INSTRUCTIONAL LEADERSHIP CONCENTRATION
PRESENTATION HANDOUT
Summer Conference
July 12-16, 2015

Accessing Education Databases

- Start at http://www.nova.edu/edu/library/main
- From the library home page, select the Articles tab.
- Then click on the Databases by Subject link.
- Scroll down to Browse by Material Type, and select Education.
- http://nova.campusguides.com/education

Locating Dissertation Topics

- Browse the table of contents for top journals
- Find top journals at http://nova.campusguides.com/summerconference/instructionalleadership
- Browse literature reviews in recent dissertations
- Find recent dissertations at http://sherman.library.nova.edu/elibrary/index.php?action=subject&cat=dis&col=n

Building a Conceptual Framework

- Review the structure of the literature review of recent dissertations
- Begin to conceptualize your own literature review
- Review the reference list of literature reviews to locate further research on your topic
- Use Ulrich's Web database to determine if articles are peer-reviewed
- Use education databases (ERIC & Education Source) to find research articles on your topic

Resources for Citing Sources

- Citing Sources in APA workshop Wednesday, July 15 at 3:30pm Floridian Ballroom A
- Shark Writes http://sharkwrites.nova.edu/
- Sherman Library APA website http://sherman.library.nova.edu/sites/apa

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