



# Search by affiliation

- `aff:` raw affiliation string, searchable word-by-word (`aff:"UCLA"`)

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aff:"UCLA"



Your search returned **11,442** results

- `inst:` the canonical institution name listed in our [mapping of organizations to identifiers](#) (`inst:"UCLA"`), which returns all variations of UCLA.

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Your search returned **56,719** results

- Use the “Institutions” filter for a breakdown to department level. Or search directly for that department with our controlled institutional vocabulary.

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inst:"UCLA/IGPP"

Your search returned **10,133** results

>	AUTHORS	
>	COLLECTIONS	
>	REFEREED	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	INSTITUTIONS	
<input type="checkbox"/>	UCLA	9.9k
<input type="checkbox"/>	IGPP	9.9k
<input type="checkbox"/>	UCLA	584
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dep Atm Oc Sci	523
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dep Phy Ast	393
<input type="checkbox"/>	Dep Elec Eng	6
>	CalTech	1.3k
>	UCB	1.2k
>	GSFC	1.2k
>	U CO Boulder	911

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## How complete is the coverage?

For recent literature, most journal articles contain affiliations. For conference proceedings and older literature, there are fewer affiliations. In addition, the inst search returns only those affiliations that we have mapped to our controlled vocabulary. For best results, we suggest combining affiliations with author searches.

## Can I make an institutional bibliography this way?

Yes, with the reminder that author searches may be needed to ensure completeness. We suggest making use of the private library feature for creating and maintaining bibliographies.

## What controlled vocabulary are you using?

We created our own listing of frequently occurring institutions that support research in astronomy and physics, including universities, research centers and other research organizations. The list is available at

<https://github.com/adsabs/CanonicalAffiliations>

and also linked from our help pages. The list is updated regularly.

## Can I search by other identifiers such as ROR?

The inst field search supports identifiers other than those we have created, including ROR (<https://ror.org>) and GRID (<https://www.grid.ac>) and Wikidata (<https://www.wikidata.org>) for those institutions that we have been able to match.



Read more in our blog (updated version coming soon):

<https://ui.adsabs.harvard.edu/blog/affils-update>