



Quick Start Guide

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Welcome to the ASCE Library!

ASCE Library delivers the most respected and richest collection of civil engineering content. It is the premier information clearinghouse for both researchers and practitioners in the field of civil engineering.

The image shows a screenshot of the ASCE Library website interface. The top navigation bar includes links for JOURNALS, BOOKS, MAGAZINE, AUTHOR SERVICES, and USER SERVICES. A secondary navigation bar contains a search icon, a shopping cart icon, and a user profile icon. Below this, a central banner reads "Welcome to the New ASCE Library! New Content. New Features. New Experience." and features four main content categories: JOURNALS, BOOKS, PROCEEDINGS, and STANDARDS. At the bottom, there is a "User Services" section with a list of tools and icons for Librarians, Practitioners & Researchers, Bookellers & Agents, and Faculty. Four numbered callouts (1-4) point to specific elements: 1 points to the user profile icon, 2 points to the search icon, 3 points to the "Saved Search" link in the Tools list, and 4 points to the "Content Alerts" link in the Tools list.

1 Register

2 Search

3 Saved Search

4 Get Content Alerts

Tools

- My Profile
- Content Alerts
- Saved Searches
- RSS Feeds

Services

- Librarians
- Practitioners & Researchers
- Bookellers & Agents
- Faculty

1 Register

As a registered user, you can get benefits such as free papers, content alerts, and saved search alerts, and take advantage of the tools offered by ASCE Library to streamline your research. Click on the “Log in / Register” link and “Register” on the pop-up.

The screenshot shows the ASCE Library website header with the logo and navigation links. A pop-up window titled "LOGIN TO YOUR ACCOUNT" is displayed in the center. The pop-up has two input fields: "USERNAME" and "PASSWORD". Below the "PASSWORD" field is a "Forgot password?" link. There is a "Keep me logged in" checkbox with a toggle switch. At the bottom of the pop-up are two buttons: "Login" and "Register". The "Register" button is highlighted with an orange box. In the top right corner of the website header, there is a "LOG IN / REGISTER" link, also highlighted with an orange box. An orange arrow points from this link to the "Register" button in the pop-up.

2 Search on Any Page

Click the “Search” link on any page while using ASCE Library. You may also click on the “Advanced Search” link to specify author, article type, publications, publication year, and/or where in the article the search term appears to get a more targeted result.

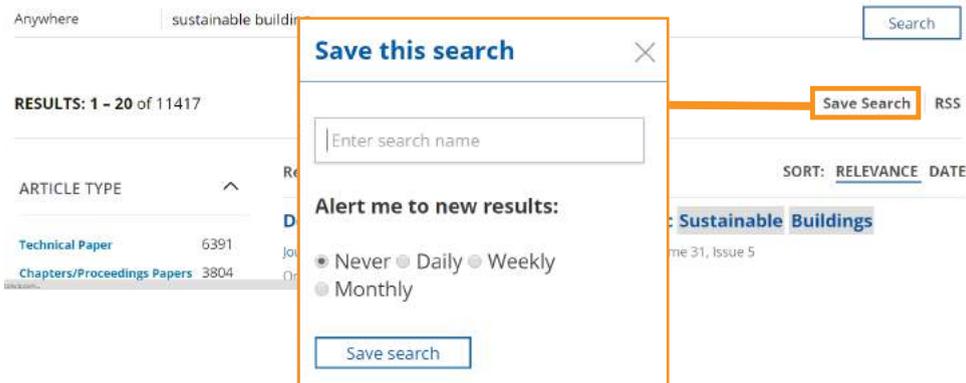
The screenshot shows the ASCE Library website header with the logo and navigation links. Below the header is a search bar. The search bar has a placeholder text "Anywhere" and a text input field with the placeholder text "Enter search term(s)". To the right of the input field is a "search" button. Further to the right is a link labeled "Advanced Search".

3 Saved Search

Save your search criteria and set up a monthly, weekly, or daily e-mail alert telling you when new material in your interest area is added to the Library. You can view your saved searches in “My Profile” by clicking on “Saved Searches” in the left-hand navigation bar.

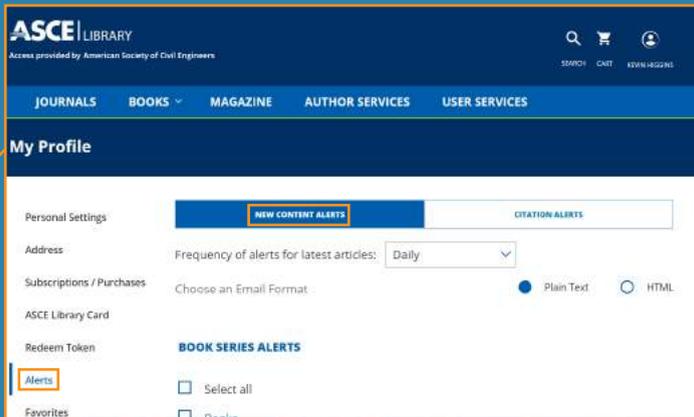


Search Tip #1: Use **SAVE SEARCH** to activate alerts for new content matching your search criteria.



4 Get Content Alerts and RSS Feeds

Get instant updates whenever new journal content and new books are available. In the “User Services” section, click on “Alerts” on the left-hand navigation bar to sign up for e-mail alerts for journals and books. Click on “RSS Feeds” to subscribe to feeds for journals.



RSS feeds are available for these ASCE journals

- ASCE-ASME Journal of Risk and Uncertainty in Engineering Systems, Part A: Civil Engineering
- International Journal of Geomechanics
- Journal of Aerospace Engineering
- Journal of Architectural Engineering
- Journal of Bridge Engineering
- Journal of Cold Regions Engineering
- Journal of Composites for Construction
- Journal of Computing in Civil Engineering
- Journal of Construction Engineering and Management
- Journal of Energy Engineering
- Journal of Engineering Mechanics
- Journal of Environmental Engineering
- Journal of Geotechnical and Geoenvironmental Engineering
- Journal of Hazardous, Toxic, and Radioactive Waste
- Journal of Highway and Transportation Research and Development (English Edition)
- Journal of Hydraulic Engineering
- Journal of Hydrologic Engineering
- Journal of Infrastructure Systems
- Journal of Irrigation and Drainage Engineering

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