



EBSCO's Powerful Item-Level Linking Solution

LinkSource® enhances the user experience by directing users to the appropriate full text for items discovered when using *EBSCO Discovery Service™*.

LinkSource is a vendor-neutral, OpenURL link resolver that puts you in control of item-level linking between your online services, including e-journal sites, full-text and secondary research databases, OPACs, websites, search engines, document delivery, and interlibrary loan forms. With LinkSource, you can connect your end users from the citations in one service to the full text in another, maximizing the use of your full-text collections.

Key Benefits:

- Connect users to full-text content quickly and efficiently
- Maximize the use of your collection and improve return on library investment
- Save money by reducing interlibrary loan and document delivery charges
- Increase library resource exposure through inclusion in Google Scholar

Maximize the use of your full-text collections

The screenshot shows the Springfield University Library website interface. At the top, there is a navigation bar with '> Home' and 'Site Map | Contact Us'. The library logo and name 'Springfield University Library' are prominently displayed. Below the header, the citation information is shown: 'Title: Global Warming and Recent Heatwave Patterns in Western Europe', 'Source: Smith, Kelly. *Journal of the New Environment*, Vol. 22 Issue 4 ISSN: 0004-9124', and a 'Revise Request' button. A section titled 'Resources Located for this Citation' contains several options: 'Get full text at no charge:' with links to EBSCOhost SmartLinks, STARS Consortium Collection, and First Publishing; 'Table of contents:' with a link to view the table of contents; 'Check local libraries:' with a link to the Smith Science Library collection; 'Citation Managers:' with links to RefWorks and EndNote; and 'Search for more information via the Web:' with links to Google Scholar for both author and title. A footer contains links for reserving a computer, study room, ESL resources, and site map. Three callout boxes on the left provide annotations: 'Display coverage information' points to the citation source; 'Designate the ranking of links based on the needs of your researchers — prioritize which links show first' points to the 'Get full text at no charge:' section; and 'Customize link menu elements with notes and icons' points to the 'EndNote' link.