HISTORISCHES WÖRTERBUCH DER RHETORIK ONLINE
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The *Historisches Wörterbuch der Rhetorik* [Historical Dictionary of Rhetoric] is the only comprehensive academic reference work in the field of Rhetoric – for specialists as well as practitioners

- Theories and conceptual instrumentarium of Rhetoric from Classical Antiquity to the present,
- Terms that evolved from the combination of rhetoric with other disciplines, including linguistics, literary studies and history
- Definition and precise description of each term, its historical and theoretical development as well as its usage in rhetorical practice
- Translation of the lemma/headword in several other languages
Content

Benefits of the database compared to print:

- More than 1,300 articles electronically searchable and thematically linked with each other
- Person search more comprehensive than the print index
- Corrigenda are directly incorporated into the articles
- Newly compiled index data used in keyword search
- Reviewed link-sections
- Digital object identifiers (DOI) for each article ensure citability
- Updates in 2014: Multilingual lemma search, reviewed lemma translations
The Search

Simple Search

The **simple search** scans the full text.

Example: Search for „Standrede“
The Search

List of results

5 Results

Select the number of results per page

Results sorted by Lemma or Relevance

Clicking on the title opens the document display
The Search

Document display

Navigate between all search results

Change to „Reading View“

Bibliographical information

DOI

A grey background marks words/phrases from the search

The relevant passages unfold automatically
The Search

Document display

Classification in one of 39 categories

Translations

The paragraphs unfold by clicking

Articles usually contain: Definition, History, Link Section, Literature and Subject Terms (person and keywords)
The Search

Document sections

- Links to related articles
- Detailed bibliographic information
- Subject terms highlighting connected persons and terms
The Search

Searches using the browse function
In the browse menu, all articles are listed in alphabetical order.

- Jump to any article
- Choose an article by clicking on the title
The Search

Advanced Search

Click here to open the advanced search options

Add more options
The Search

Dropdown options and find-as-you-type function:

- Matching keywords appear already while typing.
- You can search for any word/phrase using every search criteria except category.
The Search

Search options:

By picking the option „category“ you can select one of 39 categories.

If you select the option „Person“ the standardized forms of the name appear while typing.
The Search

Advanced Search: combination of two search criteria

Possible combinations:

Delete search criteria by clicking on them
Additonal Database-Features

Figures

Clicking on the figure opens an enlarged view

Source of the figure
Additonal Database-Features

Helpful documents
You can find a number of further PDF documents below the browse menu.
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