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### **Agriculture OER Repositories** <https://dev1.oerafrica.org/agriculture-oer/agriculture-oer-repositories>

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### **Cochrane Library** <https://www.cochranelibrary.com/>

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**IDEAS** <https://ideas.repec.org/>

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**Open Courseware Consortium** <https://www.oec consortium.org/>

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**Open Research Online** <https://www.scirp.org/book/>

Open Research Online is the UK Open University's repository of research publications and other research outputs. It is an Open Access resource that can be searched and browsed freely by members of the public.

**Open Textbook Library** <https://open.umn.edu/opentextbooks>

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Office of Scientific and Technical Information (OSTI) to increase access to science, technology, and engineering research information from DOE and its predecessor agencies.

**Social Science Research Network (SSRN)** <https://www.ssrn.com/index.cfm/en/>

The Social Science Research Network (SSRN) is an open access repository of scholarly research in the social sciences and humanities. SSRN is composed of a number of specialized research networks including Economics, Financial Economics and Legal Scholarship. The SSRN eLibrary database contains abstracts for scholarly articles, working papers and forthcoming papers, as well as over 390,000 downloadable full-text documents. EUI working papers in Economics and Law are also included in the SSRN eLibrary.

**The Online Books Page** <https://onlinebooks.library.upenn.edu/search.html>

The Online Books Page is a website that facilitates access to books that are freely readable over the Internet. It also aims to encourage the development of such online books, for the benefit and edification of all.

**The World Bank's Open Data Initiative** <https://data.worldbank.org/>

The World Bank's Open Data Initiative is providing free access to its comprehensive set of data on living standards around the globe - some 2,000 indicators, including hundreds that go back 50 years. Databases include: World Development Indicators (WDI), Global Development Finance (GDF) and African Development Indicators (ADI).

**Virtual Library on Capacity Development** <https://elibrary.acbfpact.org/>

This Library Contains open access online knowledge resources for capacity development

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Virtual Open Access Agriculture & Aquaculture Repository: Sharing Scientific and Scholarly Research related to Agriculture, Food, and Environment.

**World Digital Library** <https://www.wdl.org/en/>

World Digital Library makes it possible to discover, study, and enjoy cultural treasures from around the world on one site, in a variety of ways. These cultural treasures include manuscripts, maps, rare books, musical scores, recordings, films, prints, photographs, and architectural drawings.

## LAW ELECTRONIC RESOURCE DATABASES

### **British and Irish Legal Information Institute** <https://www.bailii.org/>

Welcome to BAILII, where you can find British and Irish case law & legislation, European Union case law, Law Commission reports, and other law-related British and Irish material. BAILII thanks The Scottish Council of Law Reporting for their assistance in establishing the Historic Scottish Law Reports project. For more information.

### **Commonwealth Legal Information Institute** <http://www.commonlii.org/>

The Commonwealth Legal Information Institute (CommonLII) aims to provide one central Internet location from which it is possible to search - for free - core legal information from all Commonwealth countries. CommonLII will provide a common technical platform through which all Commonwealth countries can cooperatively provide access to their laws. CommonLII will assist the development of a genuinely international common law. It will support the rule of law throughout the Commonwealth, by making each country's legal system more transparent. This transparency will also support international trade and investment.

### **Access to Law** <https://www.cwc.ac.uk/courses/section/course/access-to-law>

AccessToLaw is a gateway site, providing annotated links to selected UK, Commonwealth and worldwide legal web sites. Over 1300 sites are currently included.

### **African Law Library** <https://landportal.org/library/search>

The African Online Library on Law and Governance (ALL) is an innovative online portal available free of charge to all those interested in African law and governance. The Library was initiated in 2012 by the African Innovation Foundation (AIF). The purpose of the AIF is to increase the prosperity of Africans by catalyzing the innovation spirit in Africa. ALL aims to be the leading, innovative online portal for African law and governance, and to improve access to modern and customary law texts, and to other legal documents and secondary sources in the continent of Africa.

### **Amsterdam Law Forum** <https://amsterdamlawforum.org/>

Scientific International Law and Policy Commentary Journal.

### **Barrister** <https://www.britannica.com/topic/barrister>

The Barrister is an independent magazine aimed at practicing barristers and published quarterly. Articles from Issue 17 (June 2003) onwards are available via the “Archived Articles” page and on an archived web site.

### **Bepress Legal Repository** <https://law.bepress.com/>

The bepress Legal Repository offers working papers and pre-prints from scholars and professionals at top law schools around the world.

### **Competition Law Review** <https://www.scirp.org/Journal/>

The Competition Law Review is a fully refereed scholarly academic law journal. The CompLRev is distinctive from other competition journals by virtue of having a very strong scholarly basis and focus on particular topical competition law themes. It provides scholars with

a forum in which to discuss in detail the complexities and underlying trends in modern competition law.

**ECOLEX** <https://www.ecolex.org/>

ECOLEX provides law professionals, policy makers, and students access to digital documents in the area of environmental law. Available on the database are international treaties, national legislation from countries around the world, court decisions, and legal and policy literature.

**European Journal of Current Legal Issues** <https://www.scirp.org/>

Formerly titled the Web Journal of Current Legal Issues, the EJoCLI is an open access refereed journal covering legal issues in judicial decisions, law reform, legislation, legal research, legal information and related topics. It is currently edited at the Queen's University of Belfast School of Law. Prior to Volume 19 (2013) it was published by the University of Newcastle upon Tyne. 2003 onwards is available on the journal's web site, with 1995 to 2012 available via a link to the BAILII web site.

**European Journal of International Law** <http://www.ejil.org/>

This Archive contains the full text of all articles published in the Journal until one year prior to the present. For the current year, visitors will find the full text of one lead article as well as all review essays and book reviews. Abstracts are available for other articles. Subscribers to the EJIL may access the full text of all articles of all issues on the Oxford University Press website.

**European Journal of Law and Technology** <https://ejlt.org/index.php/ejlt>

The European Journal of Law and Technology (EJLT) is a refereed open access journal published up to three times a year 2010 onwards and featuring articles, discussions and reviews relating to IT law and applications.



**FAOLEX** <http://www.fao.org/faolex/en/>

FAOLEX is a comprehensive and up-to-date legislative database, one of the world's largest electronic collection of national laws and regulations on food, agriculture and renewable natural resources. Users of FAOLEX have direct access to the abstracts and indexing information about each text, as well as to the full text of most legislation contained in the database.

**Free Full-Text Online Law Review/** <https://www.lawtechnologytoday.org/>

This free search engine searches the free full-text of over 400 online law reviews and law journals, as well as document repositories hosting academic papers and related publications such as Congressional Research Service reports. Several of the law reviews and legal journals (such as the Stanford Technology Law Review), working papers, and reports are available online only.)

**In-House Lawyer** <https://www.inhouselawyer.co.uk/>

The In-House Lawyer is a journal published in hard copy and online ten times a year and aimed at in-house counsel of the UK and EMEA. Content freely available on its web site includes selected articles, which can be searched or browsed by subject. Coverage for most categories is 2009 onwards, with earlier articles available in some categories.

**Indices of Social Development** <https://isd.iss.nl/>

Indices of Social Development is an innovative World bank/ISS database, which will open new areas of research on social development, comparing various dimensions within countries, and their impact on other aspects of development

**Journal of Law and Commerce** <https://jlc.law.pitt.edu/ojs/index.php/jlc>

The Journal of Law and Commerce is a law review published by an independent student group at the University Of Pittsburgh School Of Law, focusing on domestic and international commercial and business law. The journal is published biannually, with recent issues available online. Its Bluebook abbreviation is J.L. & Com.

**Journal of Legal Analysis** <https://academic.oup.com/jla>

The Journal of Legal Analysis, founded in 2009, is a fully open access peer-reviewed general journal on all aspects of law, centered at Harvard Law School but with a board of editors drawn from many universities. It welcomes traditional legal articles as well as

Interdisciplinary work, and invites submissions from scholars worldwide. All publications may be viewed and downloaded free of charge. Print copies can be purchased for \$61 per issue.

**Journal of the Law Society of Scotland** <https://www.lawscot.org.uk/members/journal/>

The Journal is the monthly magazine for Scottish solicitors. Select “The Magazine” from the main menu to access articles from the latest print edition, or the Archive for the complete text of articles from December 1998 onwards.

**Kenya National Council for Law Reporting** <http://kenyalaw.org/kl/>

Our Aim is to Provide Universal Access to Kenya’s Public Legal Information by Monitoring and Reporting on the Development of Jurisprudence for the Promotion of the Rule of Law

**Labordoc** <https://labordoc.ilo.org/>

Online repository of publications and documents on labour issues from the International Labour Organisation (ILO).

**Law Society Gazette** <https://www.lawgazette.co.uk/>

The weekly Law Society Gazette is distributed free of charge to all solicitors in England and Wales with a current practising certificate. New content appears here online in advance of the printed copy, and there is a searchable archive of articles, 7 March 1990 onwards.

**Public Library of Law (PLOL)** <https://guides.loc.gov/free-case-law/PLOL>

PLOL provides access to cases from the U.S. Supreme Court and Courts of Appeals; Cases from all 50 states back to 1997; Federal statutory law and codes from all 50 states as well as state regulations, state court rules, and state constitutions.

**SAFLII - Southern African Legal Information Institute** <http://www.saflii.org/>

The Southern African Legal Information Institute publishes legal information for free public access which comprises mainly of case law and legislation from South Africa. SAFLII also hosts legal materials from other countries in the region which are obtained through partnerships, collaborative efforts and more recently through linking to other Legal Information Institutes established in these regions. All information is offered on a free and open basis subject to our terms of use and is continuously updated

**The Yale Law Journal**     <https://www.yalelawjournal.org/>

The Yale Law Journal is a student-run law review affiliated with the Yale Law School. Published continuously since 1891, it is the most widely known of the eight law reviews published by students at Yale Law School. The journal is one of the most cited legal publications in the nation and usually generates the highest number of citations per published article

**ULII - Uganda Legal Information Institute**

<https://ulii.org/>

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**United Nations - Official Document System of the United Nations (ODS)**

<https://ask.un.org/faq/112211>

ODS includes PDFs of all types of official United Nations documentation, beginning in 1993. Older UN documents are added to the system daily. ODS also provides access to the resolutions of the General Assembly, Security Council, Economic and Social Council and the Trusteeship Council from 1946 onwards.