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**Title**: Endoscopic ear surgery: principles, indications, and techniques / [edited by] Livio Presutti, Daniele Marchioni.

**Imprint**: Stuttgart : Thieme, 2015.

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and not rather...
to find information for your research?

Databases contain references to journal articles which are

– scholarly
– peer reviewed / refereed / edited

And they allow for a much more sophisticated and refined search.
IT’S LIKE FISHING...

- Step 1: searching
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STEP 1: SEARCHING

• Search for information on a topic using scholarly databases.

• Which databases? Determined by your topic.

  – EBSCO (Academic Search, Africa-Wide Information, Cinahl, HealthSource, MedLINE, PsycINFO, SPORTDiscus etc.)

  – ScienceDirect, Web of Science, etc.
**STEP 1: SEARCHING - TIPS**

- **and and or:**
  - nasal obstruction **and** sport
  - sport **or** exercise
  - nasal obstruction **and** (sport **or** exercise)
STEP 1: SEARCHING - TIPS

• truncation *, e.g.
  – diet* (diet, diets, dietary, etc.)
  – child* (child, children, childhood, etc.)

• phrase: one concept, more than one word, e.g.
  – “south africa”
  – “nasal cavity”
GOOD SEARCH

“nasal obstruction*” and (sport or exercis* or rowing)
STEP 1: SEARCHING - TIPS

• Field searching
  – e.g. search only for words in the title

• Limiters / filtering
  – publication date
  – material type
  – language, etc.
STEP 1: SEARCHING

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- UFS ID, UFS password
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STEP 1: SEARCHING

• Search results
  – mark relevant results
  – output

• Demo
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- Immediate **access** from the results of step 1, your information search:
  - full text available immediately in .pdf or .html
  - link through from search results: link resolver:
    - Full Text Finder
STEP 2: FINDING

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• Social networking! Researchgate, Academia.edu, LinkedIn, etc via Google
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