

DISCOVERY: 1 - GETTING STARTED

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You can search across Library resources with one search using DISCOVERY.

To start a basic DISCOVERY search:

1. Go to the Library website (<https://library.nmit.ac.nz>) to find the DISCOVERY search box.
2. Try one of these two basic search options:

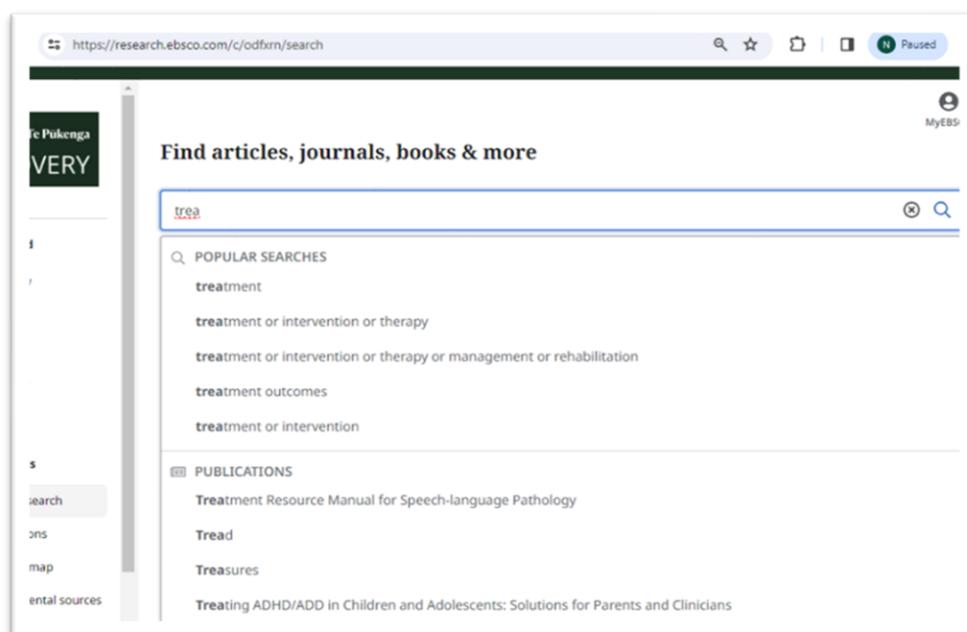
Option one:

- On the DISCOVERY search box, type your keywords in place of the 'Type your search' text prompt e.g. Type in keyword *Treaty of Waitangi*.
- Then press the Enter key or click on **Search DISCOVERY** and you'll be taken to the DISCOVERY platform with your search results displayed.

Option two:

- You can go directly to the DISCOVERY platform by clicking on **Search DISCOVERY**.
- Then put in a search term (e.g. type in *Treaty of Waitangi*) in the search box.

- As you type your search, related search terms and publication suggestions may appear under the search box (as shown on the right).
- If relevant, you can click on one of the suggestions or complete typing your own search keywords.



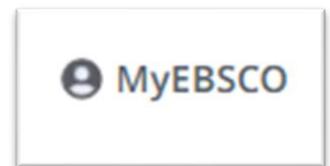
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3. To enable access to full text resources, click on the link **'Welcome, Guest. Sign in with your NMIT | Te Pūkenga account for full access to resources'** as below, and follow prompts to sign in.)



4. **MyEBSCO** will now appear beside the person icon, indicating you are logged in (see right).

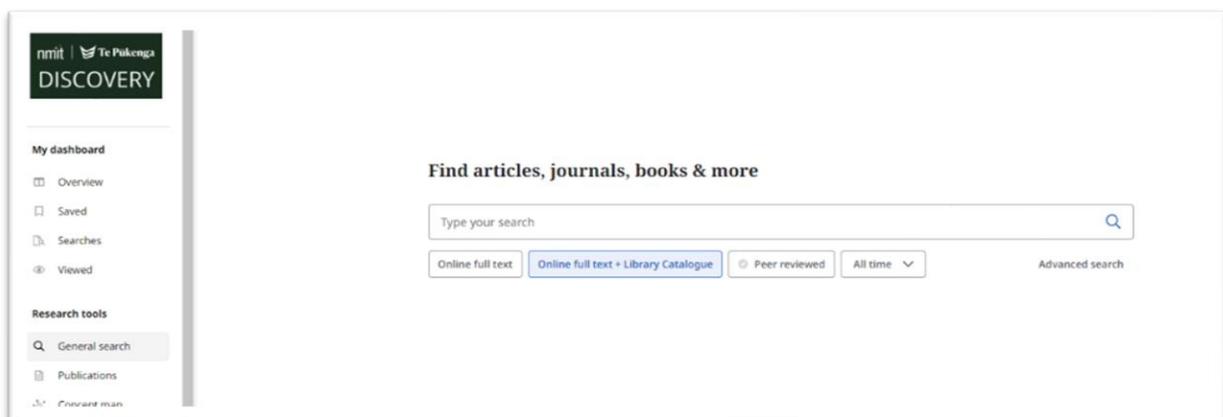


5. When you click on the icon, your account name will display (See [DISCOVERY: MyEBSCO ACCOUNT](#) for more tips).

6. To start a new **General search**, you can either:

- click on the **DISCOVERY** logo at top left of the DISCOVERY platform (see below).
- or from the menu on the left, under the **Research tools** section, click on **General Search**.

And you're back at the search screen, as below:



See other guides in this DISCOVERY series:

- [DISCOVERY: 2 - VIEWING SEARCH RESULTS](#)
- [DISCOVERY: 3 - FILTERING SEARCH RESULTS](#)

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