA)

<http://minerva.albany.edu>

► Subject Heading Search

The following Library of Congress Subject Headings are useful for searching resources by subject in our online catalog. This list only includes some examples of subject headings that might be useful for your research.

Spanish American poetry 20th century

Spanish American poetry 20th century History and Criticism

Modernism (Literature) *May be subdivided geographically*

Postmodernism (Literature) *May be subdivided geographically*

Avant-garde (Aesthetics) *May be subdivided geographically*

► For books about an author

Type his/her name in:

- Select Search Type **Subject Heading Begins With...** Type *last name, first name*. You will retrieve a list of various subjects on your author.
- Select Search Type **Subject Keywords** Type *last name or last name in any order*. You will retrieve a list of library materials on your author.

Worldcat

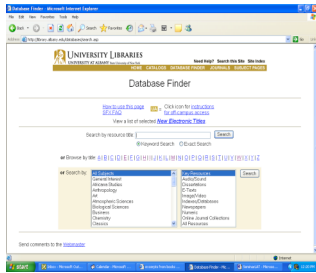
It is a worldwide union catalog created and maintained collectively by more than 9,000 member institutions. Most of the US academic libraries are represented in this catalog.

Access via Database Finder: <http://library.albany.edu/databases/search.asp>

Many of the resources from these libraries can be requested via our interlibrary loan service:
<http://library.albany.edu/ill/>

Where to find...

Scholarly Articles



These databases are accessible via Database Finder

<http://library.albany.edu/databases/search.asp>

MLA International Bibliography

Description: Consists of bibliographic records pertaining to literature, language, linguistics, and folklore. It draws on scholarly research in over 3,000 journals and series, covering relevant monographs, working papers, proceedings, bibliographies and other formats.

Coverage: 1963-

Fulltext? Provides links to some full-text articles and allows access to full-text articles to subscribed journals.

Hanbook of Latin American Studies

Description: A bibliography on Latin America consisting of works selected and annotated by scholars and edited by the Hispanic Division of the Library of Congress.

- **From volume 50 onward, you can also access HLAS via:** <http://hlasopac.loc.gov/>

This option offers additional features such as Boolean search and the possibility to save and send emails with your results. **HLAS is also available in print (Ref Z 1605 H23)**

Coverage: 1935-

Fulltext? Links to journals subscribed by the library. Also links to freely available resources are included for records from volume 50 (1990) forward.

Hispanic American Periodicals Index (HAPI)

Description: Provides access to bibliographic information of scholarly articles and book reviews from key journals worldwide primarily on Latin American and U.S. Latino topics.

Coverage: 1970- . Indexing of book reviews 1970-2001

Fulltext? You can limit your searches to citations to full-text only. Links would take you to either journals the library subscribes to or to freely available articles on the web.

Other Databases:

- Literature Research Center
- Twayner's Authors Series

Digital Resources on the Internet

20th Century Latin American Poets	
<p>Jorge Luis Borges Borges: Garden of Forking Paths http://www.themodernword.com/borges/ Borges 100 años. Centro Virtual Cervantes http://cvc.cervantes.es/actcult/borges/ Borges Center at the Univesity of Iowa http://www.uiowa.edu/borges/</p>	<p>Gabriela Mistral Universidad de Chile http://www.gabrielamistral.uchile.cl/</p>
<p>Rubén Darío Biblioteca Virtual Miguel de Cervantes http://www.cervantesvirtual.com/bib_autor/dario/</p>	<p>Pablo Neruda Biblioteca Virtual Miguel de Cervantes http://www.cervantesvirtual.com/bib_autor/Neruda/ Fundación Pablo Neruda http://www.fundacionneruda.org/ Universidad de Chile http://www.neruda.uchile.cl/</p>
<p>Nicolás Guillén Biblioteca Virtual Miguel de Cervantes http://www.cervantesvirtual.com/bib_autor/Guillen/</p>	<p>Gonzalo Rojas Biblioteca Virtual Miguel de Cervantes http://www.cervantesvirtual.com/bib_autor/Rojas/ Universidad de Chile http://www.gonzalorojas.uchile.cl/</p>
<p>Oliveiro Girondo Biblioteca Virtual Miguel de Cervantes http://www.cervantesvirtual.com/bib_autor/Girondo/</p>	<p>Nicanor Parra Biblioteca Virtual Miguel de Cervantes http://www.cervantesvirtual.com/bib_autor/parra/ Universidad de Chile http://www.nicanorparra.uchile.cl/</p>
<p>Vicente Huidobro Universidad de Chile http://www.vicentehuidobro.uchile.cl/</p>	<p>Octavio Paz UNAM http://www.nobel.unam.mx/octaviopaz/</p>
<p>Jose Lezama Lima University of Miami http://digital.library.miami.edu/chcdigital/chc5047/chc5047_main.shtml</p>	<p>Alfonsina Storni Biblioteca Virtual Miguel de Cervantes http://www.cervantesvirtual.com/bib_autor/Alfonsina/</p>
<p>Dulce María Loynaz Biblioteca Virtual Miguel de Cervantes http://www.cervantesvirtual.com/bib_autor/Loynaz</p>	<p>José Antonio Ramos Sucre Biblioteca Virtual Miguel de Cervantes http://www.cervantesvirtual.com/bib_autor/Sucre/</p>

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