

Sample Searches: ABI/INFORM

1. You want to find articles on China and its economic conditions.
 - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area.
 - Type *China* in the first search box and select **Location** from the drop-down menu.
 - Type *economic conditions* in the second search box and select **Subject** from the drop-down menu.
 - Click **Search**.
2. You want to set up a monthly alert to receive links to scholarly journal articles about **Terrorism and International Relations** or **Terrorism and Foreign Relations**, when they are added to ABI/INFORM.
 - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area.
 - Type (*Terrorism and International Relations*) in the first search box.
 - Type (*Terrorism and Foreign Relations*) in the second search box and select **OR** from the drop-down menu to the left of the second search box.
 - In the **More Search Options** area, select **Scholarly Journals** from the **Publication Type** drop down menu.
 - Click **Search**.
 - Click **Set up Alert** on the results page.
 - Select an expiration date for the alert from the **Stop After** drop-down menu.
 - Enter a single email address in the Email Address box.
 - Click **Save**.
3. You want to find articles with tables, graphs or images that give information on mobile phones and the mobile phones market.
 - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area.
 - Type *mobile phones AND market* in the search box. Select **Image caption** from the drop down menu.
 - To refine your search, use the proximity operator **WITHIN/3** (*mobile phones WITHIN/3 market*).
Note: This will find the search terms close together in the image caption
 - Click **Search**.
4. You would like to find articles that discuss startup strategies for minority-owned enterprises.
 - Click the **Advanced** tab to access this area.
 - From the drop down menu, find and select **Classification code**. Click on the **Browse Classification Codes** link and expand Organizational types. Locate *9521 Minority- & women-owned businesses* . Click **Add to Search**.
 - Type (*startups or entrepreneurs*) in the second search box and select **Subject** from the **drop down menu**.
 - Click **Search**.