All about Mendeley….

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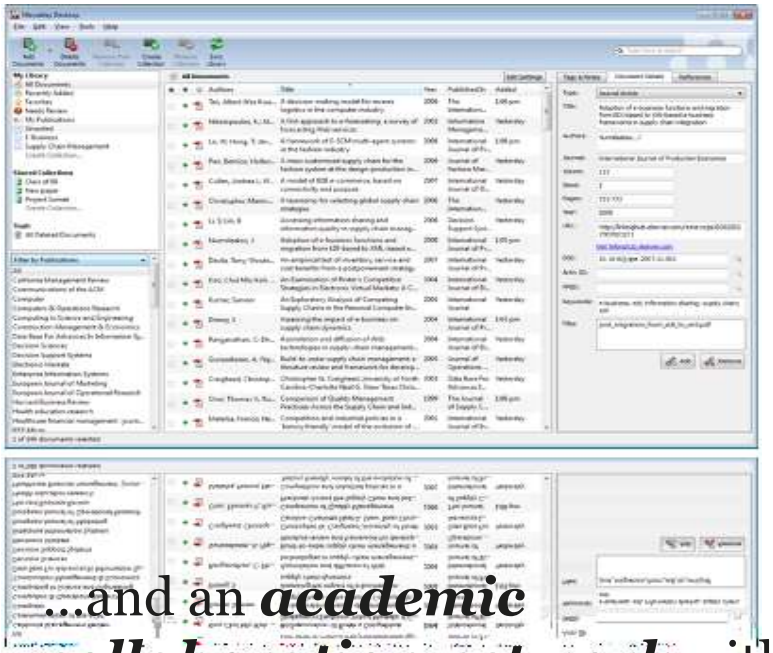
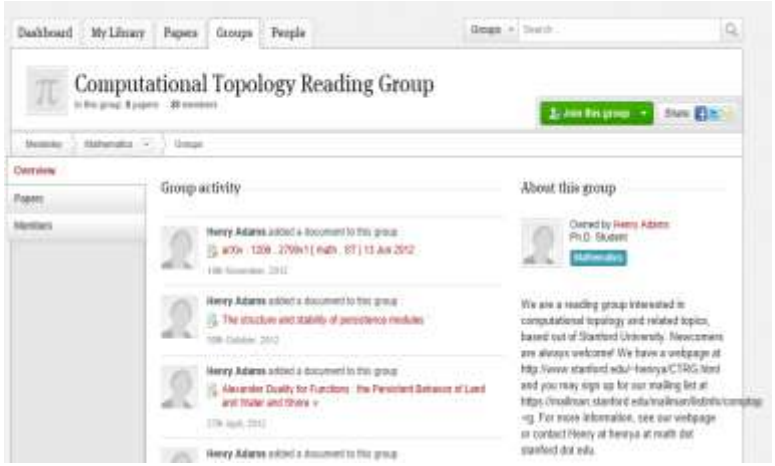
mendeley.com

What is Mendeley?



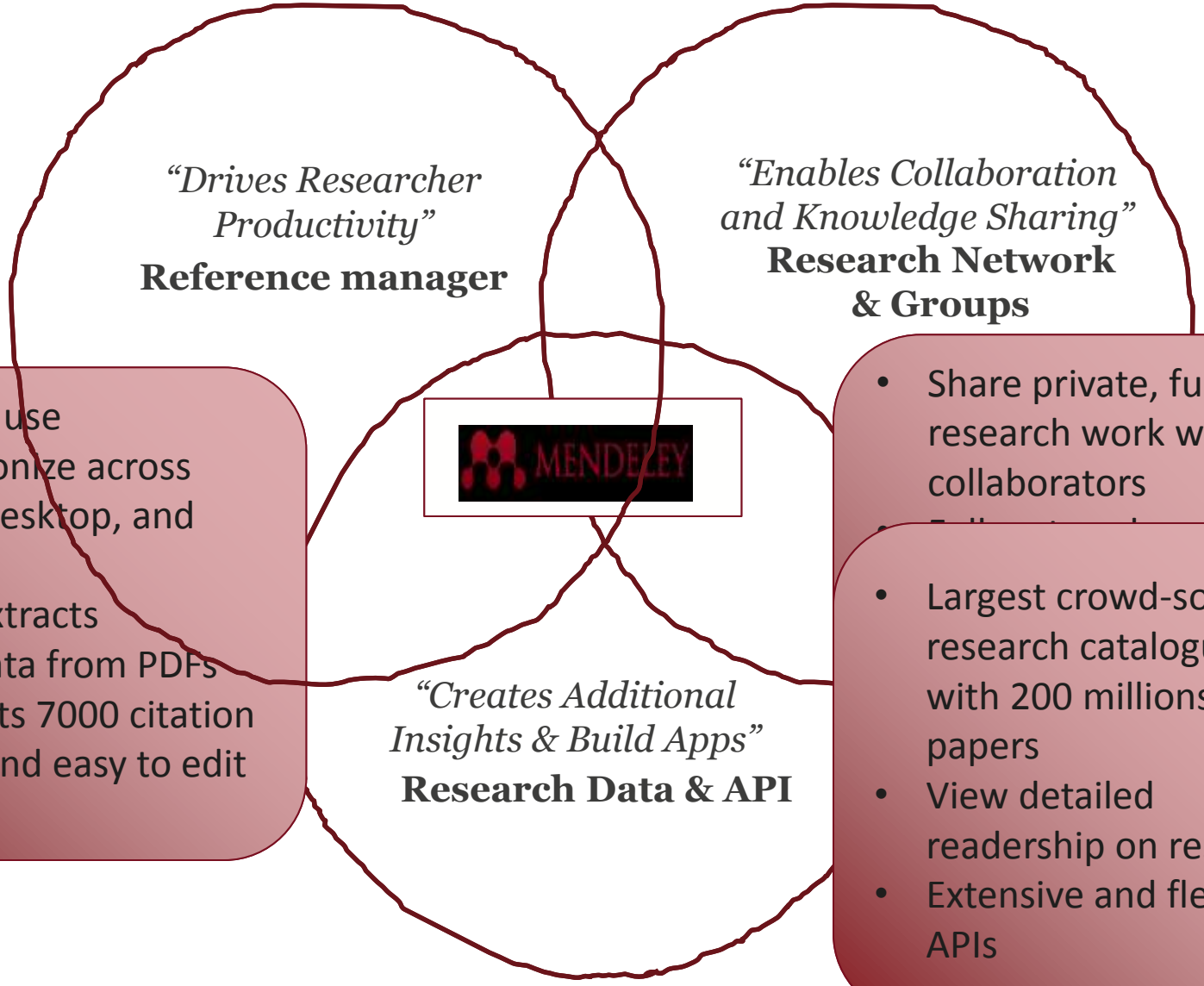
Mendeley is a ***reference manager*** allowing you to manage, read, share, annotate and cite your research papers…



…and an ***academic collaboration network*** with 4 Million users to connect like-minded researchers & discover research trends and statistics.

… forming a ***crowdsourced database*** with a unique layer of ***social research information and an Open API***

Mendeley's Three Key Values



- Easy to use
- Synchronize across Web; Desktop, and Mobile
- Auto extracts metadata from PDFs
- Supports 7000 citation styles and easy to edit more

- Share private, full-text, research work with co-collaborators

- Largest crowd-sourced research catalogue with 200 millions of papers
- View detailed readership on research
- Extensive and flexible APIs

How do you access?

- Free Academic Software
- Cross-Platform (Win/Mac/Linux)
- All Major Browsers

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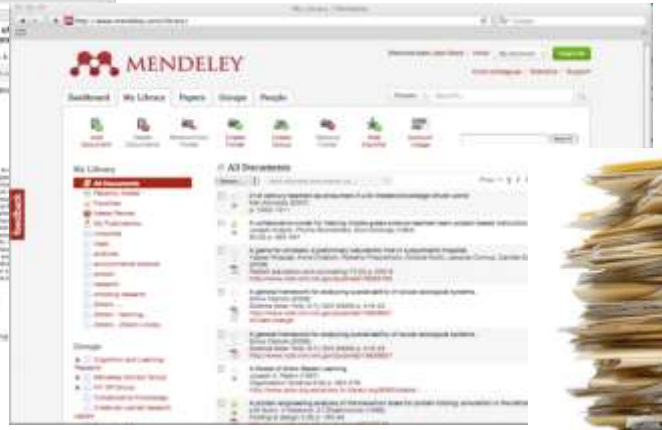
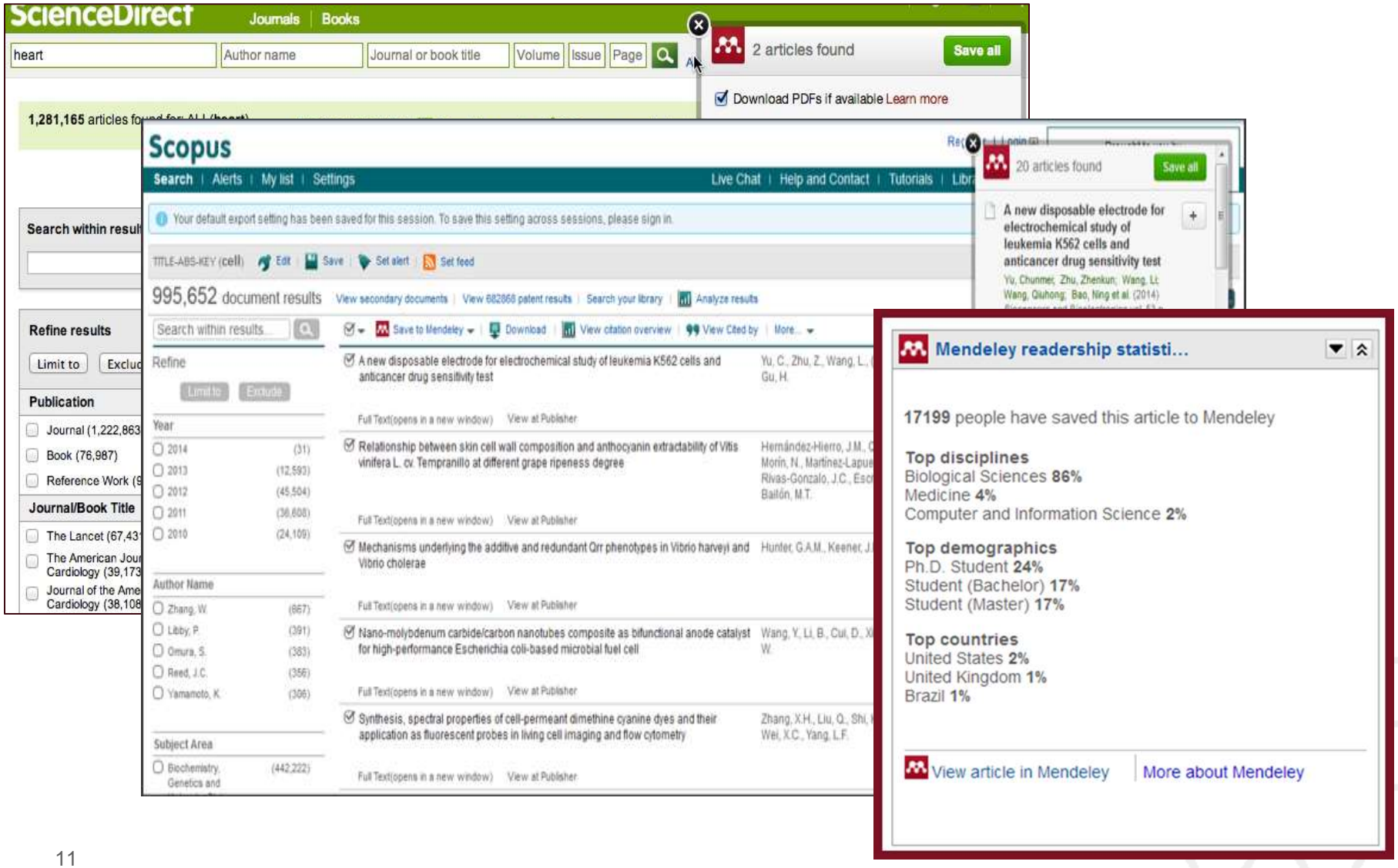


Web

Mobile

Easy Integration with ScienceDirect and Scopus



Mendeley Demonstration Agenda

1. Sign up and Download Mendeley Desktop
2. Build your Library
3. Organize and Manage Your Library
4. Create your Profile
5. Network and Form Groups
6. Read and Annotate
7. Create Citations and Bibliography
8. Showcase your research
9. Discover New Research and Determine Impact
10. Stay Current

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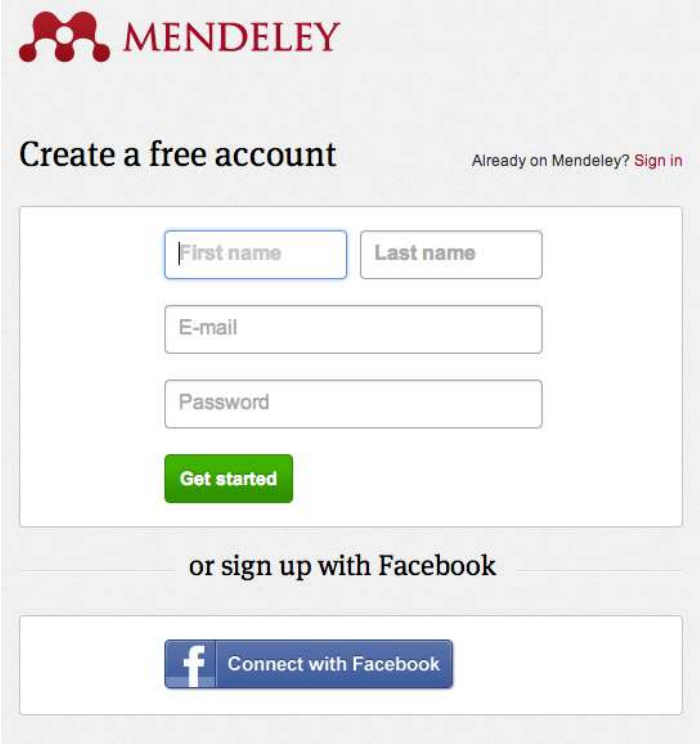
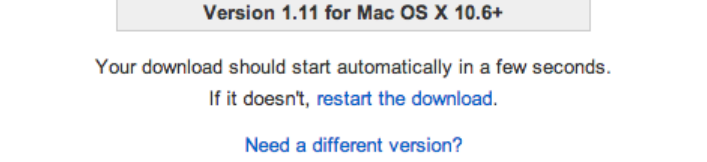
Reference Manager

Sign up and Download Mendeley Desktop

Step 1:
Sign up for **Mendeley** online
www.mendeley.com



Step 2:
Download **Mendeley Desktop**



Install Web importer tool & Word plugin

Step 3:
Install Web importer Tool
https://www.mendeley.com/import/

Step 4:
Install MS Word Plugin
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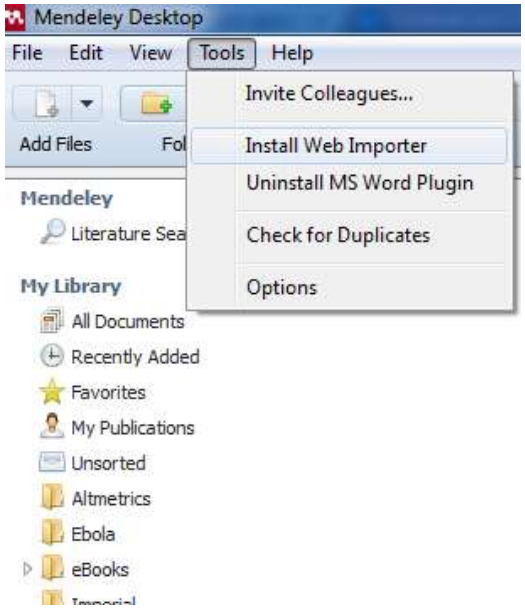
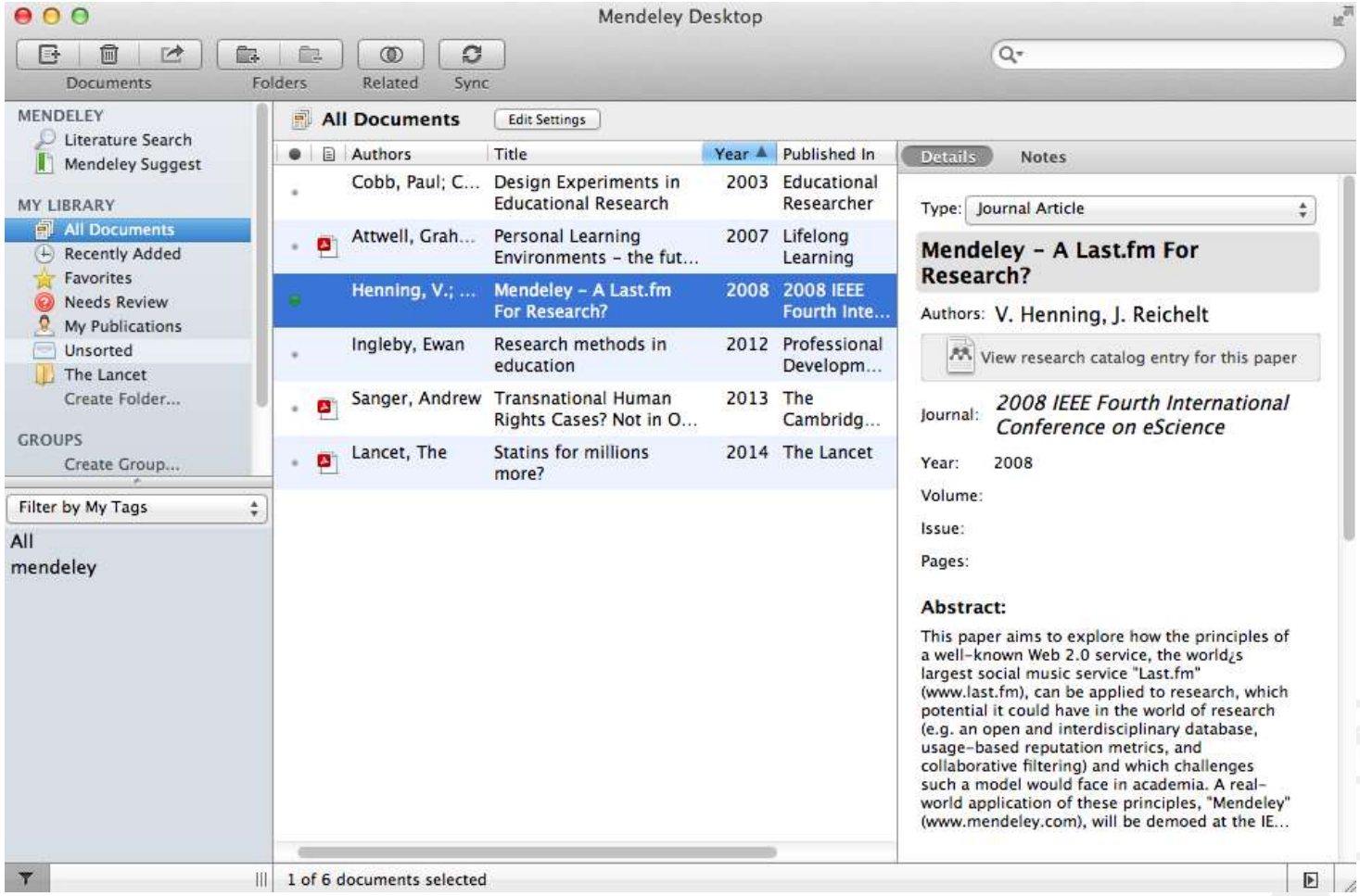
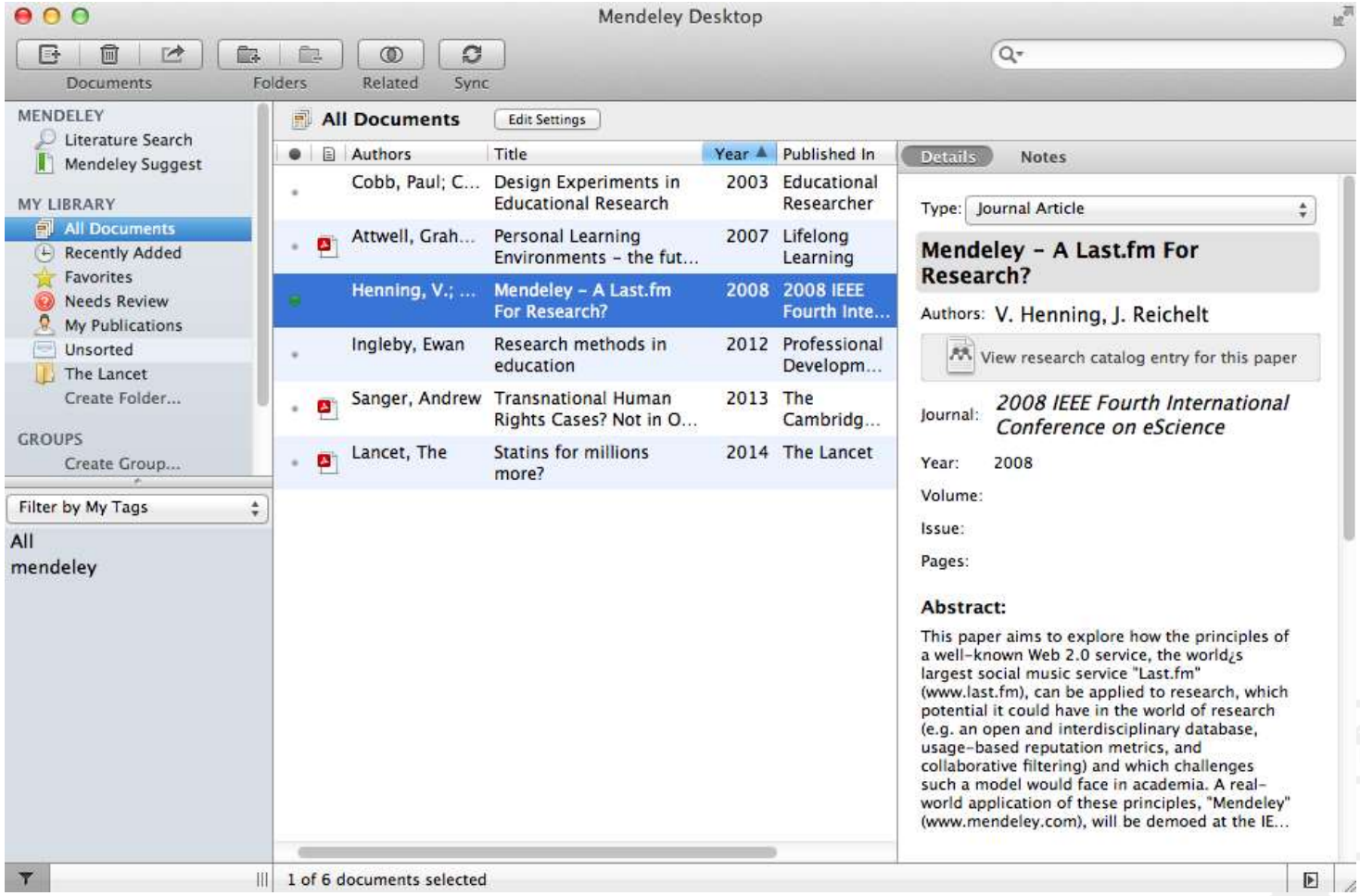


Step 5:
Build Your Library

Mendeley Desktop overview



Your library structure



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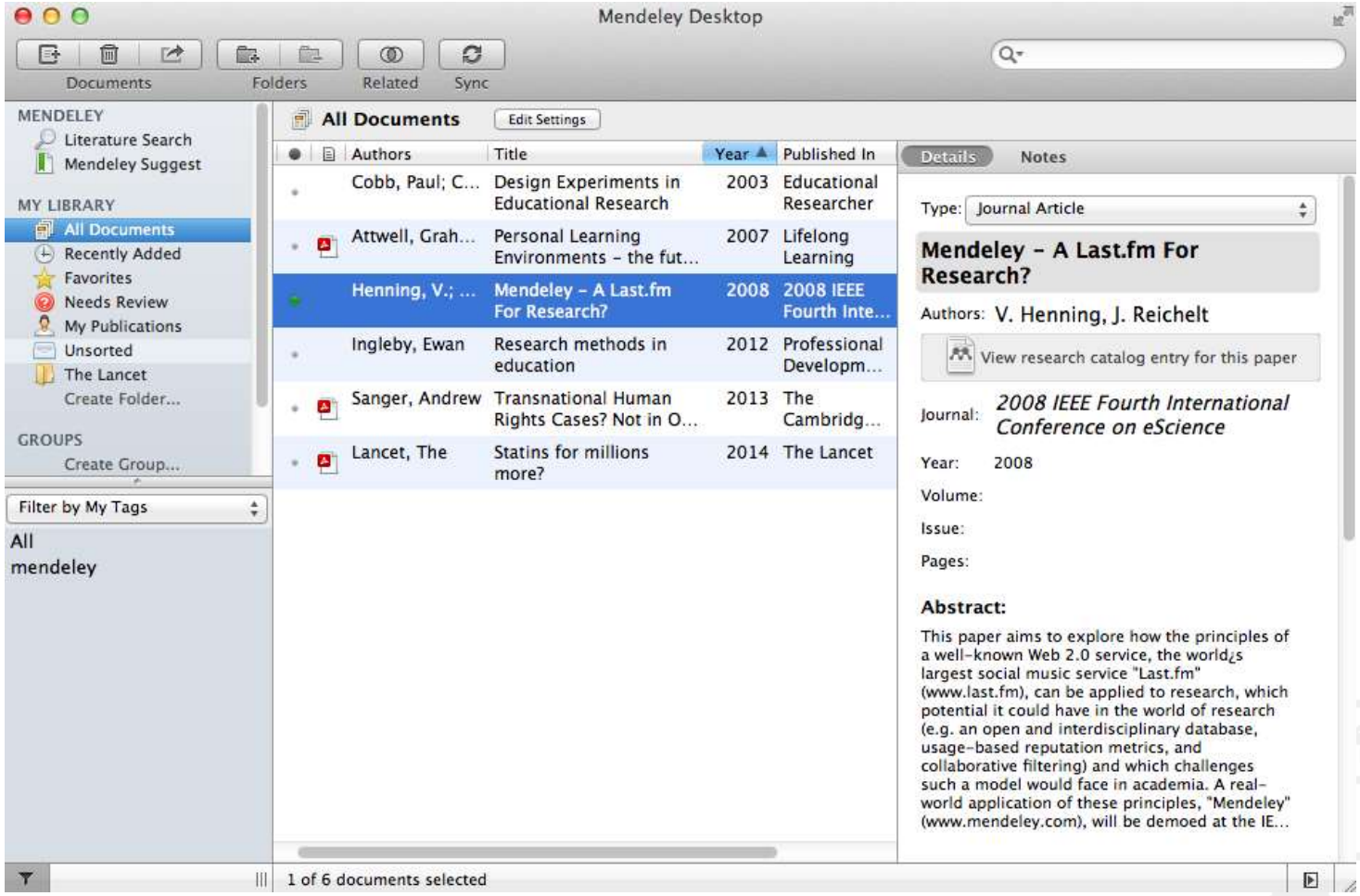

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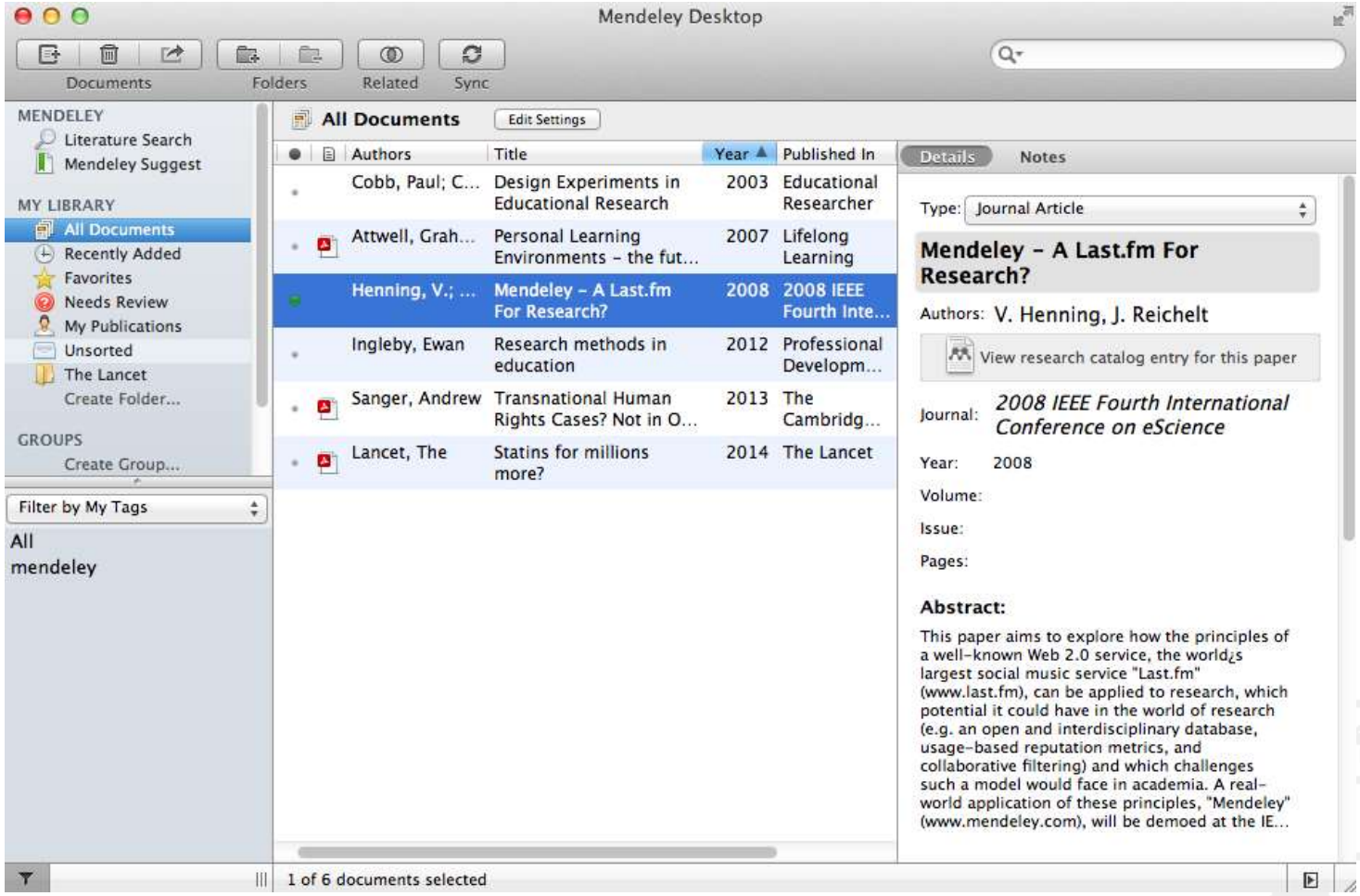

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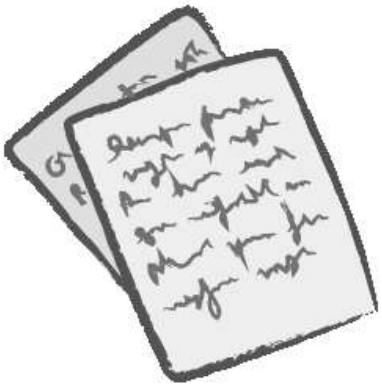
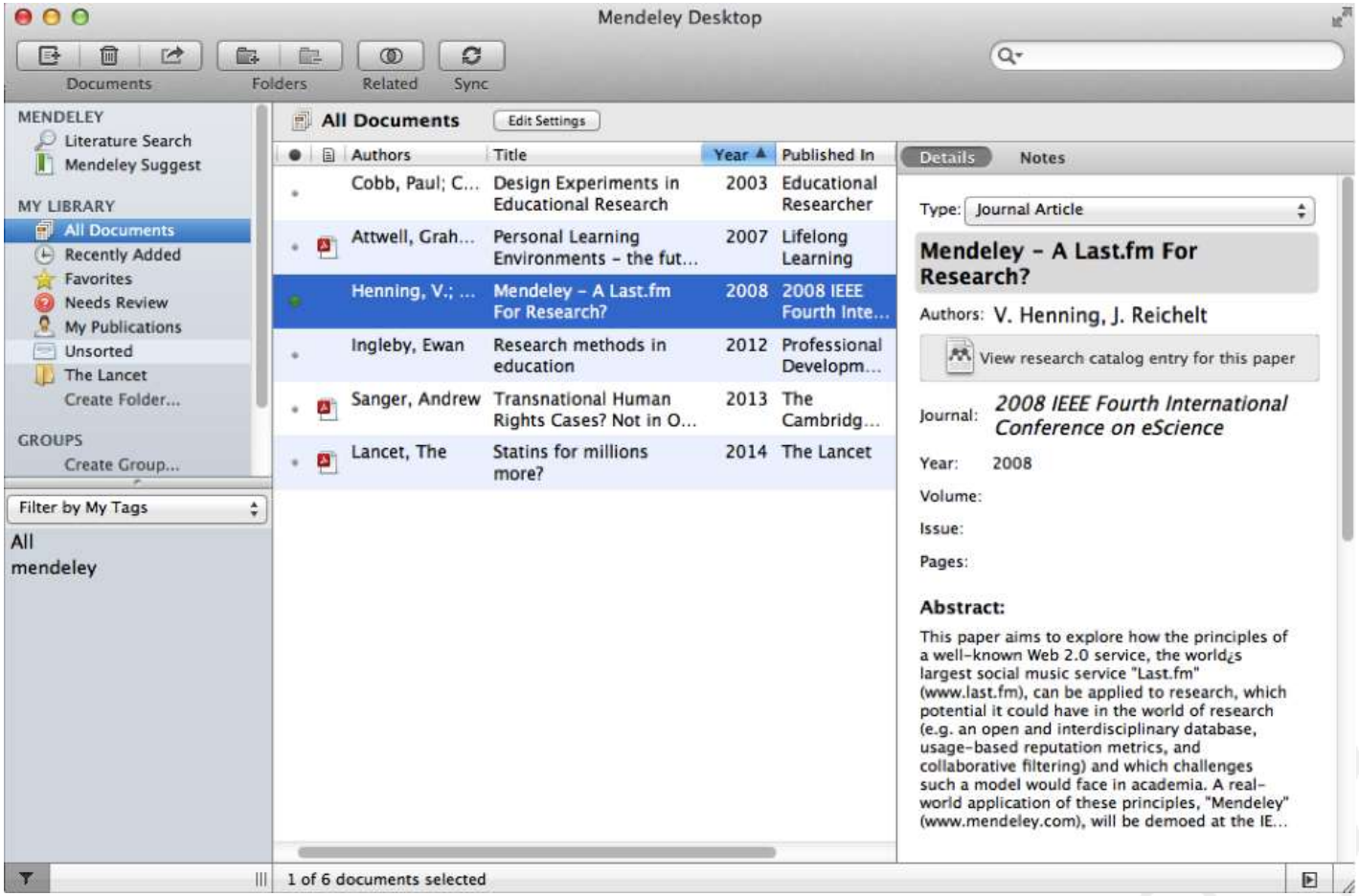




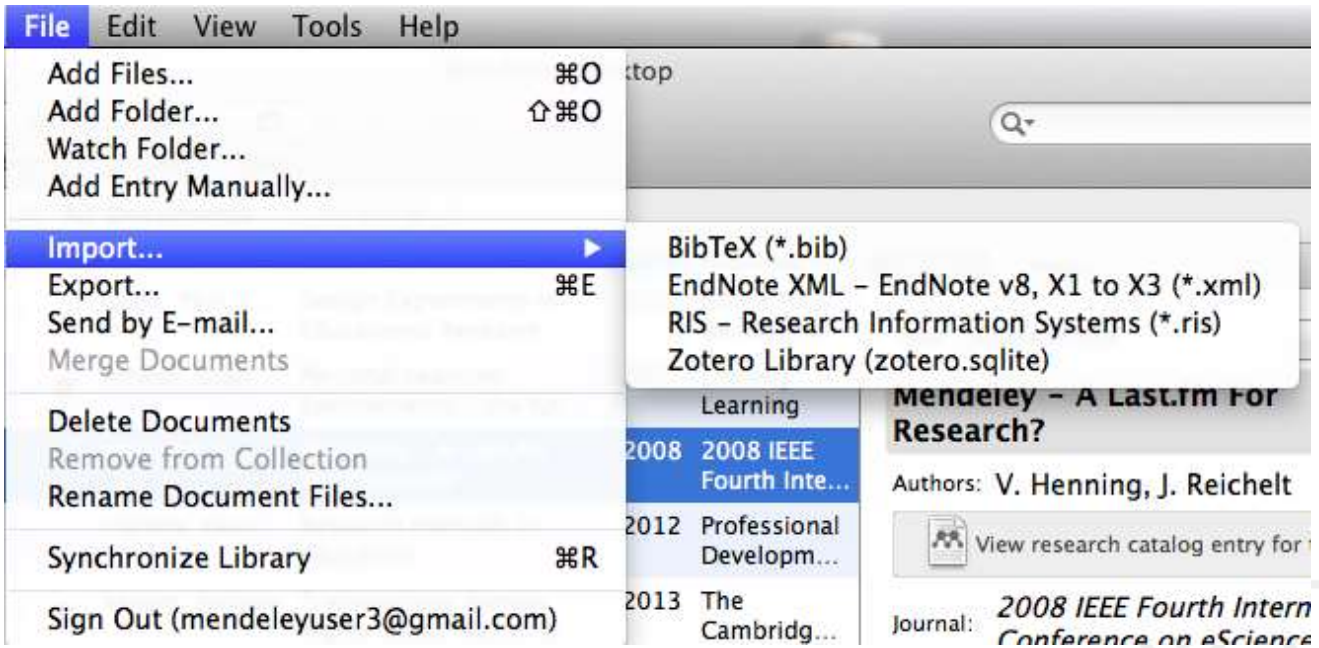
Adding Documents

Import your references from BibTex, Endnote, RIS or Zotero

Select a file or folder to add from your computer

Watch a folder

Add references manually



You can also:

- Use the Web Importer to add from online databases
- Find new articles in the Mendeley Research Catalog

Importing Documents

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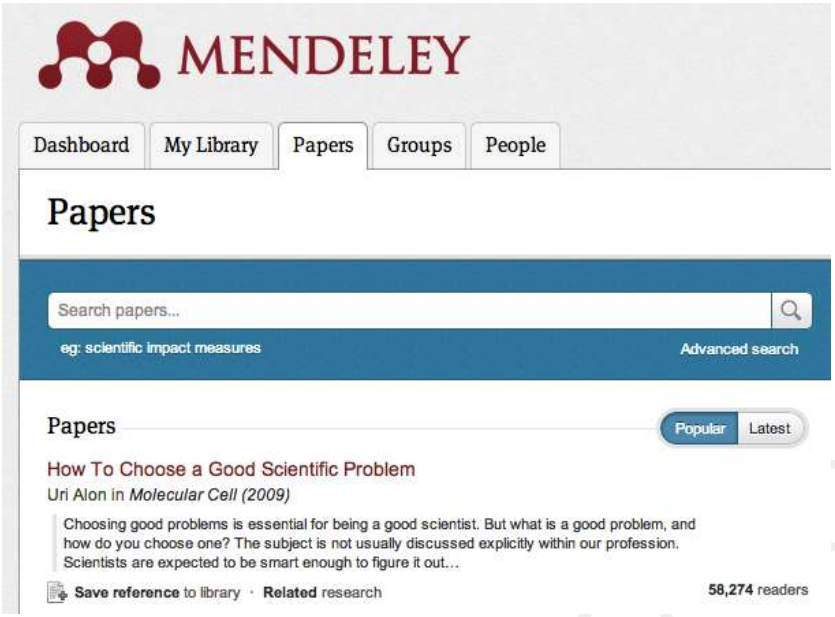
Adding New Research

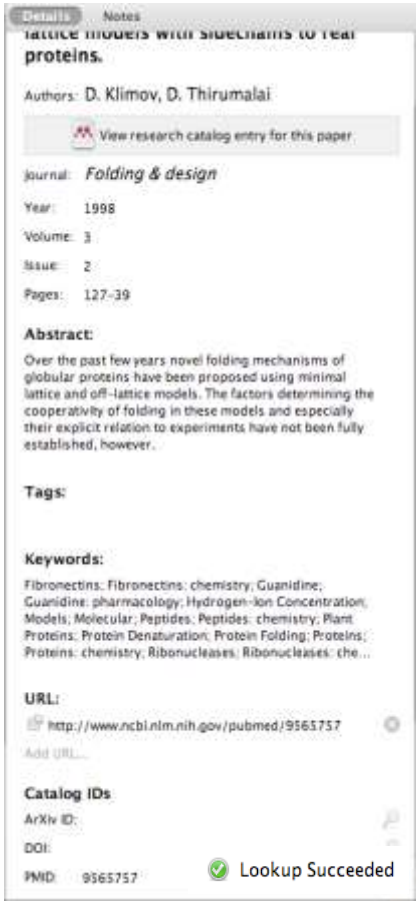
Mendeley Web Importer

Mendeley Research Catalog

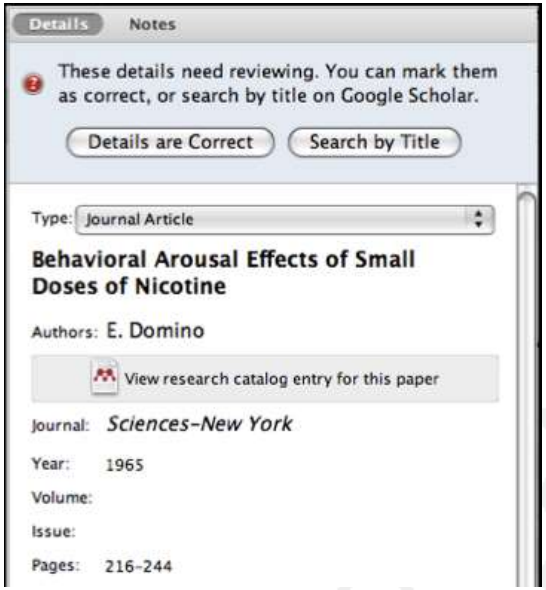


Document Details Lookup

Enter the DOI, PubMed, or ArXiv ID and click on the magnifying glass to start lookup



Look up documents by title on Google Scholar if they are flagged for review



Mendeley adds missing info automatically

Web Importer

Save research while browsing online

How it works

1. Drag the "Save To Mendeley" button to your Bookmarks Bar

Can't see y kmarks Bar?

2. Find an article

Search for articles in a wide variety of sites, such as those listed below.

3. Click the "Save to Mendeley" bookmark

Click the **"Save to Mendeley"** bookmark you just created, and the article details will display on the right hand side of the page.

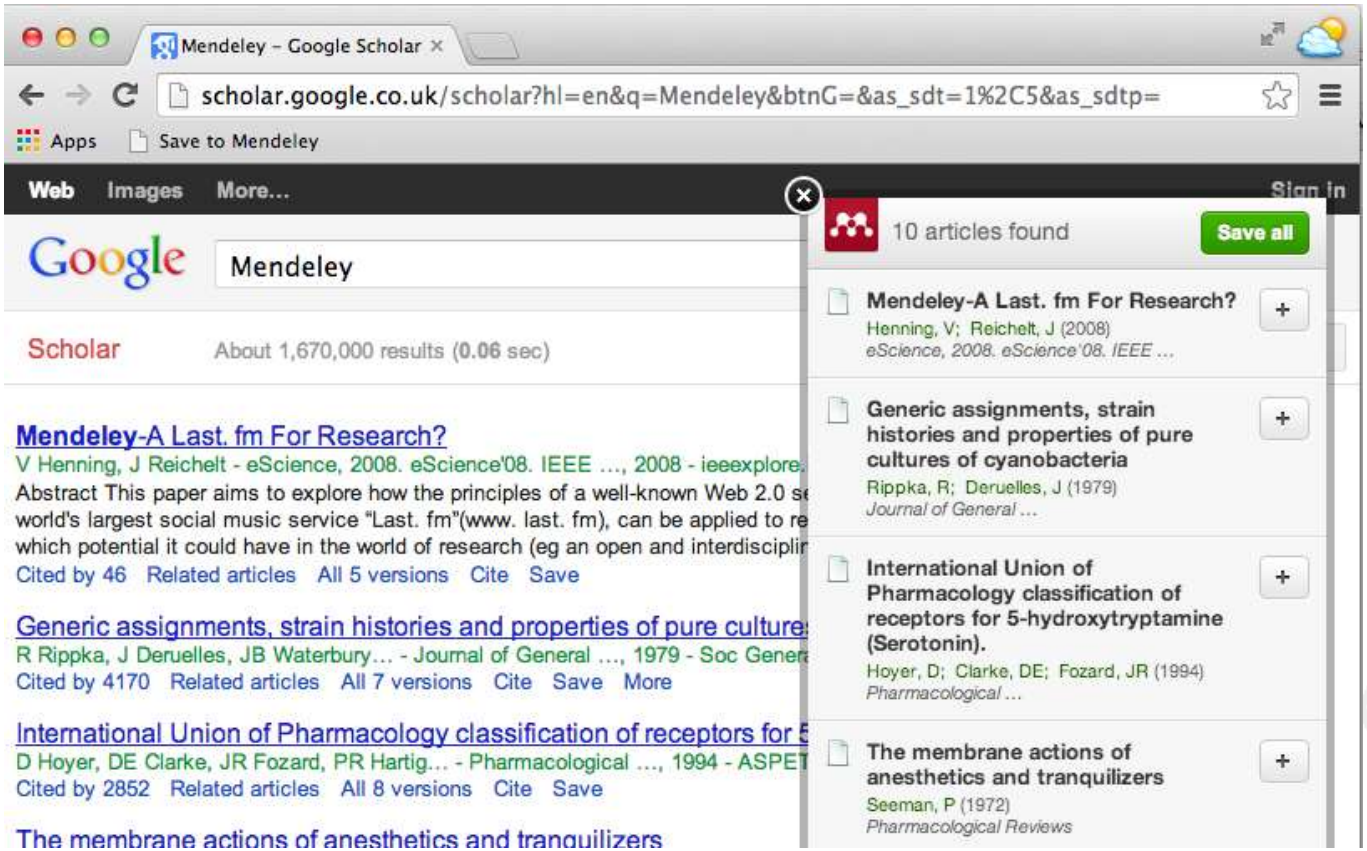
4. Review the details and Save

If the details look ok, click the "Save" button.

Next time you sync Mendeley Desktop, any newly saved articles will appear in the "Recently Added" section.

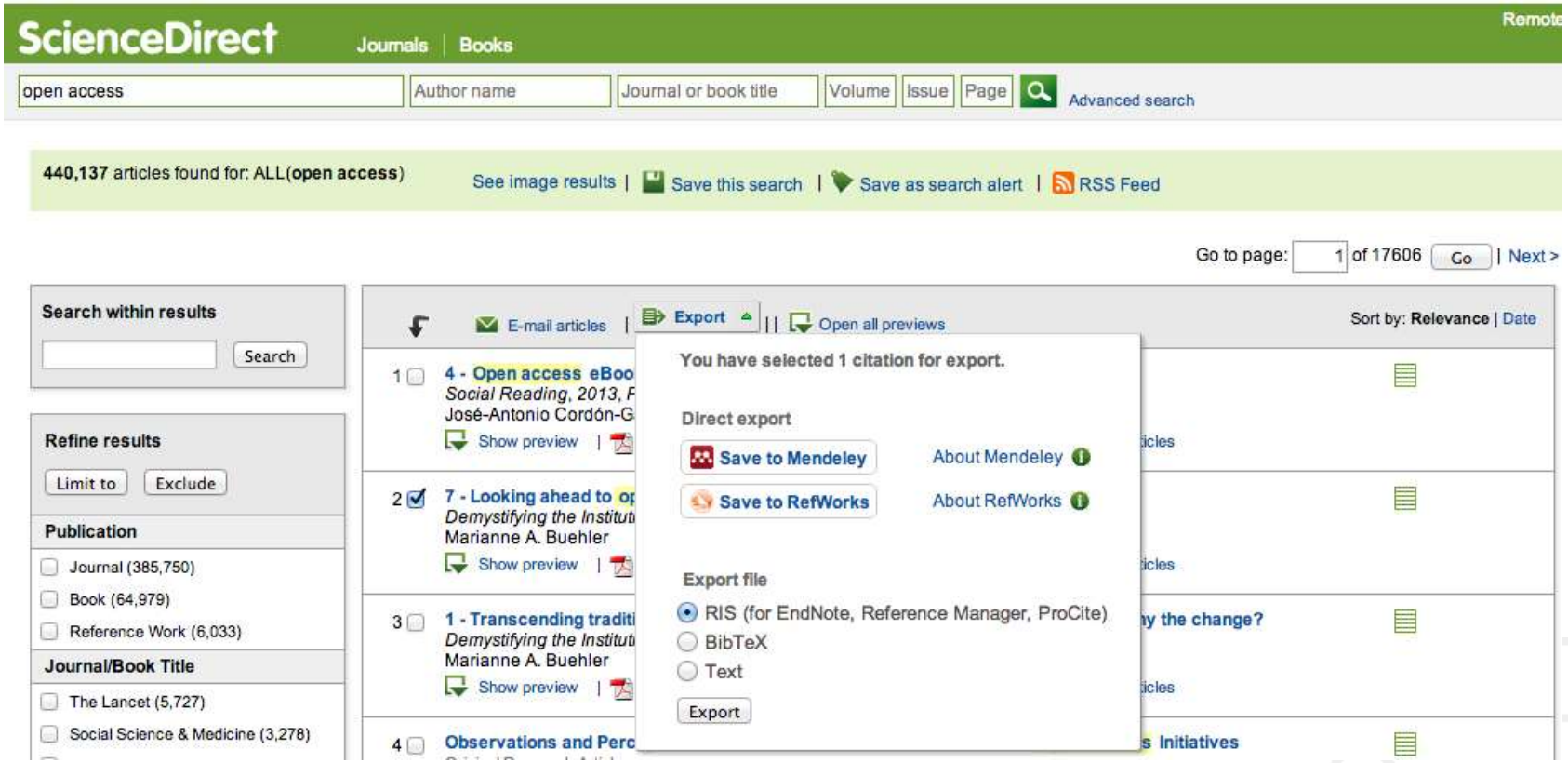
Using the Web Importer

Click ‘Save to Mendeley’ to import references from your search results



Select an article and import the reference to your library in one click.

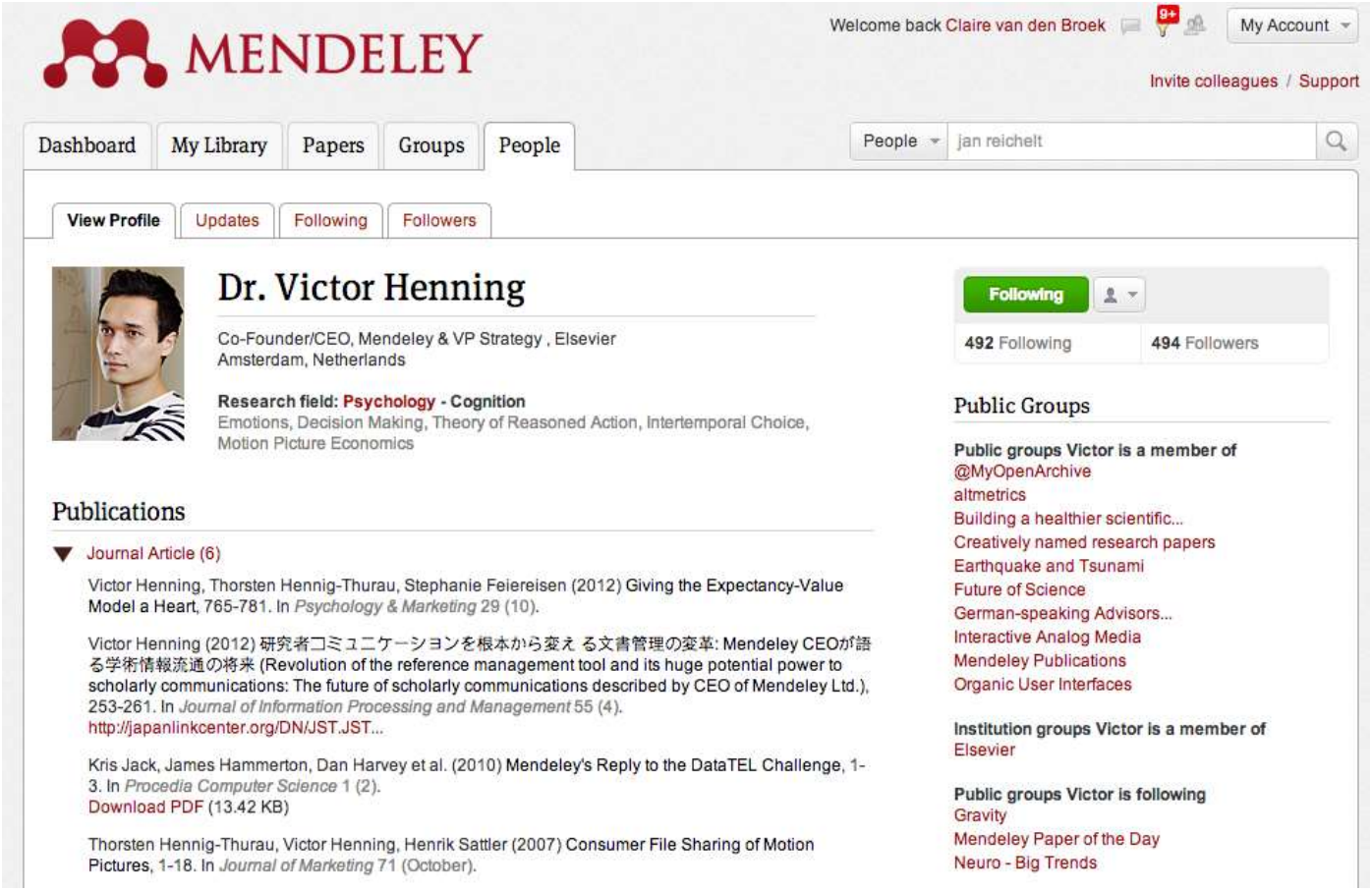
Scopus and Science Direct



Research network & groups

Join and create groups to share references

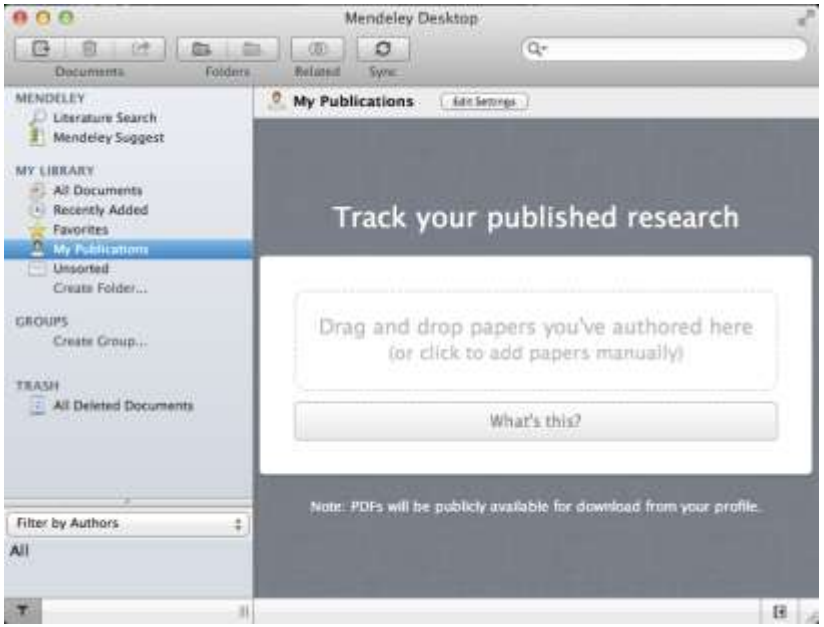
Create your research profile



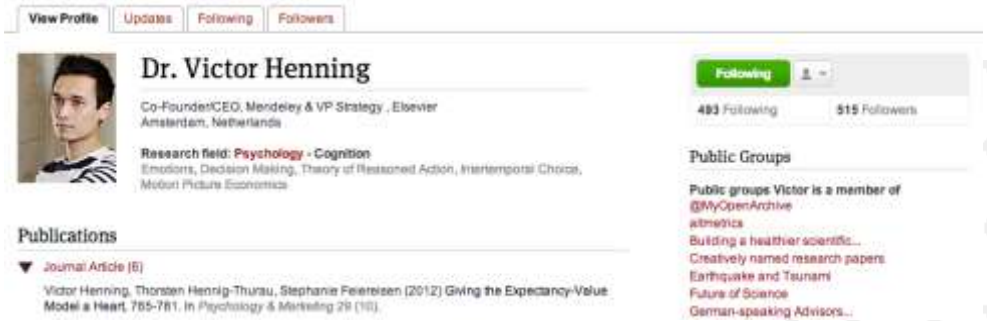
Connect with colleagues and join new communities

Share Your Publications

Showcase Your Publications

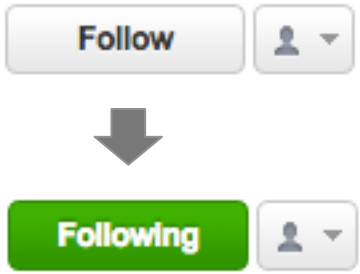


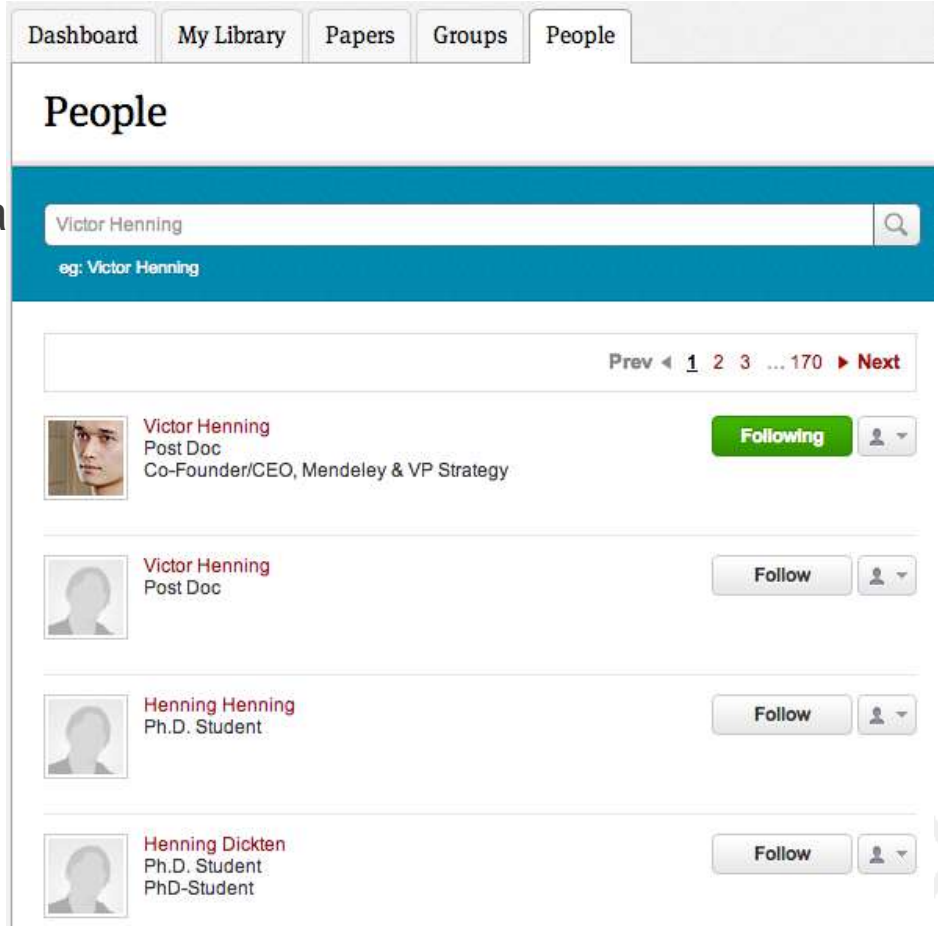
1. Add your own publications
2. Mendeley adds the PDFs to the public database
3. Showcase them on your profile



Connect with Colleagues

Search for people and click ‘Follow’ to get regula updates.





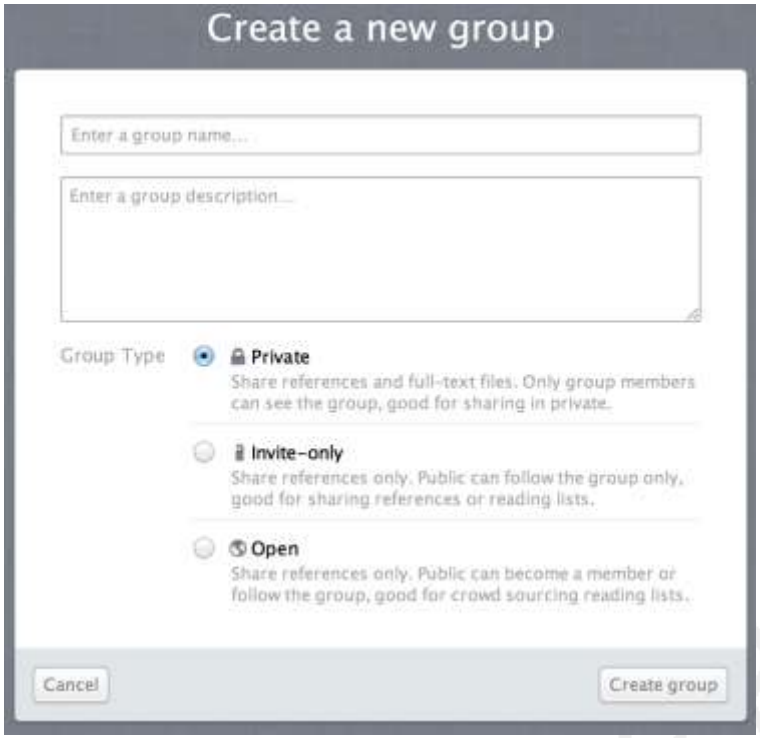
Create groups

There are three types of groups:

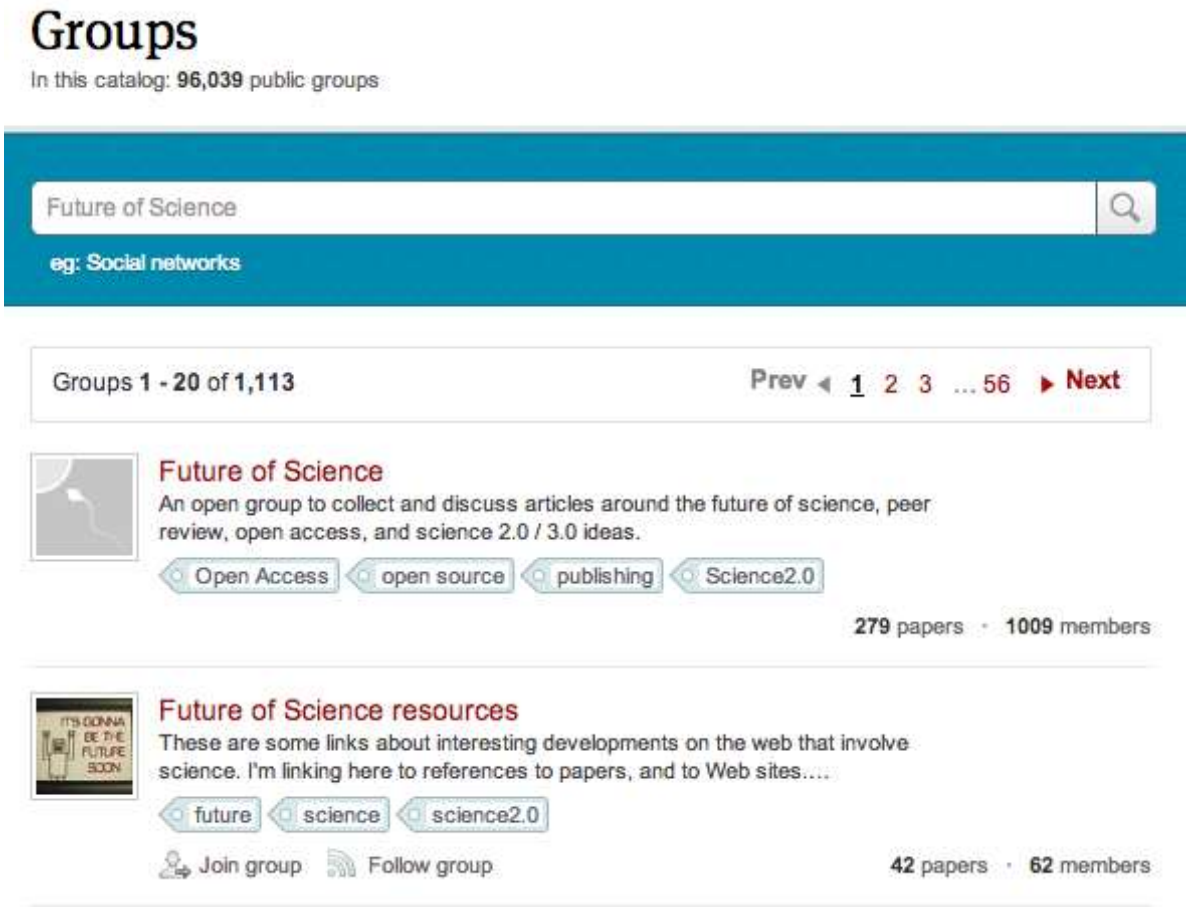
•**Open Public Groups** – Anyone can follow or participate in these groups by adding references to the group.

•**Invite-only Public Groups** – Only members that are invited to join the group may add references to the group. Anyone can follow the group.

•**Private Groups** – Completely private group that allows invited members to share references, annotations and attached documents.

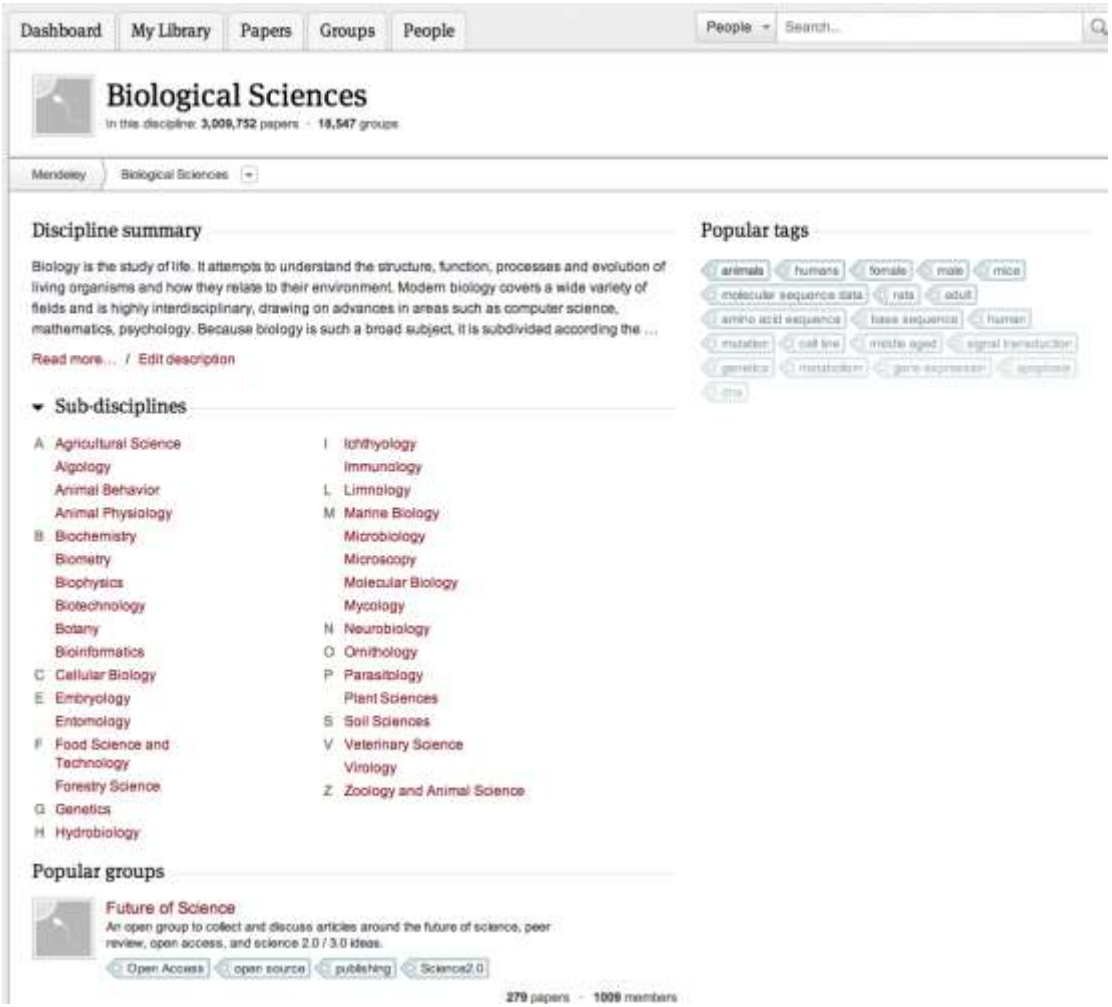


Find Public Groups



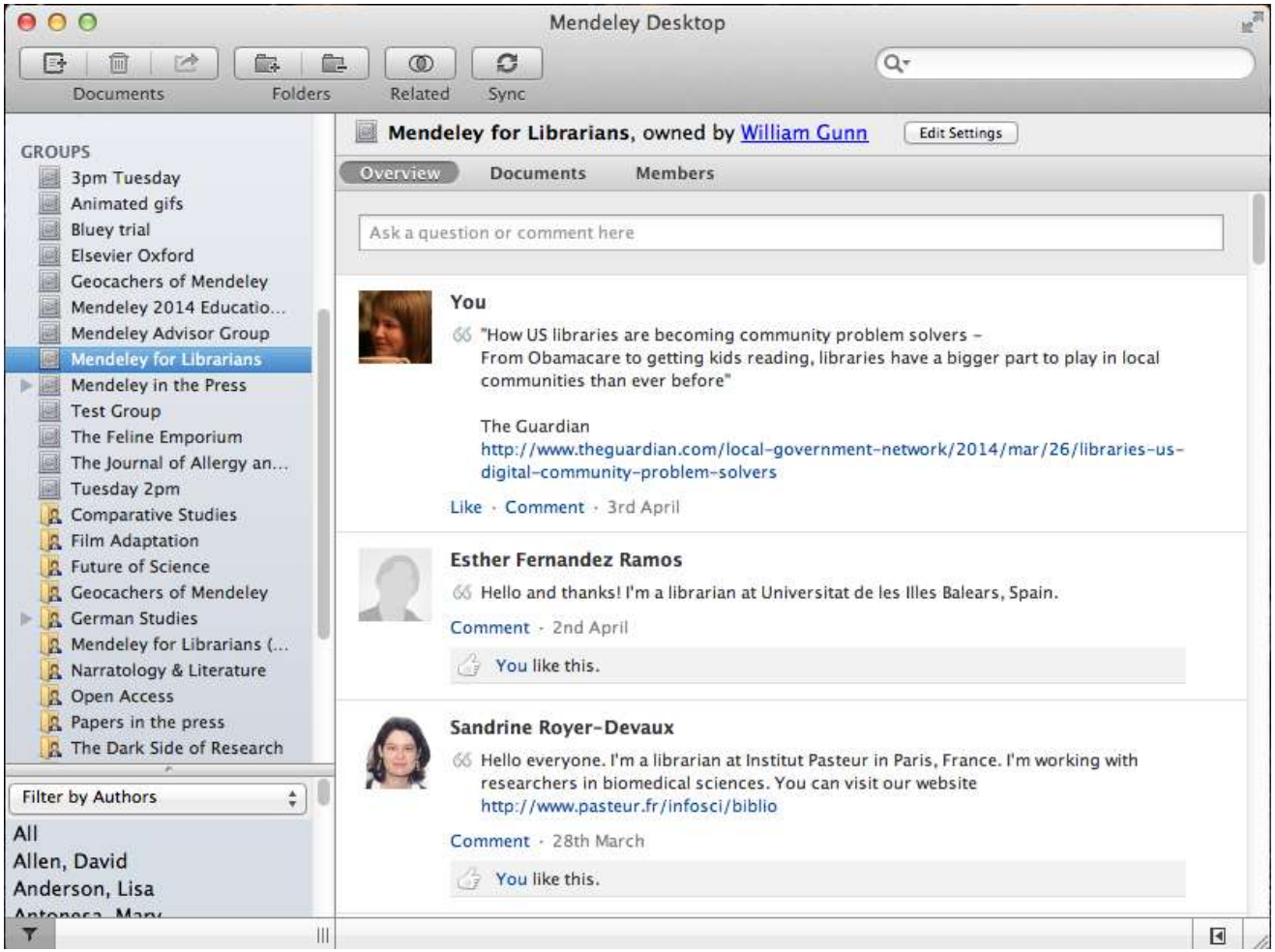
Search public groups on Mendeley Web

Browse Popular Groups



Browse by discipline to discover new groups

Private Groups

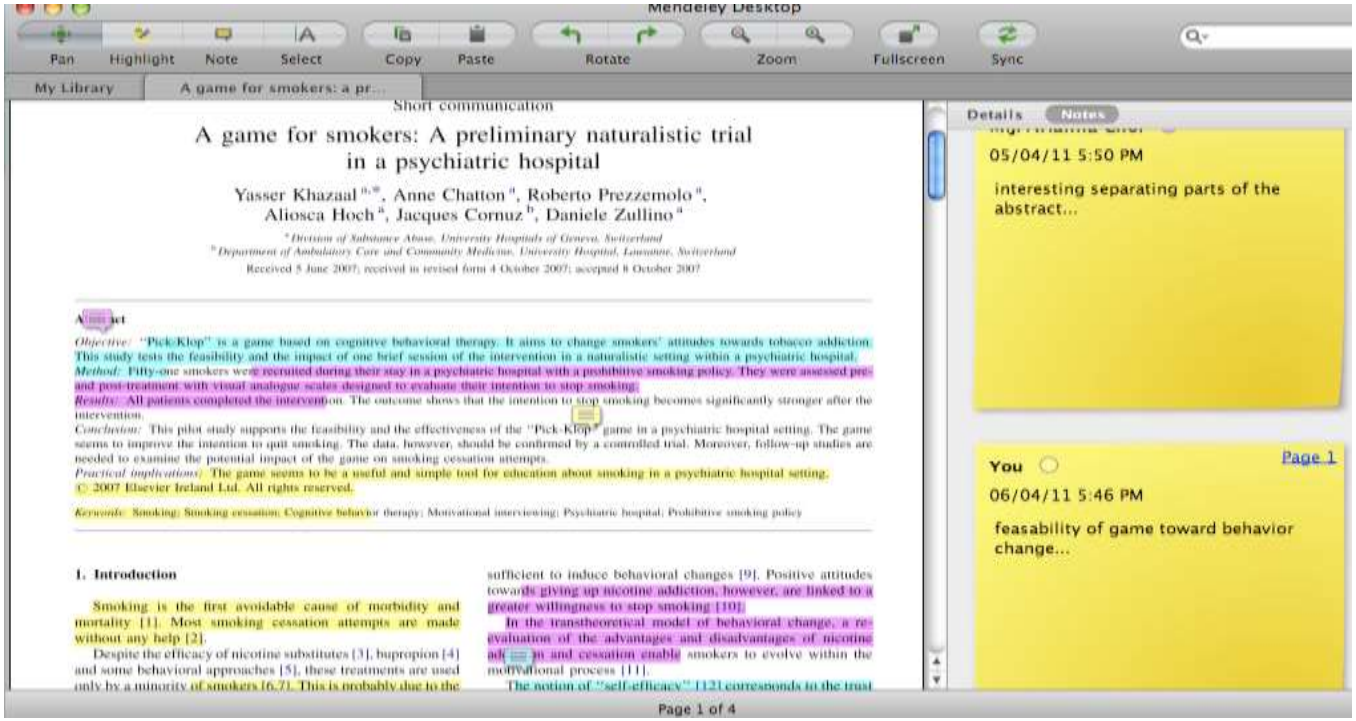


Private groups let you share full text documents with a limited number of members

Nobody outside the group can see the group or its files or members.

Share Your Papers

Collaborate with Your Research Team



Share full-text documents with members of your private group

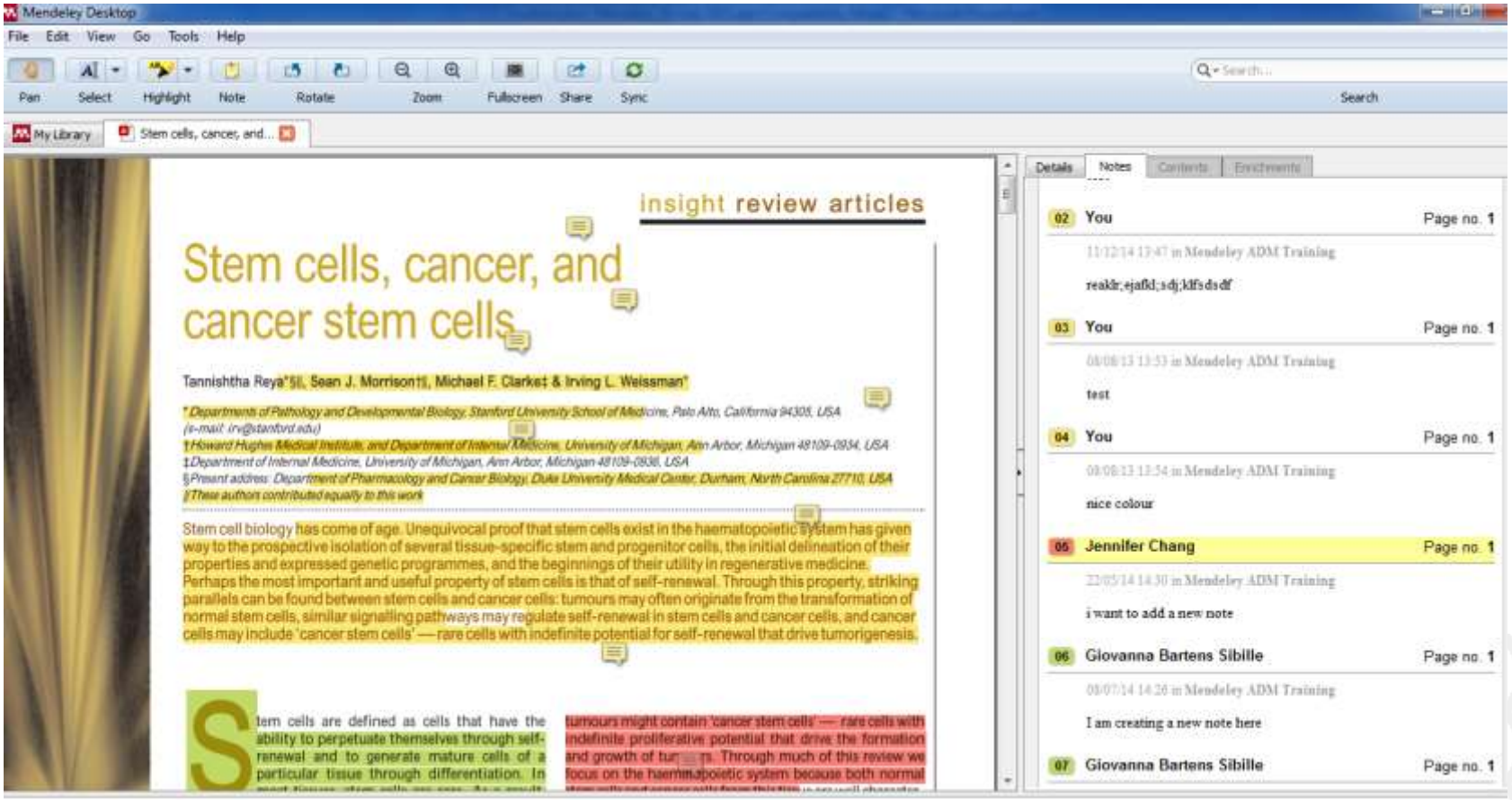
Share highlights and annotations

Each group member is assigned a different color for highlighting

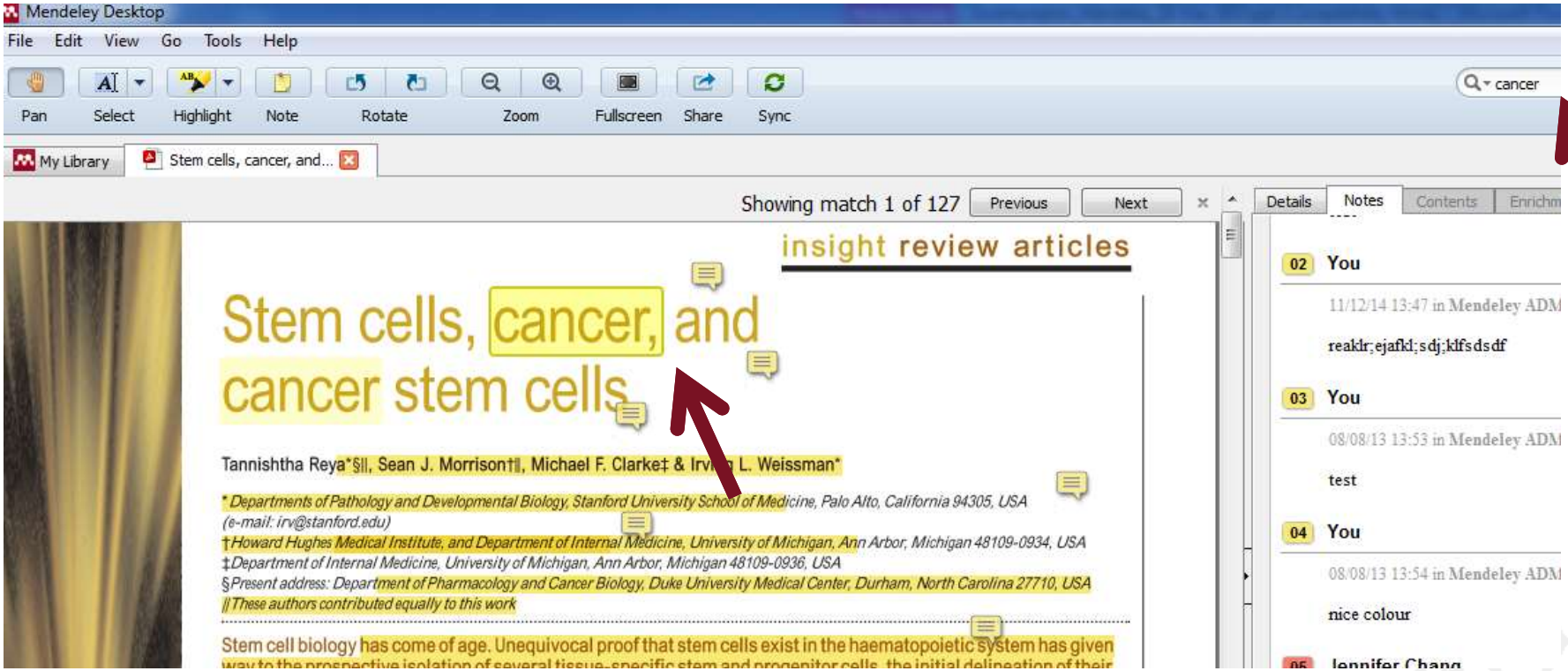
Read and annotate

Using the built-in PDF Viewer

The PDF Viewer



Read and Work in the PDF Viewer



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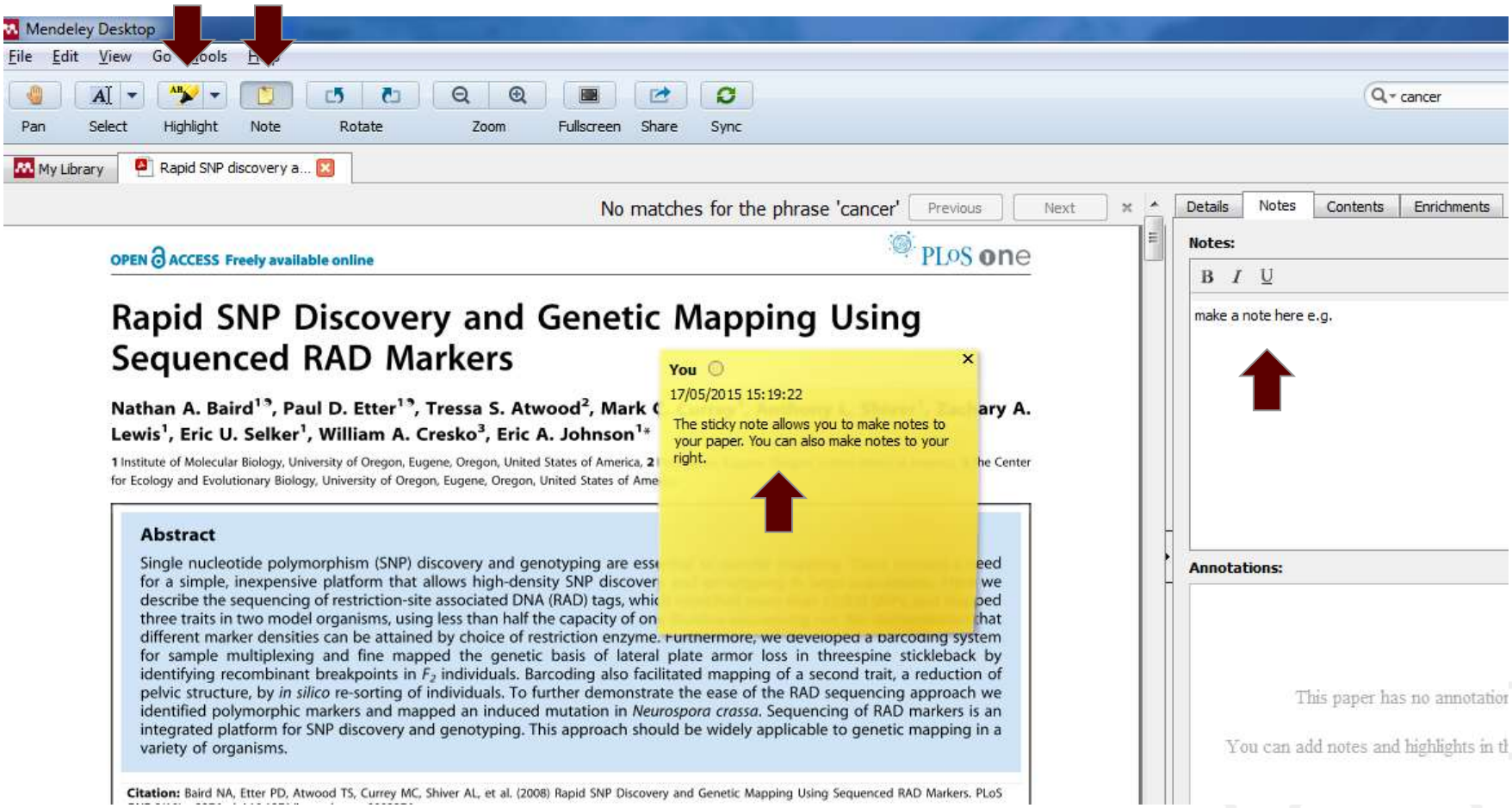

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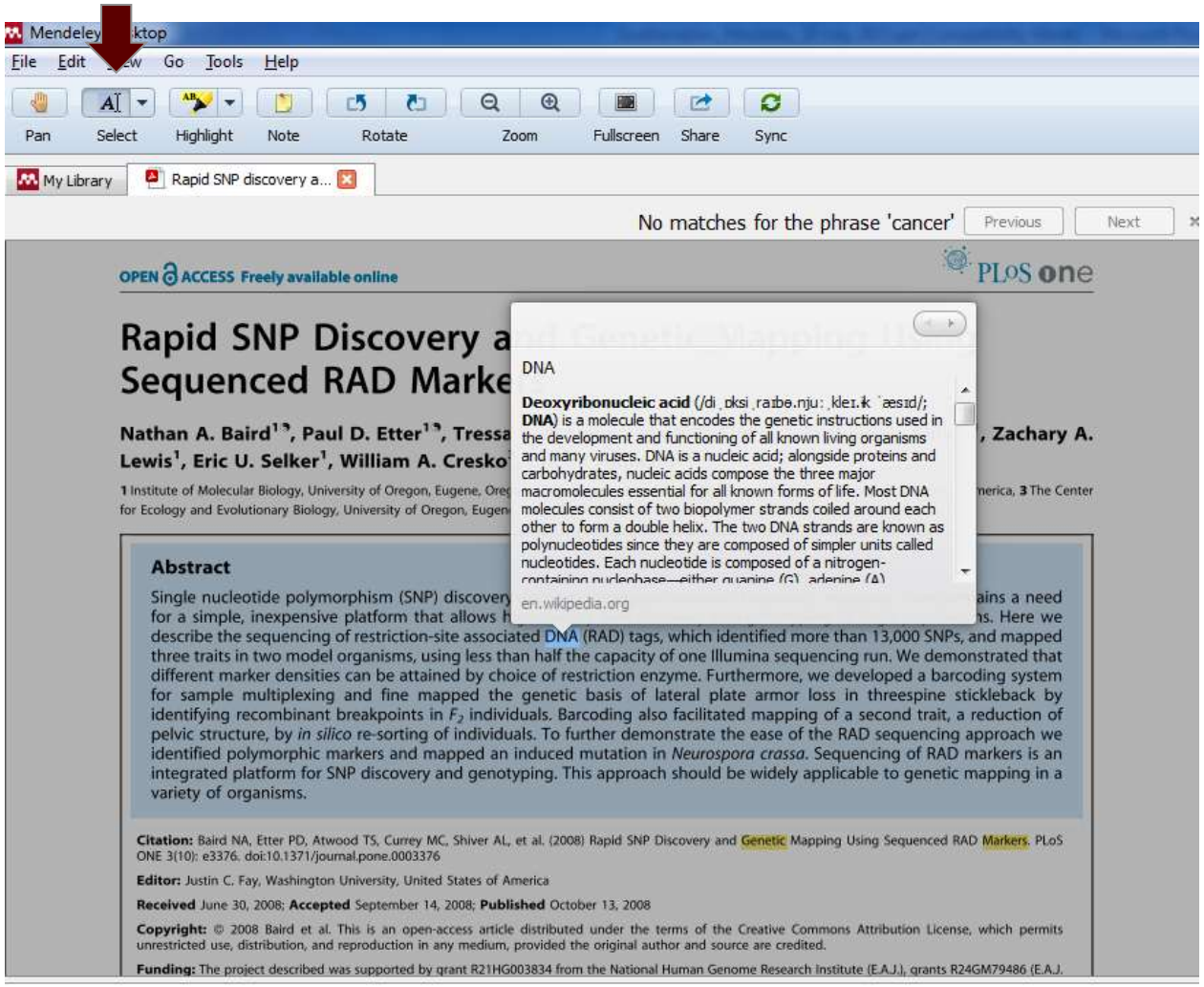
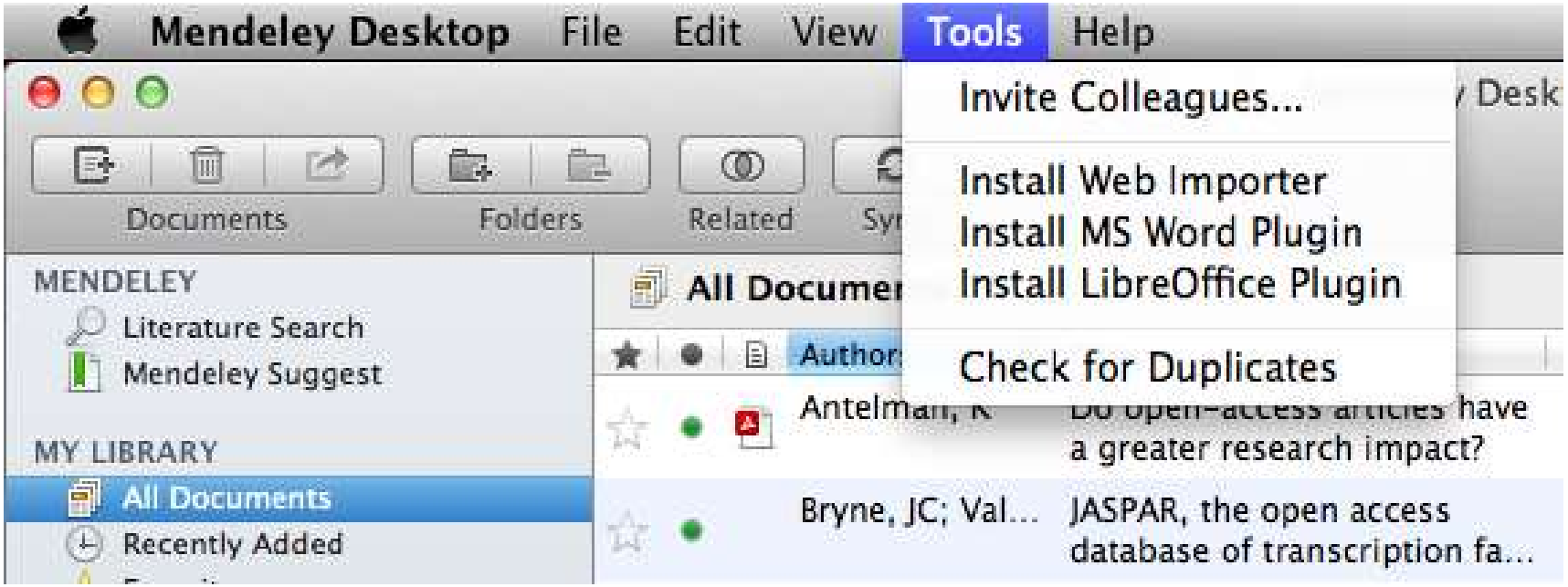


Citations & bibliography

Using the Mendeley Citation Plug-In

Install the Citation Plug-in



Word

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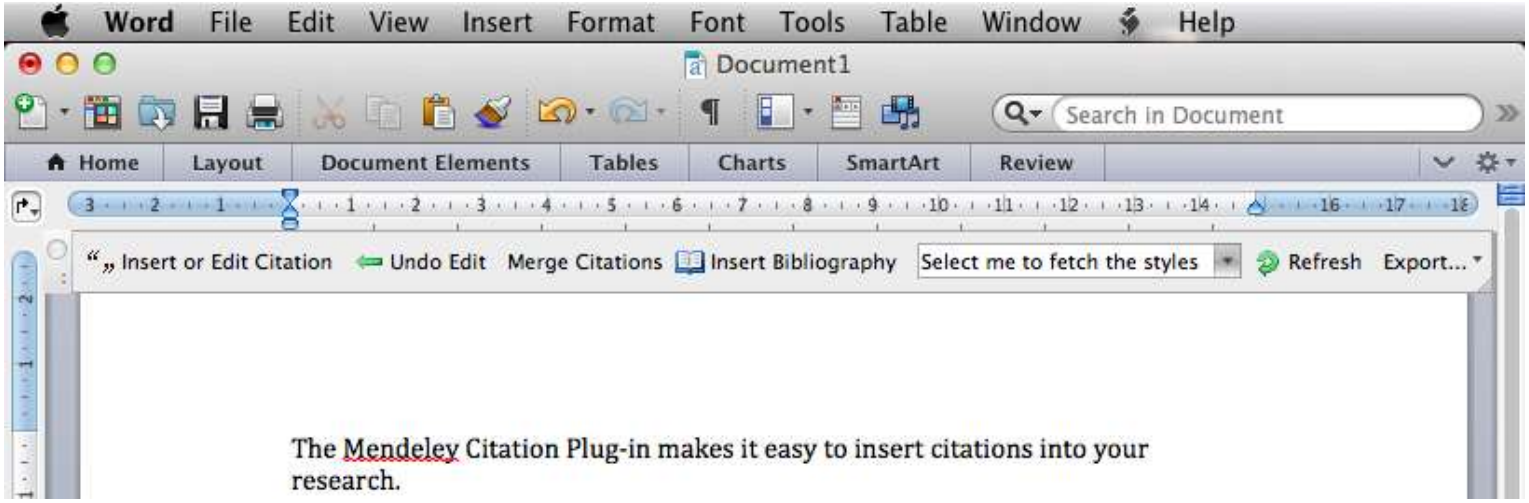
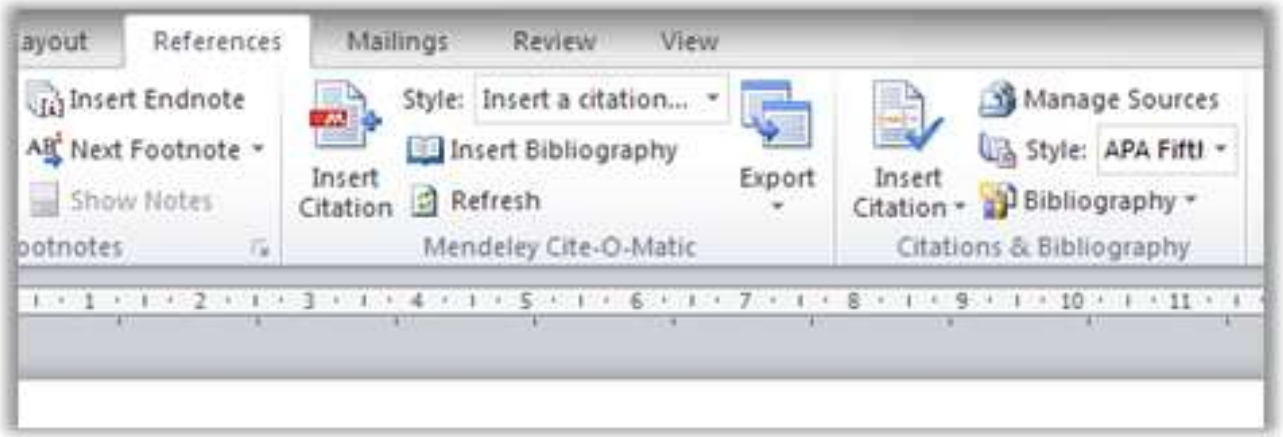
The Citation Tool Bar Appears in Word Automatically





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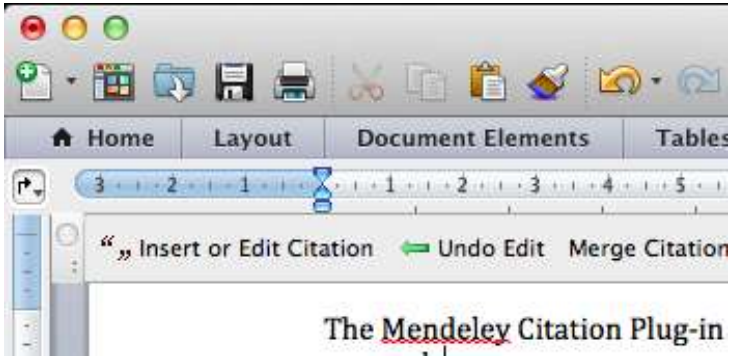
Generate In-Text Citations in Word



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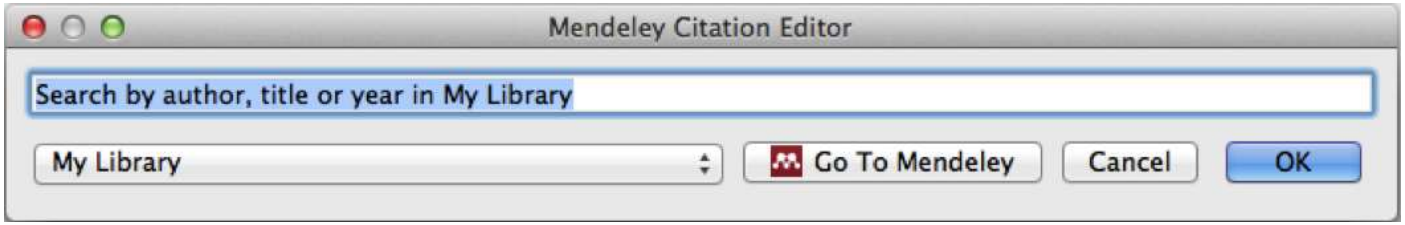
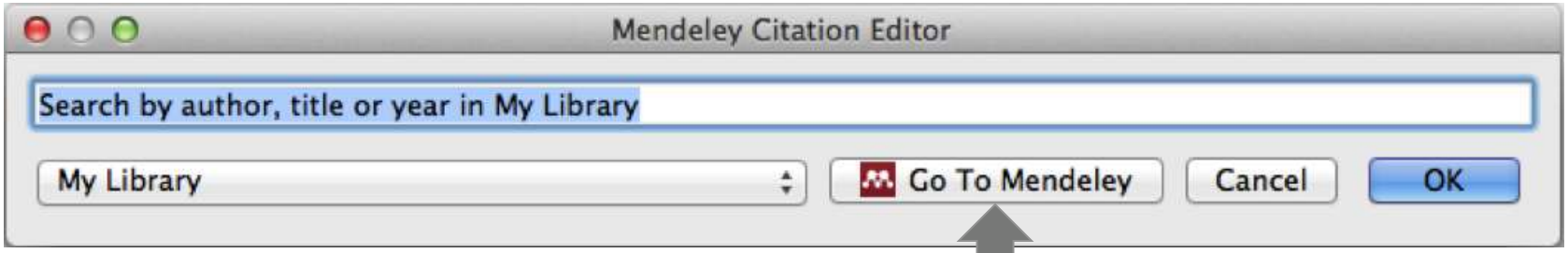


3. Select the article or book, and click ‘ok’ to automatically cite that text in Word

Finding a Reference in Your Library



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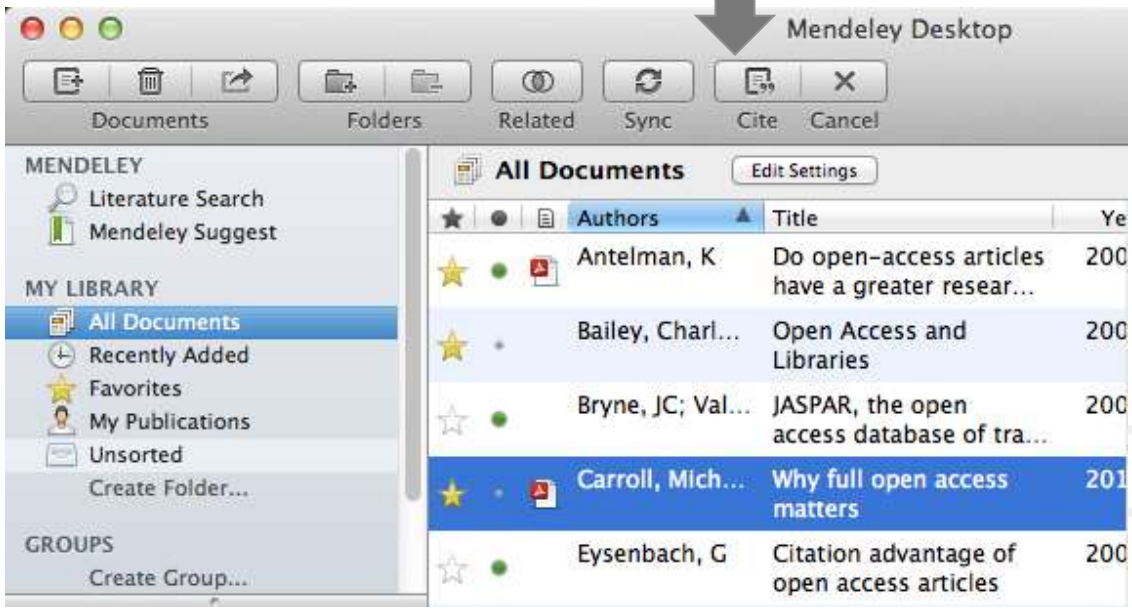
2. The ‘Cite’ button appears



Editing and Adding to Citations

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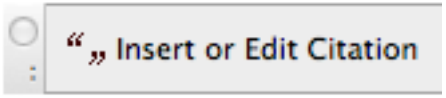

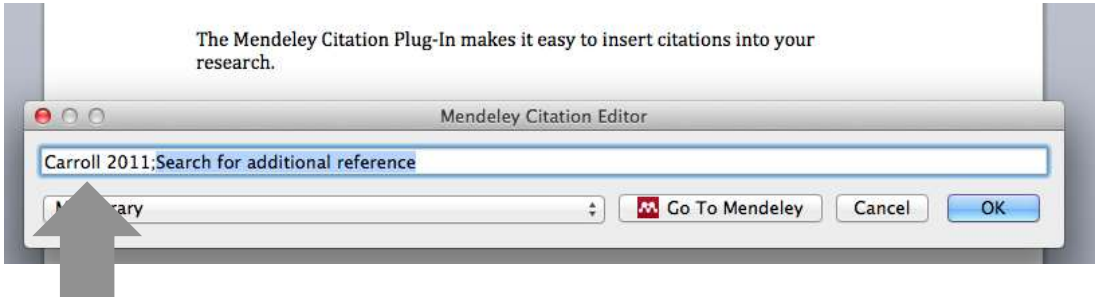

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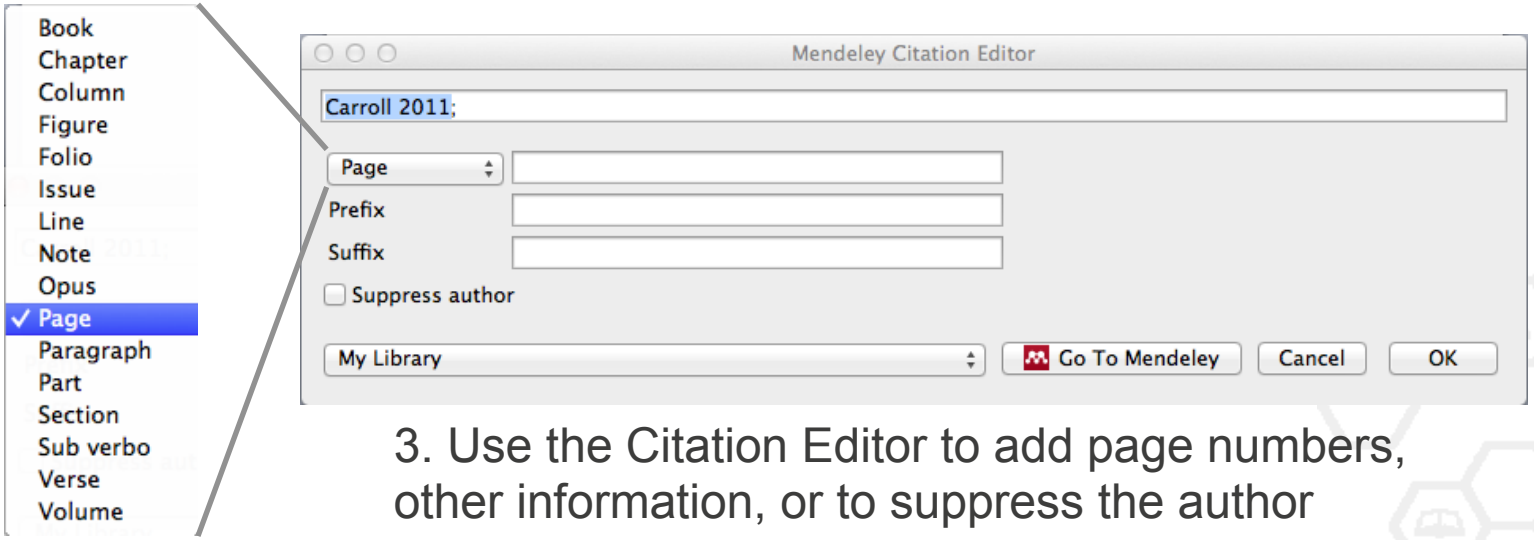
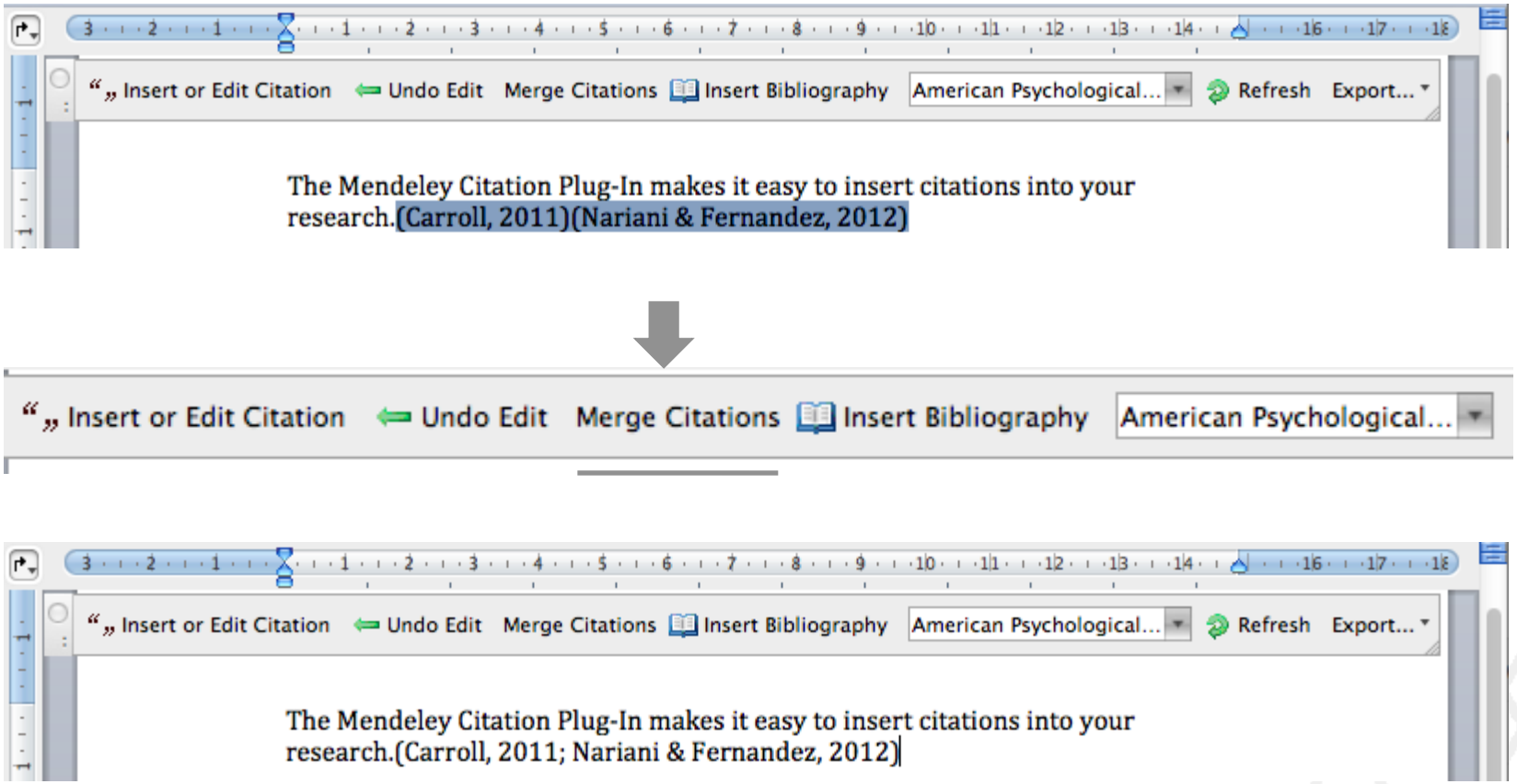


3. Use the Citation Editor to add page numbers, other information, or to suppress the author

Merging Citations



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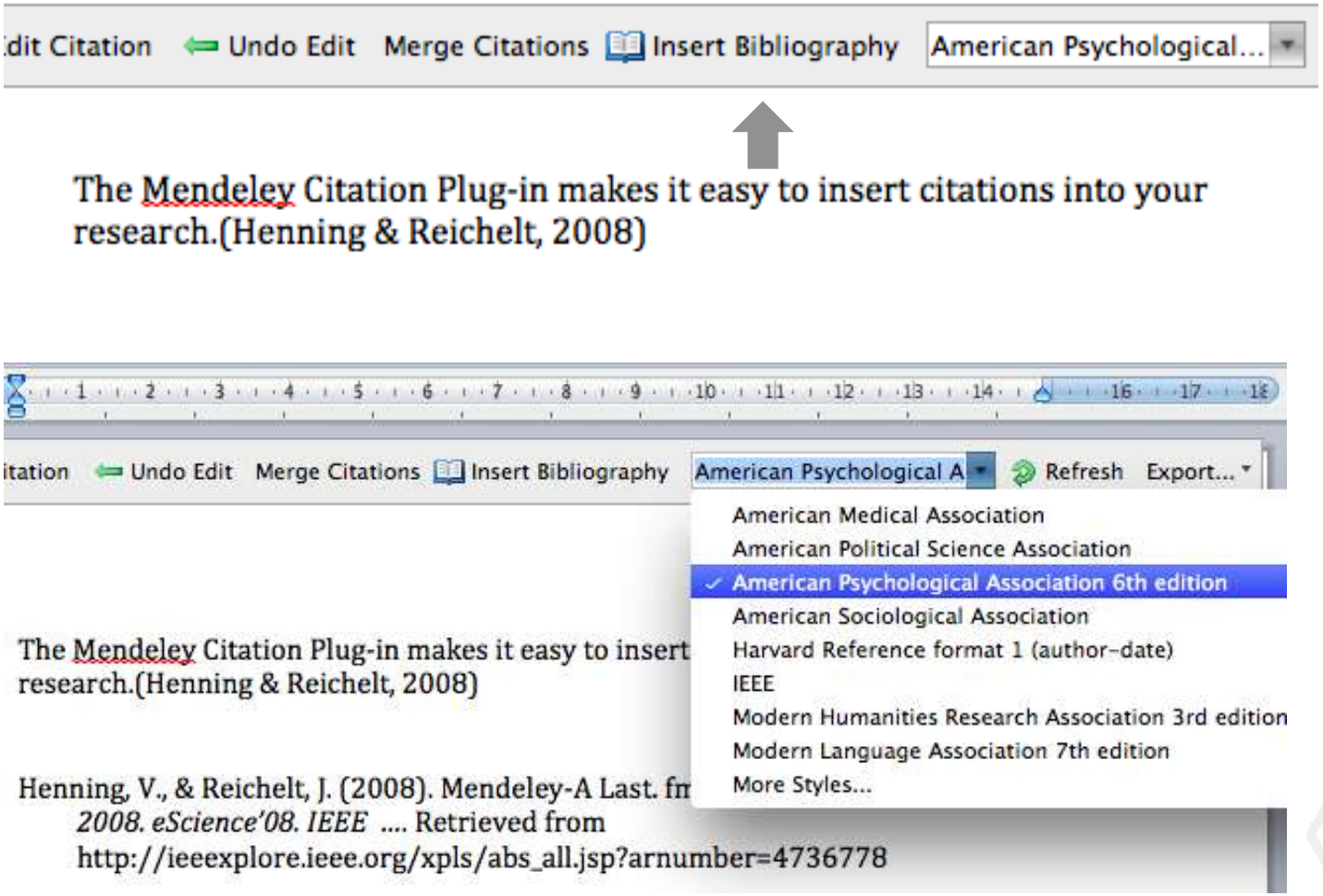

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2. Choose your style

3. Done!

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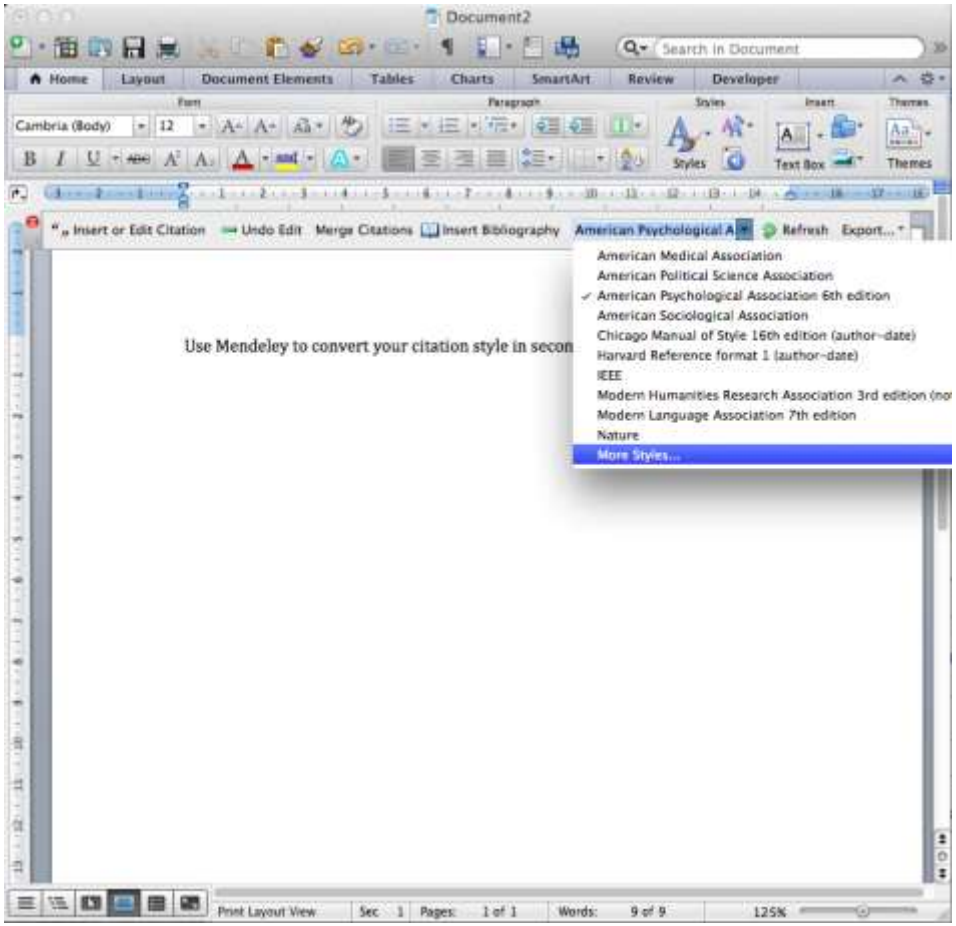

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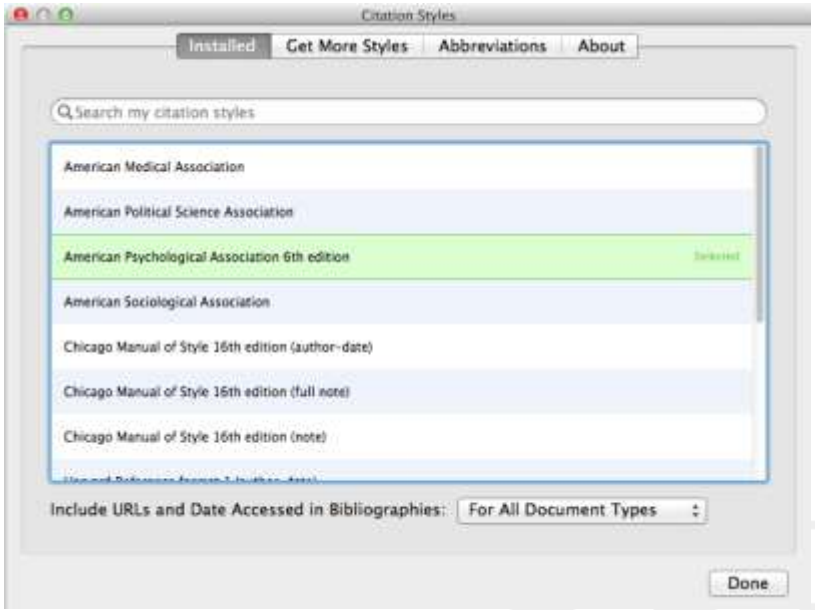

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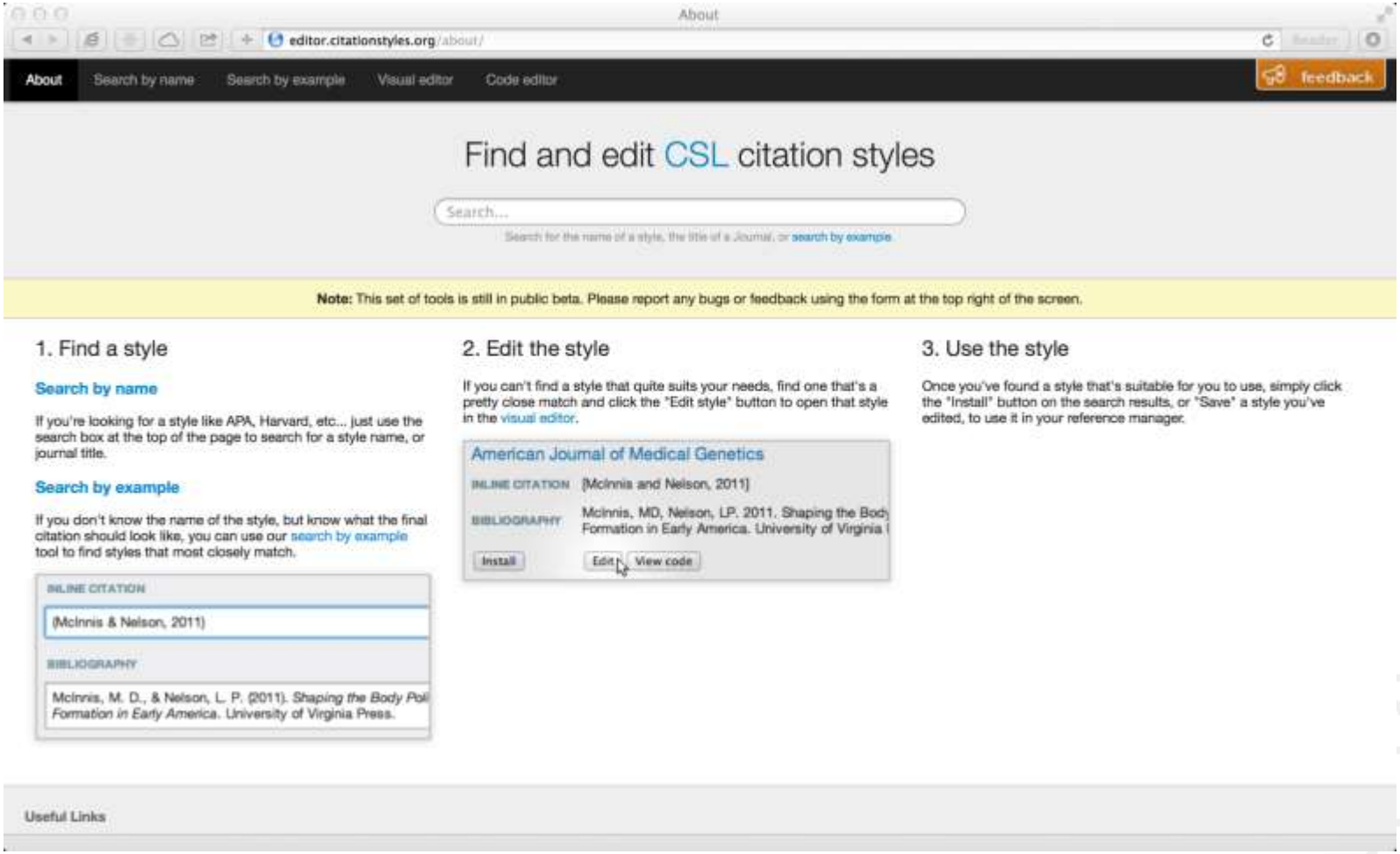

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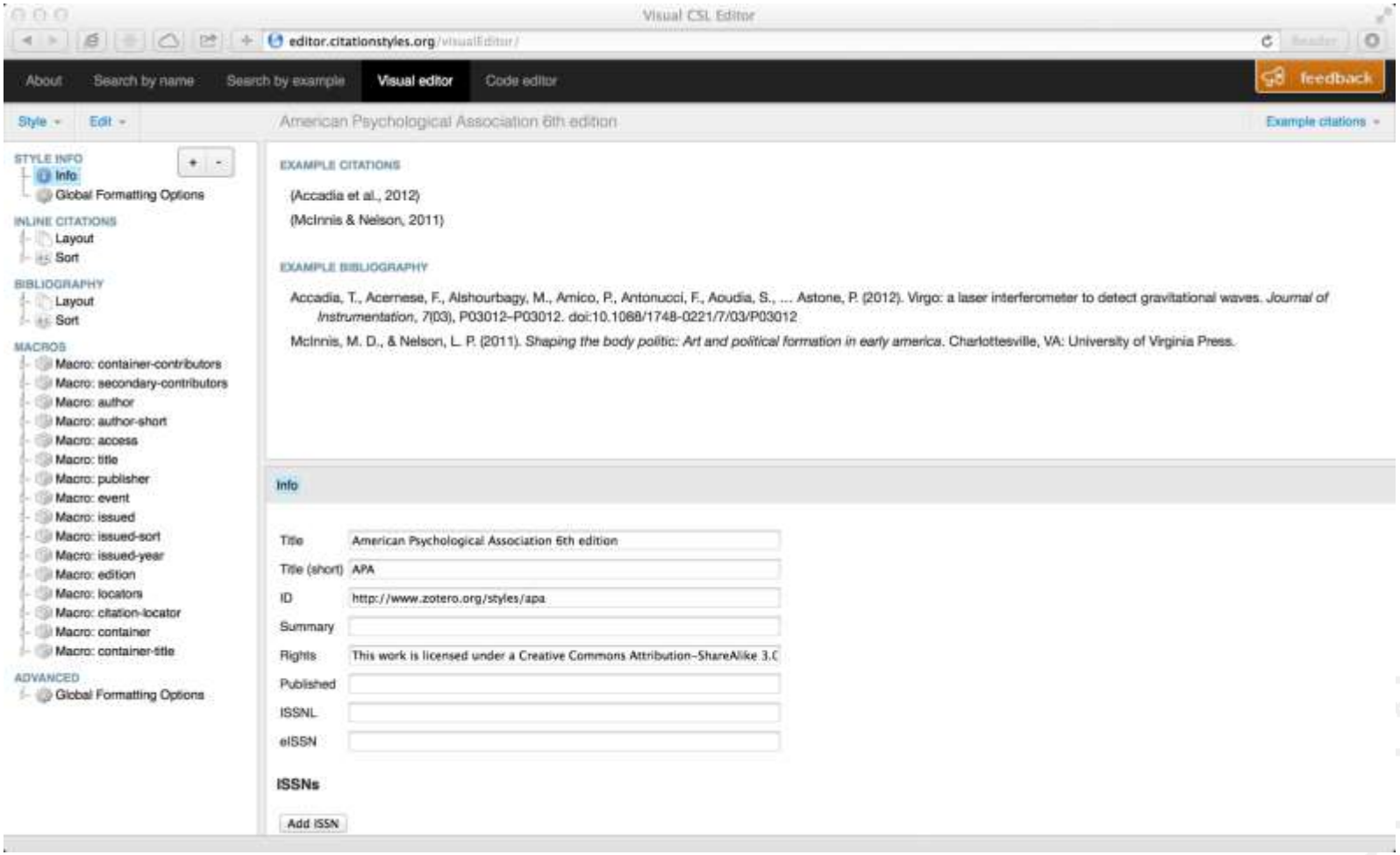

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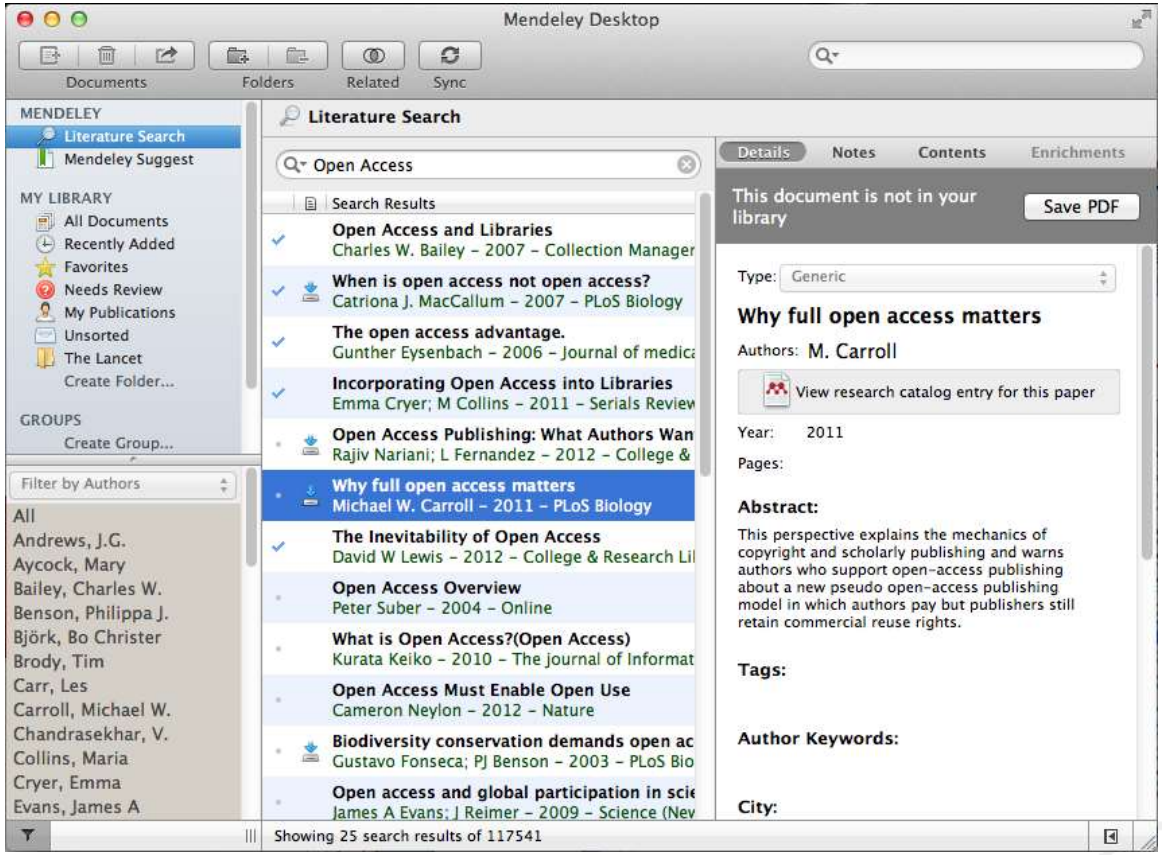

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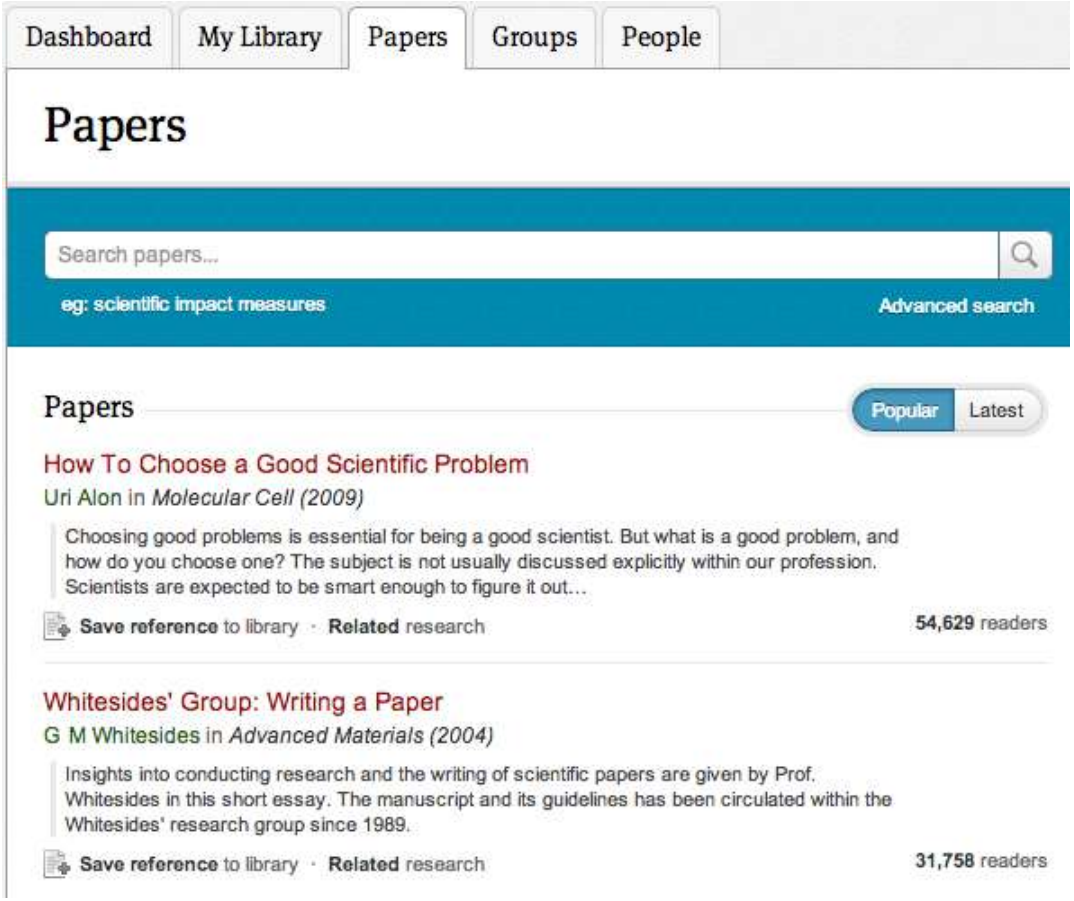

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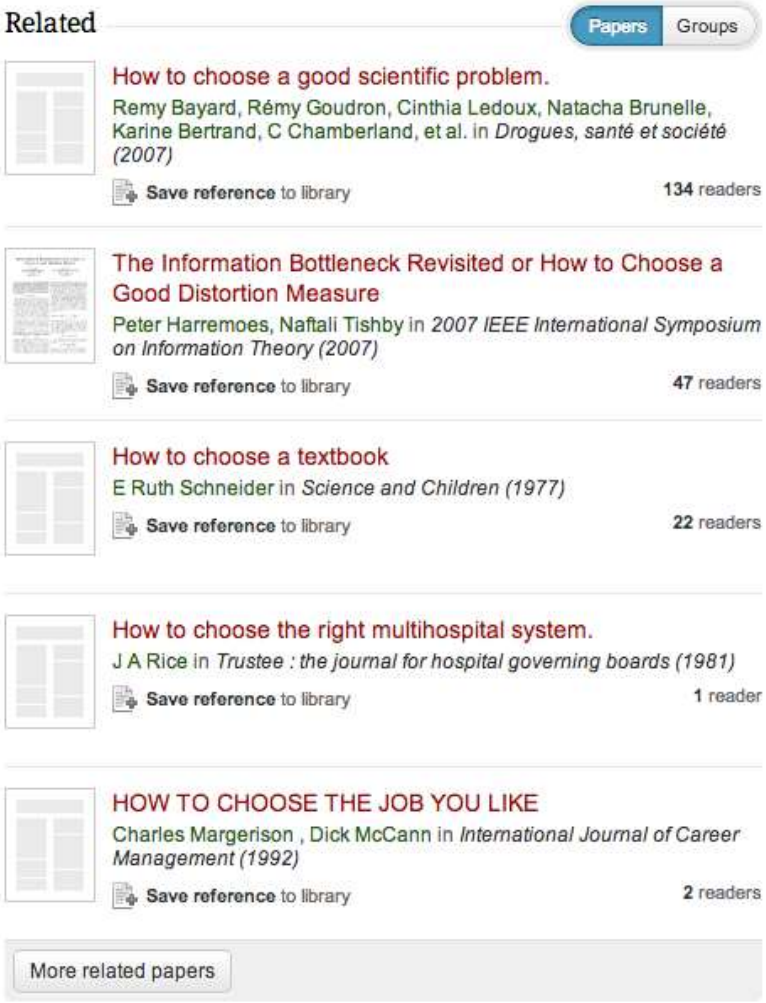

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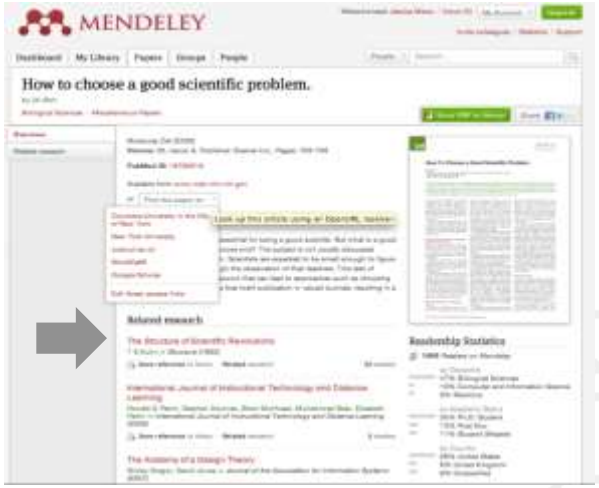

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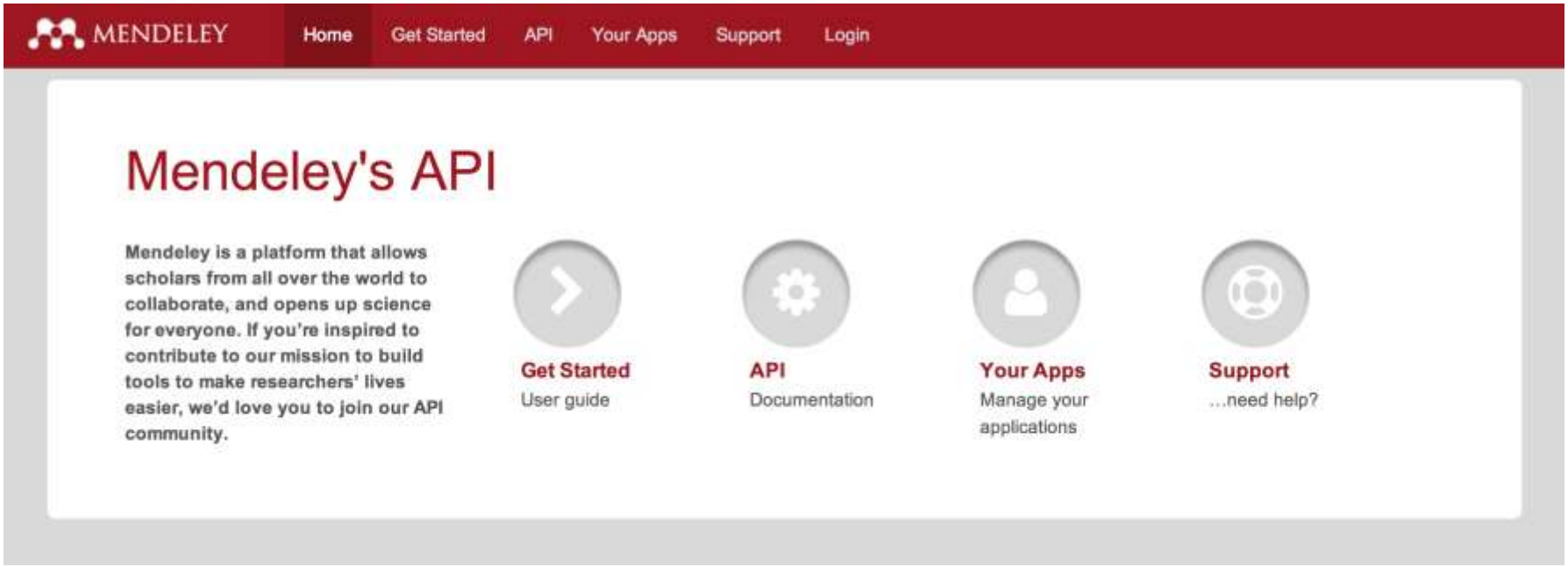

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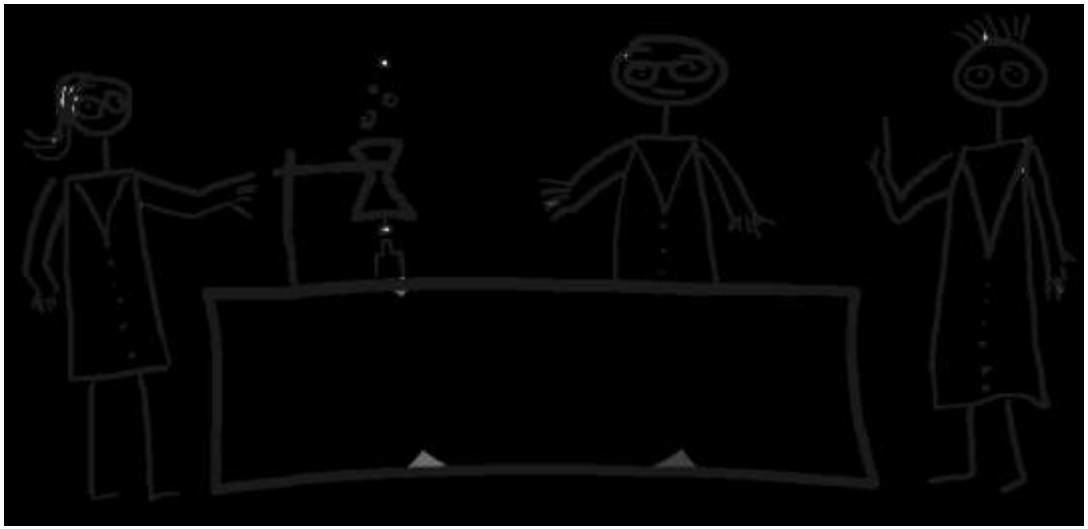

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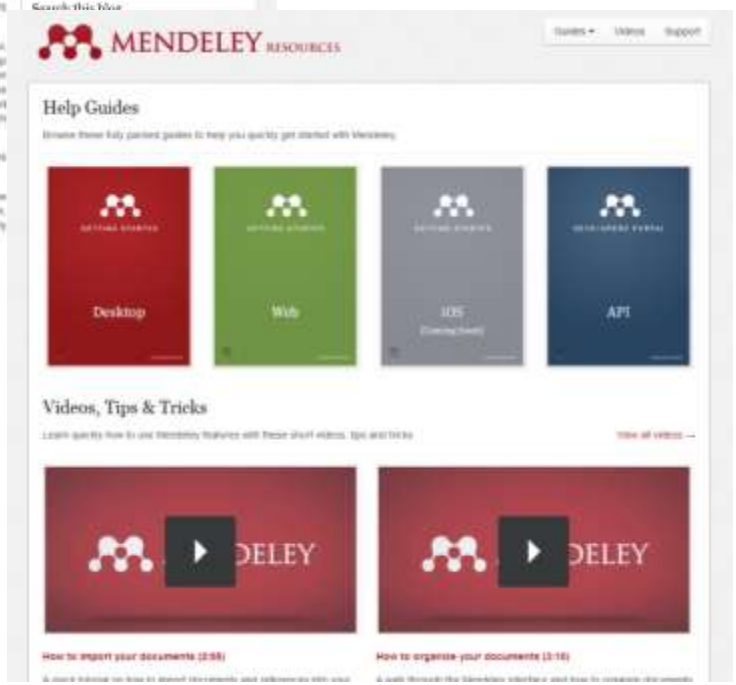

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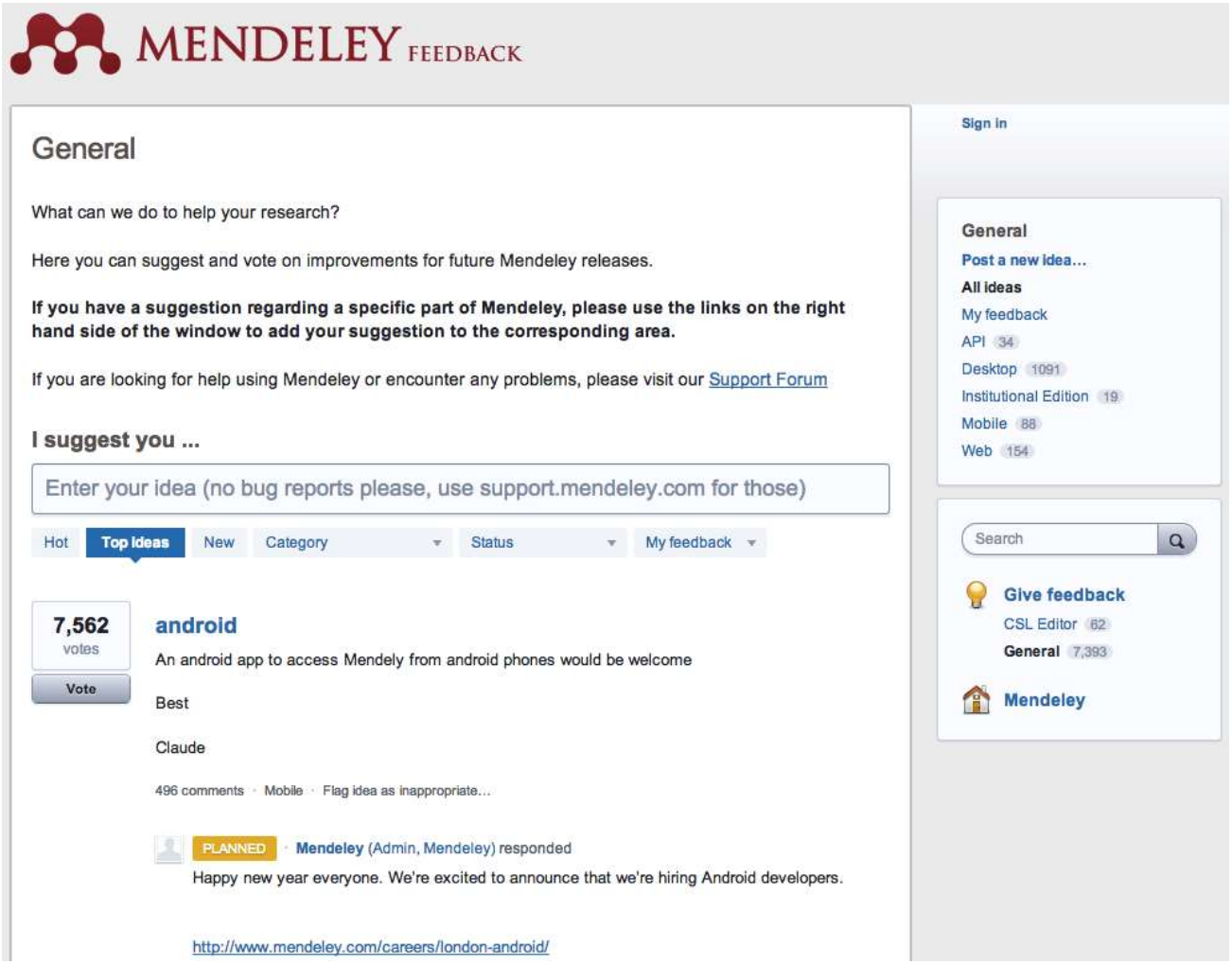

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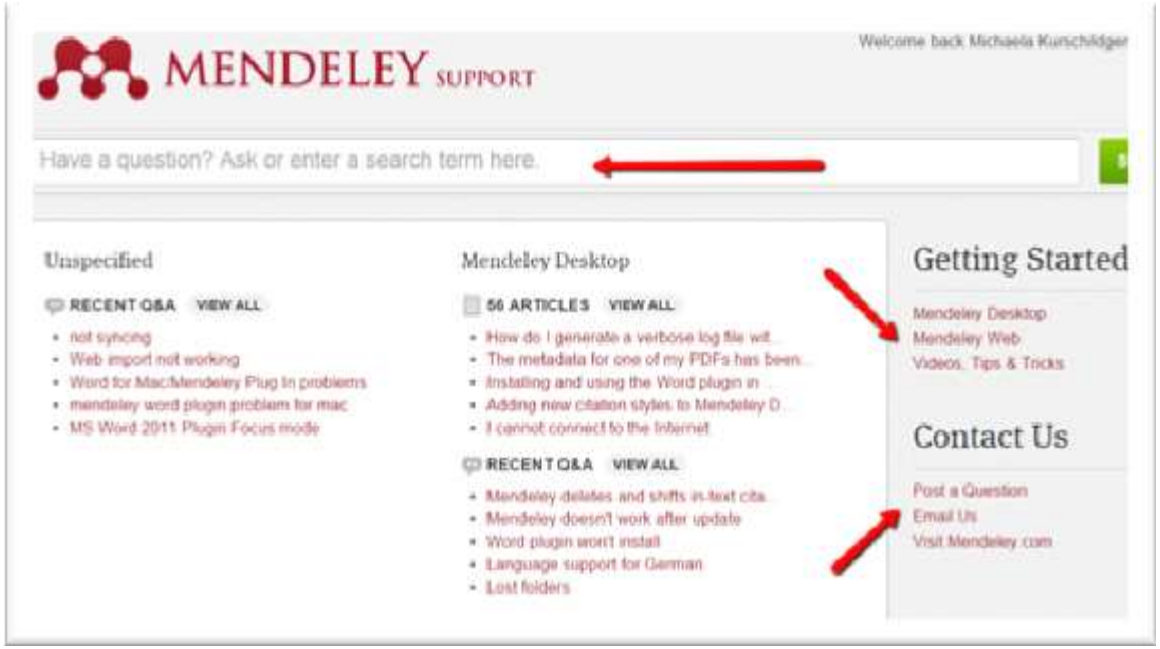

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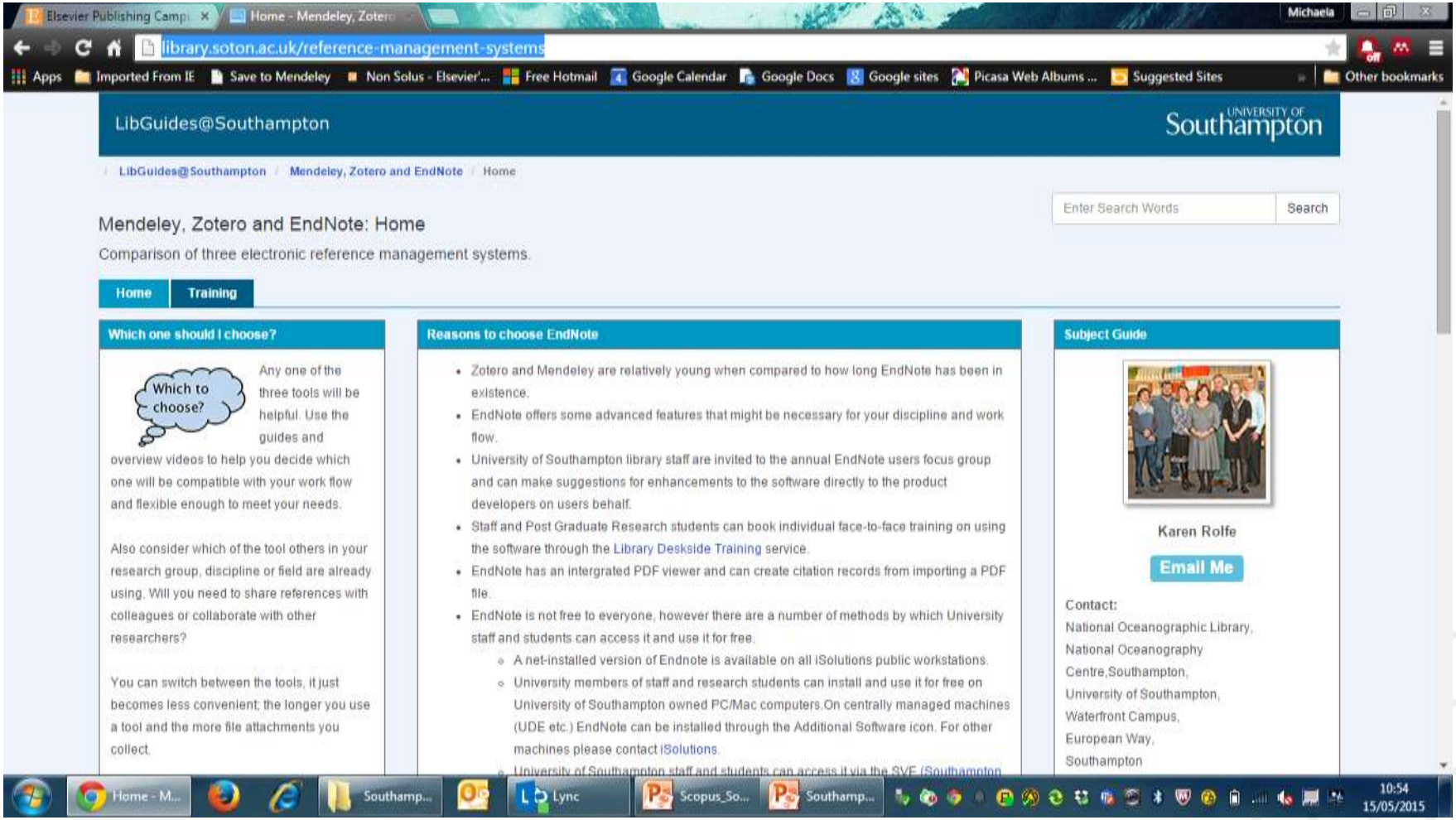

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