International References for Researchers in Distance Learning and University Dropouts

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Research scope is no longer limited to one country or one area in the world. With the recent advances in Technology and International Communication, Information Technology crossed the borders and spread fast all over the world to make it look like one place. Researchers can reach any place, library, and research journals very easily with the help of the Internet.

I hope that the following lists will help researchers who are looking for references in two important areas that concern higher education at many universities today.

The following are some sites about
 Distance Learning *on the Internet for interested Researchers:*

1.   Interactive **Distance Learning** - information on **distance learning** opportunities and resources at the university.
     http://www.fsu.edu/~distance

2.   International Centre for **Distance Learning**
     http://www-icdl.open.ac.uk/
     More sites about: United Kingdom > The Open University > Departments and Courses

3.   **United States Distance** Learning Association - a non-profit association with over 2000 members formed to promote the development and application of **distance learning** for education and training.
     http://www.usdla.org/
     More sites about: Education > **Distance Learning**

4.   **Distance Learning** Resource Network - dissemination project for the U.S. Department of Education Star Schools Program.
     http://www.dlrn.org/
     More sites about: K-12 **Distance Learning** Consortia > NAU Star

Schools Project

5.   International **Distance Learning** Course Finder - allows students to search by subject, language, delivery media, and other criteria.
    http://www.dlcoursefinder.com/
    More sites about: **Distance Learning** > Web Directories

6.   Online Journal of **Distance Learning** Administration - peer-reviewed quarterly publication.
    http://www.westga.edu/~distance/jmain11.html
    More sites about: Education > **Distance Learning**

7.   California **Distance Learning** Project - working to increase access to adult basic learning services by improving **distance learning** infrastructure.
    http://www.cdlponline.org/
    More sites about: California > Education

8.   Center for **Distance Learning** Research - education, research, and project facility for distance learning applications.
    http://www.cdlr.tamu.edu
    More sites about: Texas > College Station > Texas A&M University > College of Education

9.   **Distance** Learning Technology - cable television, public television, satellite, microwave, videotape, and CD-ROM to deliver courses to students at remote viewing locations.
    http://www-distlearn.pp.asu.edu/
    More sites about: Arizona > Tempe > Arizona State University (ASU) > Departments and Programs

10. Ed-X **Distance Learning** Channel - global resource for news, course descriptions, degree programs, and continuing education on the web.
    http://www.ed-x.com
    More sites about: **Distance Learning** > Web Directories

11. **<u>Distance Learning</u>** - offers web, internet, and interactive video network based programs.
      http://www.lifelearn.depaul.edu/dl/distance_learning.asp
      More sites about: Illinois > Chicago > DePaul University > Departments and Programs

12. **<u>Distance Learning</u>**
      http://www.ddl.cmich.edu/
      More sites about: <u>Michigan > Mount Pleasant > Central Michigan University > Departments and Programs</u>

13. **<u>Distance Learning</u>** - delivering courses through a variety of media.
      http://www.distance.pcc.edu/
      More sites about: <u>Oregon > Portland > Portland Community College > Departments and Programs</u>

14. <u>Socrates</u> **<u>Distance Learning</u>** - offers courses for potential online teachers who want to enhance their professional development through web based training in the education field.
      http://socrates.aionline.edu/
      More sites about: **<u>Distance Learning</u>** > Teacher Education

15. **<u>Distance Learning</u>** <u>Exchange</u> - directory of distance learning activities posted by schools, universities, and businesses.
      http://dle.state.pa.us/
      More sites about: **<u>Distance Learning</u>** > Web Directories

16. **<u>Distance Learning</u>**
      http://www.sinclair.edu/distance/
      More sites about: <u>Ohio > Dayton > Sinclair Community College > Departments and Programs</u>

17. <u>AIT - Travel and Tourism</u> **<u>Distance Learning</u>** <u>Program</u> - industry-driven career performance program designed to take the student from basic

terminology to a proficiency level that will allow the student to be a productive travel professional.
http://www.travelhomestudy.com/
More sites about: Travel > Vocational Schools > **Distance Learning**

18.   Graduate **Distance Learning** Program
       http://www.sarasota-online.com/university/graduate.html
       More sites about: Florida > Sarasota > University of Sarasota > Departments and Programs

19.   **Distance Learning** - offers an online MBA program.
       http://www.uww.edu/business/onlinemba
       More sites about: Wisconsin > Whitewater > University of Wisconsin - Whitewater > College of Business and Economics

20.   Colleges Universities **Distance Learning** Education Online - provides information on programs for undergraduate, graduate, and MBA programs in community colleges and universities.
       http://www.college-university-**distance**-**learning**-education-online.com/
       More sites about: Education > Counseling Products and Services

21.   Highflyers **Distance Learning** - access to higher level vocational qualifications for people who work in the office administration, business support, and customer care sectors.
       http://www.highflyers-dl.co.uk/
       More sites about: United Kingdom > B2B > Career-Specific Training and Development

22.   Computer Science **Distance Learning** - variety of online courses in Computer Science and Information Systems offered by Dr. Hal Campbell, CSUH.
       http://www.humboldt.edu/~hgc1
       More sites about: California > Arcata > Humboldt State University > Courses

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27.   *Trindade, A.R. (1998). Quality in distance education systems. A paper presented to the conference of presidents of open universities held in Thailand in November 1998.*

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The following are some Internet sites dealing with <u>University and College Dropouts</u> for interested Researchers:

1. <u>THE DETERMINANTS OF **UNIVERSITY DROPOUTS**</u>:
   ... The Determinants of University Dropouts : A Bivariate Probability Model with Sample
   Selection Claude Montmarquette* 1 Sophie Mahseredjian 2 Rachel Houle 3 July ...
   http://www.crde.umontreal.ca/online/cm-07-00.pdf
   More Results From: <u>www.crde.umontreal.ca</u>

2. <u>The Determinants of **University Dropouts** : A Sequential ...</u>
   ... Sophie Mahseredjian et Rachel Houle Titre/Title : The Determinants of **University Dropouts** : A Sequential Decision Model with Selectivity Bias Langue/Language ...
   http://www.cirano.qc.ca/publication/cahier/resume/96s-04.html
   More Results From: <u>www.cirano.qc.ca</u>

3. <u>Guardian Unlimited | The Guardian | News: MPs encourage ...</u>
   ... MPs seek to reduce **university dropouts** MP's desperate to reduce the number of students dropping out of **university** in their first year Rebecca Smithers ...
   http://www.guardian.co.uk/uk_news/story/0,3604,452016,00.html
   More Results From: <u>www.guardian.co.uk</u>

4. <u>The Determinants of **University Dropouts** : A Sequential ...</u>
   ... This item is available for download, see at bottom. The Determinants of **University Dropouts** : A Sequential Decision Model with Selectivity Bias. ...
   http://ideas.uqam.ca/ideas/data/Papers/wopcirano96s04.html
   More Results From:<u> ideas.uqam.ca</u>

5. **DROPOUTS DROPOUTS DROPOUTS DROPOUTS**
   Page 1. CIVIL RIGHTS ALERT THE CIVIL RIGHTS PROJECT HARVARD **UNIVERSITY DROPOUTS DROPOUTS DROPOUTS DROPOUTS** Keeping Students in School Keeping Students in School ...
   http://www.law.harvard.edu/civilrights/alerts/dropouts.pdf

6. WORLD WATCH: Education snippets...
   University dropouts are costing the South African taxpayer a staggering R1.3-billion a year - an amount that can finance the building of 85 000 new low-cost ...
   http://www.uct.ac.za/general/monpaper/2001no14/wwatch.htm

7. Panel Discussions
   ... to do with developing long term relationships. If one reads Vincent Tinto's - issue of **University dropouts** you begin to realize that too often programs can be ...
   http://www.iplp.org/springboard2001-REG-11.html

8. Massive rise in **university** tuition fees proposed for England ...
   ... because of fears of incurring large debts. The increase in the number of **university dropouts** has largely been attributed to older students, unable to cope with ...
   http://www.wsws.org/articles/2000/mar2000/univ-m21_prn.shtml
   More Results From: www.wsws.org

9. Alumni - Directions Newsletter - Summer 2000
   ... empire like Microsoft or Dell Computer. They point to university dropouts Bill Gates and Michael Dell as proof that you don't need a degree to be successful. ...
   http://www.devry.edu/alumni_directions_s00_4.html

10. CSFI References
    ... C. & Others (1977). A dropout is a dropout is a dropout...A comparison of four different types of **university dropouts**. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No ...
    http://www.csfi-wadsworth.com/ad_ref.htm

11. <u>Session</u>

... In connection with this, the aim of this research work is to study the profile of **university dropouts**. Our analysis on the different aspects of the dropout ...

http://www.statistik.admin.ch/about/international/ortiz_final_paper.doc

12. European **University** Institute Library. Monograph Acquisitions - ...

. .. Becker Sascha O. **University dropouts**, returns to education, job displacement, andinternational risk sharing. Florence European University Institute 2001. LIB ...

http://www.iue.it/LIB/new/new-mon-nov.html

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