





# Electronic resources for teaching and research cycle

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### Introduction

ProQuest and our resources – how these can be used effectively to support different aspects of research and teaching activities

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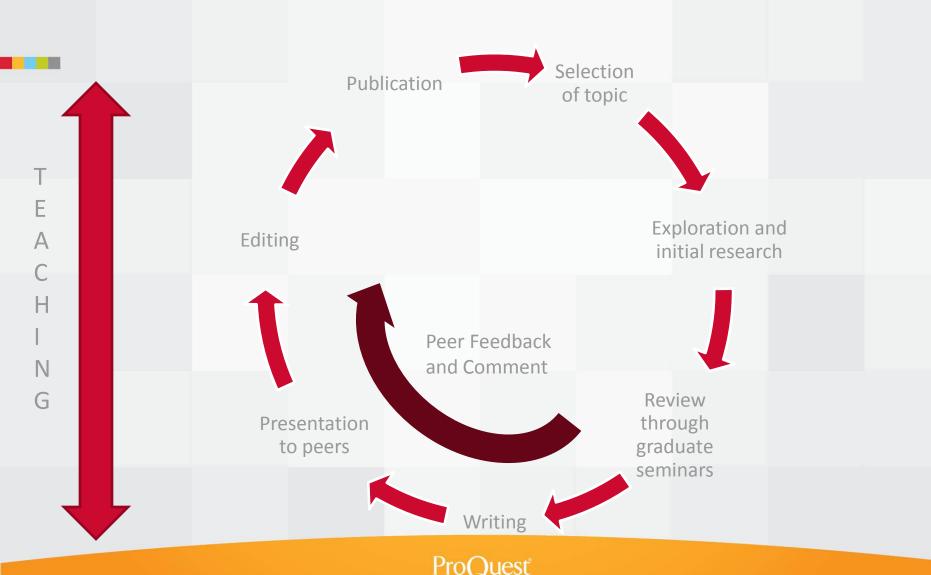


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Research			
Lecture / seminar		X	Planning, preparation, actual running of a seminar program in relation to research project
Publication	X	X	Planning, preparing, writing, sharing



# Research Process -seen differently



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1951

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1938

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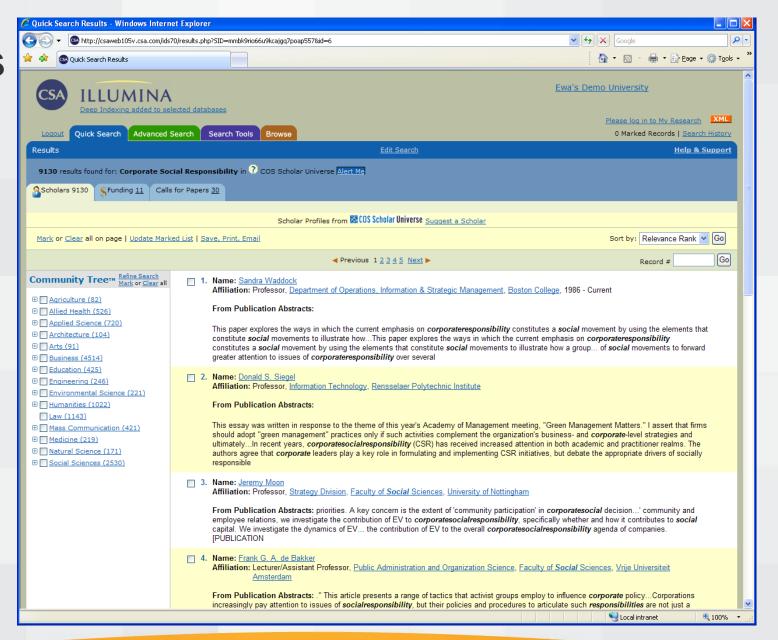
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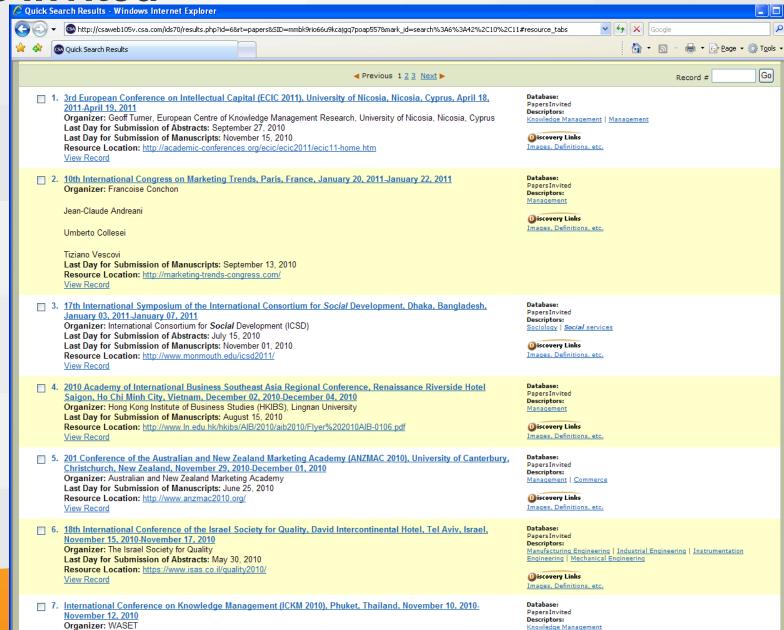
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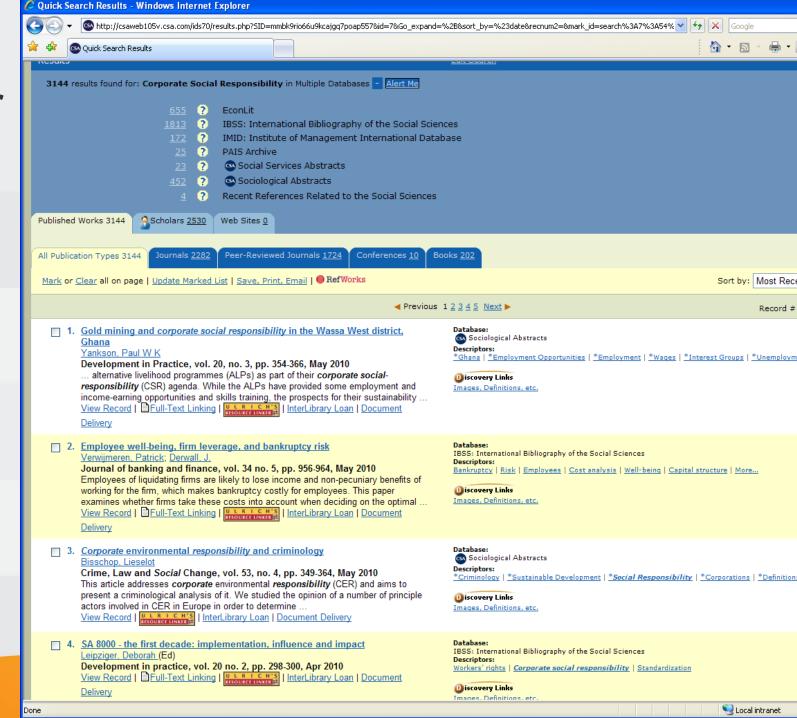


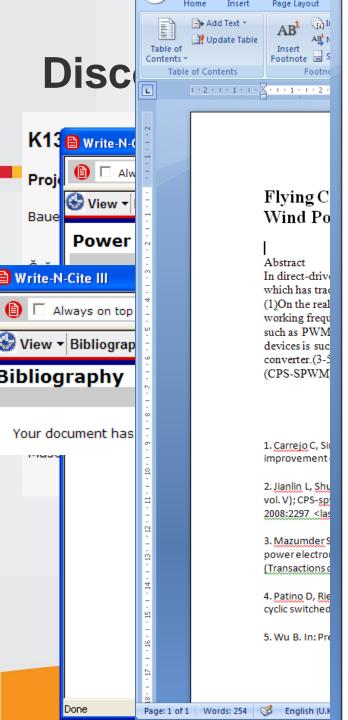
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### **Discover**





#### Journal of Experimental Medicine style:

### Flying Capacitor Converter Applicative Direct-Drive Wind Power Generator System<sup>1</sup>

#### Abstract

In direct-drive systems significant simplifications result from the elimination of the gear box which has traditionally been used to interface a slowly rotating shaft with the generator shaft. (Carrejo et al., 2010)On the realization of high power electronic equipment, an important problem is that the working frequency of high power devices is too low to apply excellent modulated technique such as PWM.(Jianlin et al., 2008) In large-power equipment, the switching frequency of power electronics devices is such low that good control performance can't be obtained with a single converter.(Mazumder and Pradhan, 2010, Patino et al., 2010, Wu.,) In order to overcome this problem, Carrier phase-shifted SPWM technique (CPS-SPWM) has been researched. All this verified by simulation and experiment.

#### References

Carrejo, C., A. Simon-Muela, E. Vidal-Idiarte, B. Estibal, C. Ramos-Paja, and C. Alonso. 2010. FPGA-based improvement of classical current tracking methods for high-frequency power converters.

Jianlin, L. H. Shuju, S. Guiping, W. Xin, and X. Honghua. 2008. Proceedings of ISES World Congress 2007 (Vol. I.—Vol. VI; CPS-Spwm Flying. Capacitor Converter Applicative Direct-Drive Wind Power. Generator System 2297. Slast. page > 2300.

Mazumder, S.K., and S. Pradhan, 2010. Efficient and Robust Power Management of Reduced Cost Distributed Power Electronics for Fuel-Cell Power System. *Journal of Fuel Cell Science and Technology (Transactions of the ASME)*, 7:011018 (11.pp).

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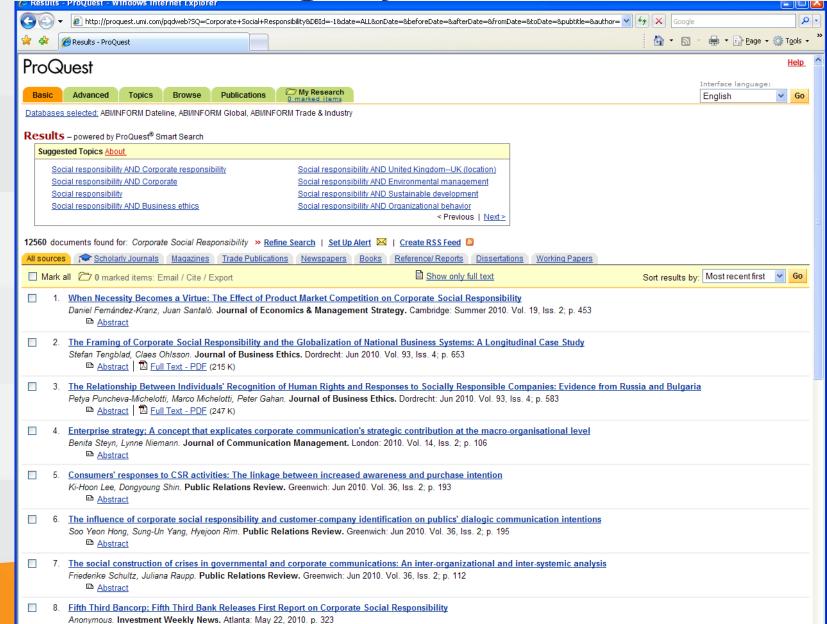






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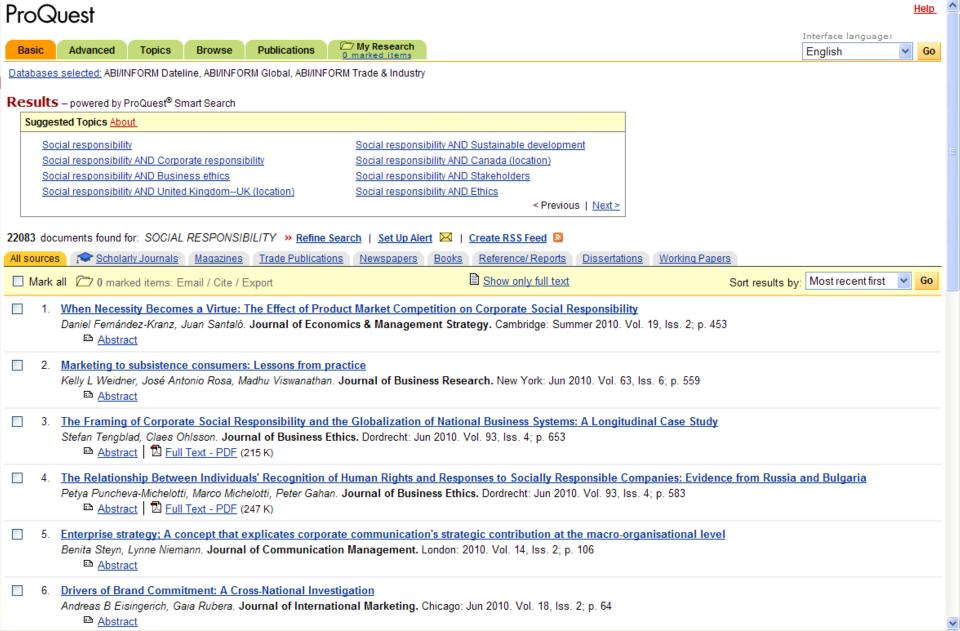
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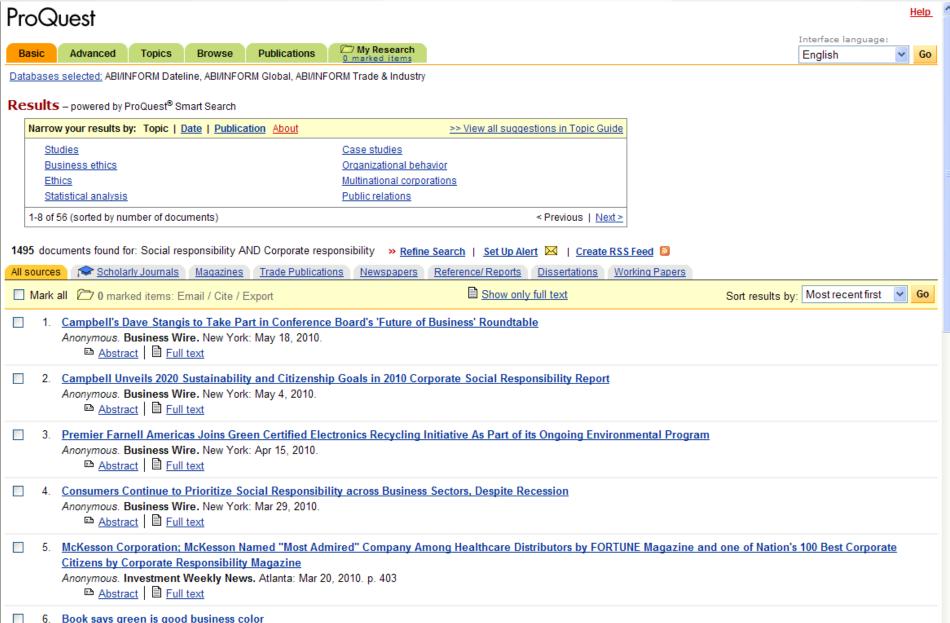
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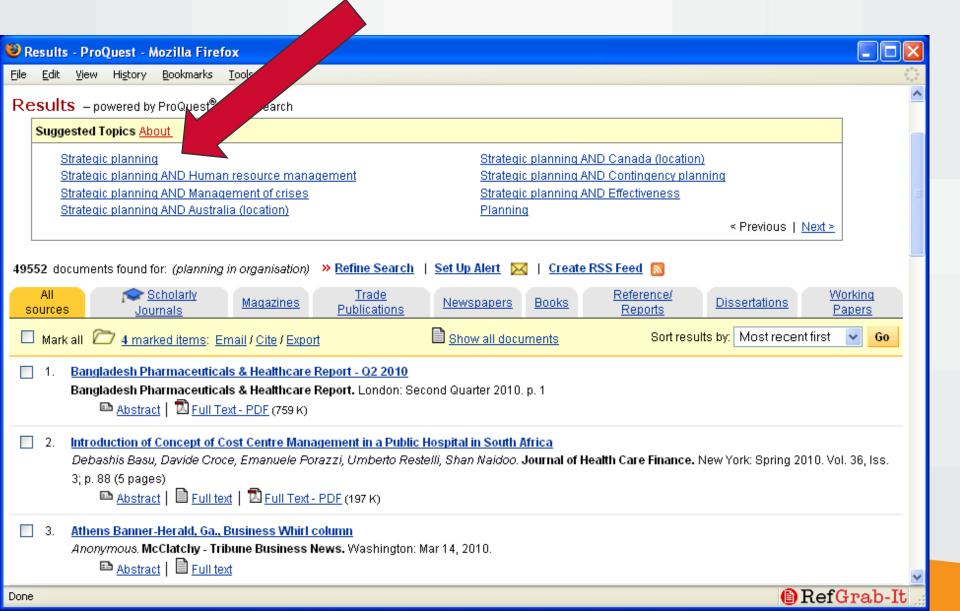
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# Planning in organisations



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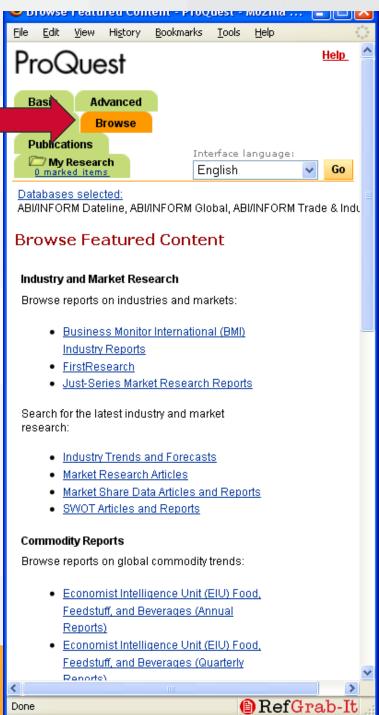
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# Market analysis

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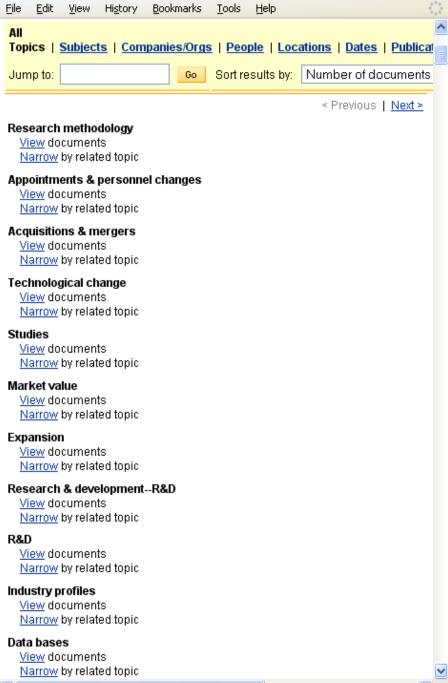




### Market analysis and marketing

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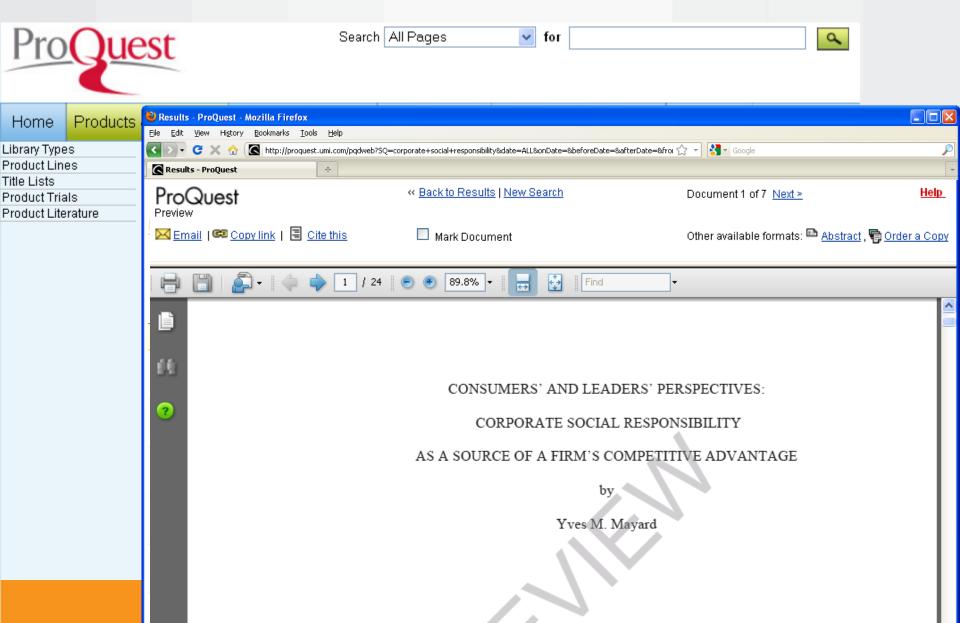
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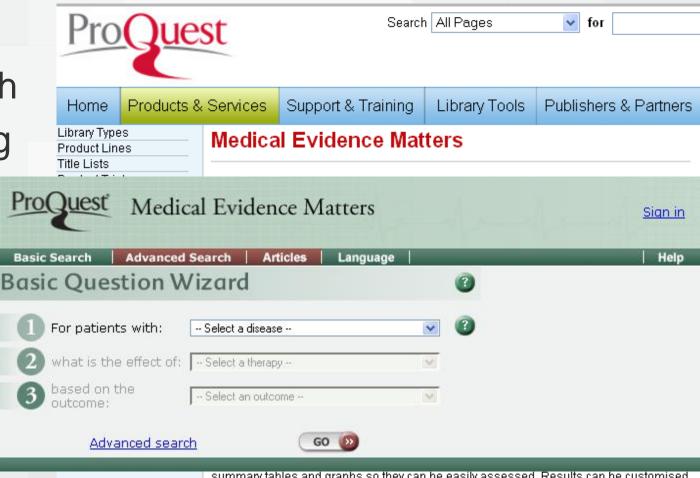


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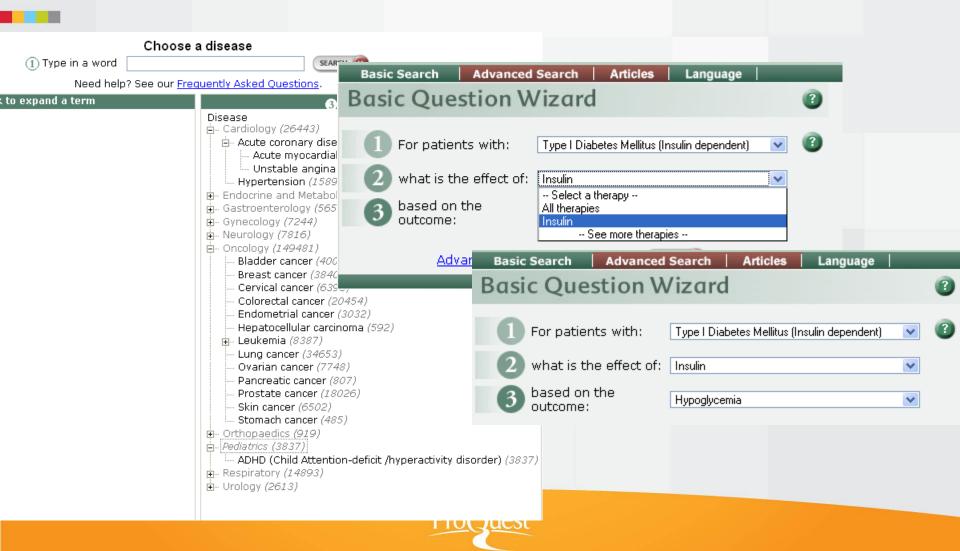
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### **Teach**

### Clip 08. Jim Prevor - Interview - Perishable Pundit: Jim Prevor States Businesses Have Responsibility To Be Strong Businesses

Jim Prevor. eClipsNet Digital Database. Oct 29, 2008(Video)



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Speaker(s): Speaker bio:

s): Jim Prevor

Jim Prevor is the Founder and Editor of the Perishable Pundit which has quickly become the industry's most important forum for the discussion and analysis of issues relevant to the fresh foods industry including the trade's primary forum for discussing food safety and sustainability issues. Jim Prevor is widely recognized as a leader in understanding and assessing the state of the perishable food industries and analyzing the prospects for the retail and foodservice venues in which perishable foods are sold. His comments and insights on issues such as food safety, sustainability and the competitive dynamics in the food retailing industry have been seen and heard on CNN, the Fox Business Channel, the OBBC. <u>Mational Public Radio</u> and many network affiliates as well as over 100 newspapers and magazines, including The Washington Post, The Wew York Times, The Chicago Tribune, The Los Angeles Times and The Wall Street Journal. The founder and editor-in-chief of both PRODUCE BUSINESS and DELI BUSINESS magazines, Prevor also spearheads substantial trade and consumer research projects focusing on consumer attitudes toward various shopping venues. These research initiatives include the world's largest comparison of perishable food prices between @Wal-Mart and competing shopping venues and a project comparing and contrasting consumer attitudes on sustainability in the UK and North America. Prevor is also the founder of Perishable Solutions, a consultancy specializing in bringing strategic thinking to the fast-moving business of perishables. He travels the world visiting retail, foodservice, wholesale and production organizations and has given keynote addresses, workshops and seminars on every continent save Antarctica.

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The pattern of the Soviet Union's domination in the region of Eastern Europe had a major impact on the cultural, economic and social development of the countries affected, Each Eastern European state had a communist government loyal to the Soviet Union, while each state's economy was also tied to the Soviet economy.

Moreover, the Warsaw Pact signed in 1955 allied together Eastern Europe's states and the Soviets, Despite this apparent cohesion, there were varying degrees of success in

the Sovietization of Eastern Europe. For instance, the experience of Bulgaria's genuine indigenous

communism and lovalty to the USSR was dissimilar from the Soviet-imposed communist government in Czechoslovakia. Along with the development of the Cold War, among the most significant events that took place

during the Soviet era in Eastern Europe were the 1956 Hungarian Revolution, the erection of the Berlin Wall, the 1968 Prague Spring, Poland's Solidarity movement, Czechoslovakia's Velvet Revolution and the toppling of Romania's Nicolae Ceausescu in 1989.

#### Highlights



The Collapse of Communism.

KnowledgeNotes History Guides Cambridge, ProQuest Information and Learning, 2002. This KnowledgeNotes History Guide investigates the causes and effects of the collapse of Communism in the Soviet Union and Eastern Europe.

On the morning of 21 August 1968 Soviet and other Warsaw Pact forces invaded Czechoslovakia,

Anderson, Raymond H., "They Open Fire on Crowds in Prague."

ProQuest Historical Newspapers: New York Times (21 Aug. 1968): 1.

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Marshal Tito

Josip Tito was president of

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By MILAN KUNDERA When in September of

1968, with my eyes still filled with the image of

Russian tanks parked along Prague streets, I arrived for a few days in the West, a rather sympathetic young man asked me with an aggressiveness he did not try to conceal, "What exactly do you Czechs want? Are you already tired of socialism? Would you have preferred our society of mass consumption?" Today, over ten years later, the Western Left is almost unanimous in its approval of the Prague Spring. But I am not certain that the misunderstanding has been cleared up.

1968: Prague, Paris and Josef

The Western intellectual in his proverbial egocentricity often takes interest in certain issues not so much in order to have a thorough knowledge of them as to integrate them, like a pebble, into the mosaic of his own theoretical speculations. Alexander Dubček is thus confused, according to the situation, sometimes with Allende or Trotsky and sometimes with Lumumba or Che Guevara. The Prague Spring is acknowledged and placed—but really it remains unknown.

I would like, above all, to emphasize this fact: the Prague Spring did not come as a revolutionary explosion succeeding the night of the Stalinist era; it had been prepared by a whole process of liberalization, long and intense, that developed during the sixties. It is even possible that it all started slightly earlier, maybe in 1956 with the revelations of the Twentieth Congress in Moscow, or even in 1948, at the birth of Czech Stalinism. Its origins were with the critical minds that gradually decomposed the dogmas of the regime, called Marx to witness against Marxism, common sense against ideological delirium, humanist sophisms against inhumane ones. By dint of laughing at the system they led the system to be ashamed of itself; sustained by an overwhelming majority of the population, they slowly but inevitably laid the guilt at the feet of the state which was gradually less and less capable of believing in itself and in its truth.

At home we would say cynically that the ideal political regime is a dictatorship in decomposition; the oppressive machinery functions more and more defectively, and yet its existence alone suffices to keep the national spirit in a maximally creative tension. A dicta-

#### Lover, Traitor, Soldier, Spy?

Christine Toomey, Sunday Times, London (UK): Aug 10, 2008, pg. 38

#### Abstract (Summary)

It is hard to say whether the young woman her mother describes as a "serious student and devout communist" was more attracted by [Che Guevara]'s revolutionary credentials or by his charisma. But she must have seen in him much that she missed about the country where both of them were born. What is certain is that the following year, [Tamara Bunke] travelled to Cuba as an interpreter for the Cuban national ballet, adopted the nom de guerre of [Tania], and never returned to live in Germany. Inspired by the idealism of the Cuban revolution, she sought out voluntary work, teaching and building homes and schools in the countryside, alongside her hero Guevara. Until, that is, he gave the order that she was to receive "special training". By then he had set his sights on spreading revolution far beyond Cuba's shores, to Africa and throughout Latin America. It was decided Bolivia would become the next seedbed for a peasant uprising: a strategic "focus" from which rebel armies would spread into five neighbouring countries: Argentina, Paraguay, Brazil, Peru and Chile. It was a grave miscalculation: Bolivia had already undergone limited land reform and the population there had little appetite for revolt.

Throughout the spring of 1964, Tania was hidden on a small farm on the outskirts of Prague, where she was schooled in the art of espionage, in preparation for infiltrating high society as [Laura Gutierrez Bauer] in Bolivia's administrative capital of La Paz. She arrived there in October 1964 with a brief to gather intelligence on Bolivia's political elite and the strength of its armed forces. Her ultimate weapon was her attractiveness to men. "You could call her a [Mata Hari]. As a spy she was one of the best," says [Benigno]. "But I do not believe she slept around. She did not need to. She knew how to manipulate men perfectly without doing that." He tells how, shortly after arriving in La Paz, she learnt that the son of the country's army chief and junta head, General Alfredo Ovando Candia, was planning to study in Germany. After finding out where the general lived, she rented a room nearby and put a sign in the window advertising "German lessons". The ploy worked; she started teaching the general's son German.

Most of the pages here that do mention Tania relate to her former "handler"; the man referred to in the documents as "the traitor" or "deserter" - [Gunther Mannel]. These documents date from after his defection to the West in 1961, and lament how this compromised the GDR's intelligence services. One states that "a series of secret agents working abroad in capitalist countries have had to be warned and withdrawn from service". This document confirms that Mannel did know of one female "GM" - geheime Mitarbeiter, or secret agent - working in La Paz. But, confusingly, it states that she died in March 1967 and Tania was shot in August of that year.

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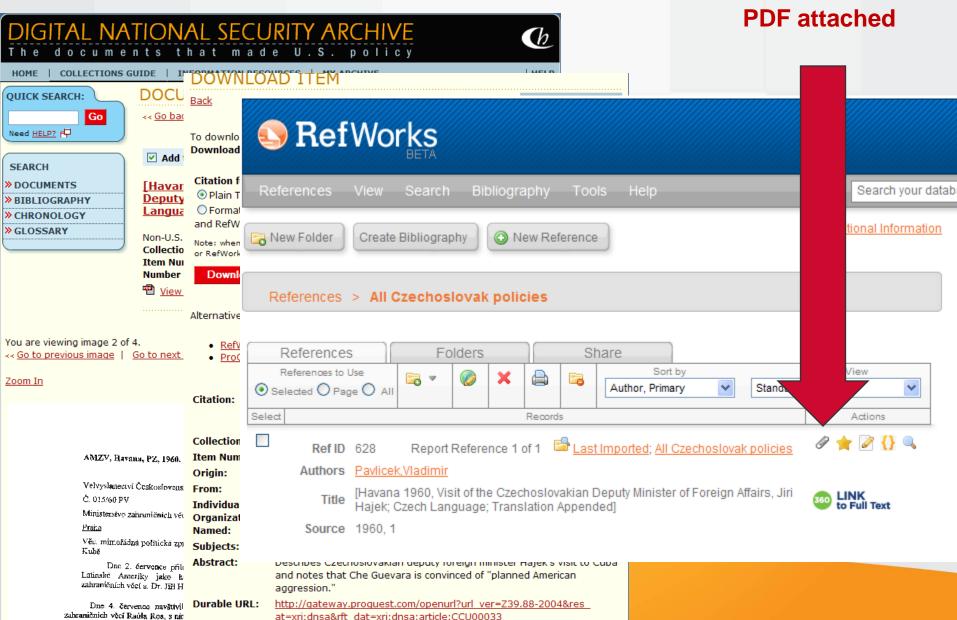
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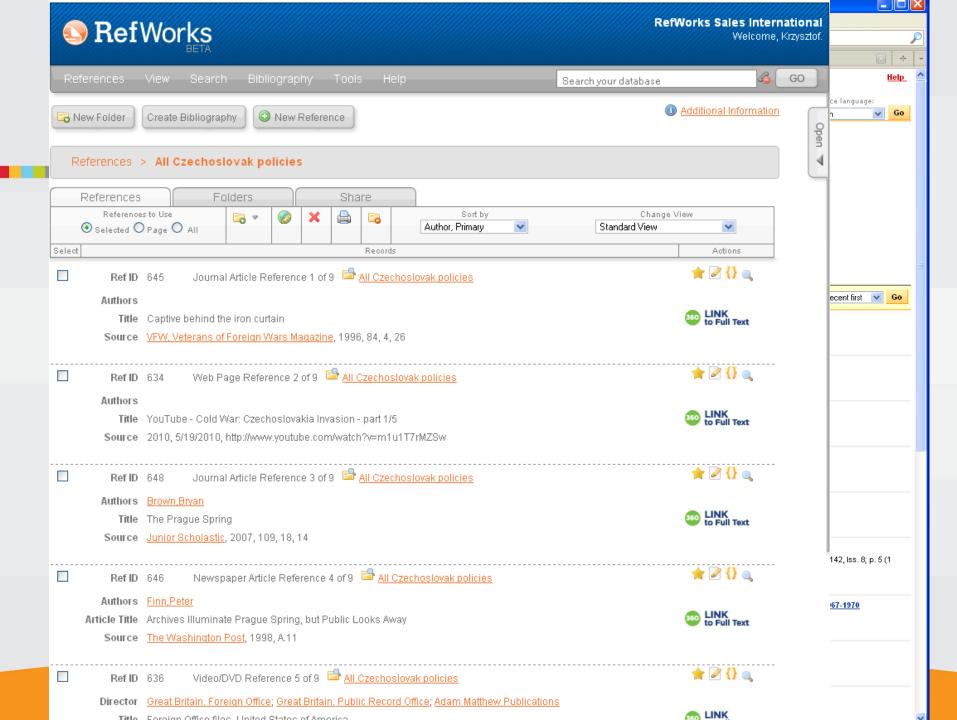
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# **QUESTIONS?**

