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Hinks, Peter, ed. Encyclopedia of Antislavery and Abolition. [Net Library]


The African American Years: Chronologies of American History and Experience. Thompson, Gale. [AAC-REF-e185S797-2003]


**HANDBOOKS**

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**DATABASES**

*African American Biographical Database*  
A resource of first resort when you are looking for biographical information, including photographs and illustrations, for African Americans.

*African American Newspapers: The 19th Century*.  
Provides searchable full text access to the major *African-American newspapers* published in the United States during the **19th century**.
America History and Life
Covers United States and Canadian history from prehistory to the present. Includes current affairs, area studies, ethnic studies, folklore, historiography and methodology, international relations, oral history, prehistory, government and political science, popular culture, urban affairs, teaching of history, and interdisciplinary studies of historical interest and history-related topics in the social sciences and humanities.

American Memory: Historical Collections for the National Digital Library
Primary source materials relating to the history and culture of the United States. United States Library of Congress.

American Slavery: A Composite Autobiography
Composite autobiography of the life histories of former American slaves including transcripts of actual slave interviews and sound files of ex-slaves discussing their lives in their own voices

Biography Resource Center + The Complete Marquis Who's Who
A comprehensive database of biographical information on more than one million people from throughout history, around the world, and across all disciplines and subject areas.

The Civil Rights Litigation Clearinghouse
Selected categories of United States civil rights cases. Categories include Election/Voting Rights, Immigration, Police Profiling, Prison Conditions, Public Housing, School Desegregation and more.

Daily Life Through History
A detailed portrayal of what life was like for ordinary people in different cultures throughout history. Includes more than 600 color and black-and-white images, maps and illustrations.

Historic Events of the 20th Century
Historic Events of the 20th Century includes the Civil Rights Movement and the collapse of Communism in the Soviet Union. Includes a narrative history and analysis with primary documents, biographical profiles, hyperlinked chronologies, glossaries, photos, maps, and over 1,800 web links and multimedia resources

History Resource Center
An integrated collection of primary documents, secondary reference sources, and journal articles covering all areas of U.S. history from pre-colonial times to the present day.

JSTOR

Library of Congress American Memory
Primary source materials relating to the history and culture of the United States.
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Harris, Robert, ed. *The Columbia guide to African American History since 1939.* [Net Library]


Stetson, Kennedy. *After Appomattox: how the South won the war.* [AAC-E185.2K33-1995]


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**African American Law and Policy**
from 01/01/1994 to 2005 in Lexis Nexis.

**African American Legacy** [Coleman – Periodicals]

**African American Review** [Coleman – Periodicals]
from 01/01/1990 to present in *ProQuest 5000*, and *ProQuest Research Library*

**Black History Bulletin** [Coleman – Periodicals]
from 07/01/1997 to present in *Black Studies Center*

**Black Renaissance**
from Fall 1996 to present in *Black Studies Center*

**Journal of African American History** [Coleman – Periodicals]
from 01/01/2002 to present in *Academic OneFile*, *History Resource Center*, *Literature Resource Center*

**Negro History Bulletin**
from 12/01/93 to 01/31/2001 in *History Resource Center*

**Race, Gender & Class**
from 10/31/1997 to present in *Black Studies Center*, *Ethnic NewsWatch* and *GenderWatch*.
ONLINE RESOURCES

About: African-American History

Africans in America
       http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/aia/home.html

American Memory from the Library of Congress
       http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/index.html

Digital Schomburg Center for Research in Black Culture
       http://www.nypl.org/research/sc/digital.html

Documenting the American South
       http://docsouth.unc.edu/

Our Shared History: African American Heritage
       http://www.cr.nps.gov/aahistory/travel/travel.htm

The African-American Mosaic Exhibition (Library of Congress)
       http://www.loc.gov/exhibits/african/intro.html

       http://www.theblackdatabase.com