



Small Business Resources at Springs Business Library

LibGuide <http://guides.library.sc.edu/smallbiz>

Guides to Small Business Literature

- Small Business Sourcebook
(Bus HD 2346 .U5 S66- Business Reference)(Available online as part of Small Business Resource Center)

Directories of Companies

- Bond's Franchise Guide
(Bus HF 5429.235 U5 S66 - Located at Business Reference)
- D & B Million Dollar Directory (Online edition also available at Electronic Resources Webpage)
(Bus HC 102 .D8 – Located in Business Ready Reference)
- South Carolina Business Directory
(Bus HF 5065 .S6 S65 - Located in Business Reference)

Handbooks

- Business Plans Handbooks (12 volumes)
(Bus HD 62.7 .B865 – Located in Business Reference) <http://www.referenceforbusiness.com> (Full text online edition)
- Small Business Profiles
(Bus HD 2346 .U5 S6377 – Located in Business Reference)
- Financial Studies of the Small Business
(Bus HG 4027.7 .F56 –Located in Business Reference)
- RMA Annual Statement Studies
(Bus HF 5681 .B2 R6 –Located in Business Reference)

Demographics (LibGuide <http://guides.library.sc.edu/marketstats>)

- American Factfinder - U.S. Census
<http://factfinder.census.gov>
- Best Customers: Demographics of Consumer Demand
(E-book in Gale Virtual Reference Library & Bus HC 79 .C6 R87- Located in Business Reference)
- Consumer USA
(Bus HC 101 .C744 – Located in Business Reference) (Continued by Consumer America)
- Demographics USA County & Zip Edition
(Bus HF 5415.3 .D46 & Bus HF 5415.3 .D463– Located in Business Reference)
- Household Spending: Who Spends How Much on What
(E-book in Gale Virtual Reference & Bus HC 110 .C6 A666 2005– Located in Business Reference)
- Life Style Market Analyst, 2007
(Bus HF 5415.33 .U6 L54 – Located in Business Reference)
- Mediamark Internet Reporter (Electronic Resources Webpage)
- Sourcebook of Zip Code Demographics
(Bus Ref HA 203 .S66 2009)
- Survey of Buying Power/Sales and Marketing Management Magazine
(Bus HF 5438 .A34 - Located in Business Reference)
- Who Buys What (HF 5415.12 .W56 – Located in Business Reference)
- World Consumer Spending-
(HC 79 C6 W67 - Located in Business Reference)

Encyclopedias

- Encyclopedia of Small Business (Bus HD 62.7 .H553 – Located in Business Reference)
<http://www.referenceforbusiness.com> (Full text online edition)

Starting a Business in South Carolina

- How to Incorporate and Start a Business in South Carolina
(Bus KFS 2013 .Z9 D53 – Located in Business Reference)
- How to Start a Business in South Carolina
(Bus HD 62.5 .H68554 2007 – Located in Business Reference)
- How to Start a Business in South Carolina
(Bus KFS 2305 .Z9 C84 – Located in Business Reference)
- Small Business Advisor-Starting and Operating a Business in South Carolina
(Bus Ref HD 62.7 .J4 1995)
- South Carolina Investment and Business Guide
(Bus HD74 .S68 2000 – Located in Business Reference)

Electronic Databases (Use library webpage) <http://www.sc.edu/library/er/> (All databases are accessible both on and off campus)

- Business and Company Resource Center
- Business Source Premier
- Dun and Bradstreet Million Dollar Database
- Gale Virtual Reference Library
- General Business File (Infotrac)
- Hoovers Online
- IBISWorld
- Kompass
- Lexis-Nexis Academic
- Mediamark Internet Reporter
- Mergent Online
- Mintel Reports
- Passport GMID (Global Market Information Database)
- Proquest Direct Wall Street Journal (Accessible only from within Business School)
- Small Business Resource Center
- Sports Business Research Network
- Standard and Poor's NetAdvantage
- Thomson One

Web Resources

- BizPlans <http://www.bplans.com>
- Business Plans Index
www.carnegielibrary.org/subject/business/bplansindex.html
- Business.com http://www.business.com/directory/small_business/
- MootCorp Competition <http://www.businessplans.org/mootcorp.html>
- Nolo.com (Law for all) Small Business Legal Encyclopedia <http://www.nolo.com/>
- Small Business Administration Web Site <http://www.sba.gov/>
- Small Business Knowledge Base <http://www.bizmove.com/>
- Small Business.com http://www.smallbusiness.com/wiki/Main_Page
- Best of the Best Business Websites for Small Business
<http://www.ala.org/ala/mgrps/divs/rusa/sections/brass/brassprotocols/bestofthebestbus/bestbusinesswebsitesmall.cfm>