



# Research on Movies and Movie Reviews

## Web Resources

- **IMDB Internet Movie Database** [www.imdb.com](http://www.imdb.com)

This searchable database allows you to select a recent movie title and read plot summaries and comments.

- **Box Office** [www.boxoffice.com](http://www.boxoffice.com)

This site has reviews of current films and movie classics.

- **Metacritic** [www.Metacritic.com](http://www.Metacritic.com)

Metacritic® compiles reviews from respected publications and critics for films, video/dvd, books, music, television and games.

- **American Film Institute** <http://www.afi.com/>

AFI is a national institute providing leadership in [screen education](#) and the recognition and celebration of excellence in the art of film, television and digital media.

## Books

### Reference Books (2nd Floor Kendall Campus Library)

- **Variety Film Reviews** Call Number: REF PN 1993 V36

This set of books contains film reviews from 1907 – present.

- **Magill's Survey of Cinema** Call Number: REF PN 1993 45 M3

Magill's is a "comprehensive survey of more than 1500 important films".

### Circulating Books (2<sup>nd</sup> floor Kendall Campus Library)

- **The art of watching films** Call Number: PN 1995 B525
- **Handbook of American film genres** Call Number PN1993.5 U6 H335
- **Movies: the world of film** Call Number PN 1994.5 H5 1991

## Articles

The database *Academic Search Premier* can be used to find movie reviews and information by movie title. Access is through the Kendall Campus Library web page: <http://www.mdc.edu/kendall/library>. Click Find Articles and select EBSCO Databases.