

How to Find Tax Treaties on CCH Tax Research Network

Introduction

Many countries have signed tax treaties with the United States which exempt or limit U.S. taxation of scholarships, grants, and compensation received by foreign students and faculty studying or working in the United States. The full text of current tax treaties can be found on the *CCH Tax Research Network*.

If you have any questions or need assistance, please ask a librarian for help!

How to Access CCH Tax Research Network

The *CCH Tax Research Network* is available from any library computer. In addition, the *CCH Tax Research Network* is available from campus computing labs and computers in University offices and dorms. If you are connecting from home, you can use this resource if you are dialing in via the University modem pool or using a University sponsored *Stargate* account.

1. Go to the University Library System homepage at <http://www.library.pitt.edu>.
2. Under the *Find Articles & More* heading click on *Databases A-Z*.
3. Select *CCH Tax Research Network* from the alphabetical list.
4. Click on the **Connect to the database** link.
5. Click the **Enter** button.

How to Search for Tax Treaties

1. Once you are in the *CCH Tax Research Network*, click on the **International** tab.
2. Click on **Tax Treaties Reporter**
3. Select the name of your country from the alphabetical list.
4. Select -- TREATY, INCOME TAX TREATY BETWEEN [YOUR COUNTRY] AND THE UNITED STATES

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Choose **Income Tax Treaty in Force**, and then -- TREATY, INCOME TAX TREATY BETWEEN [YOUR COUNTRY] AND THE UNITED STATES.

5. Now select the treaty article you want. (Often, taxation of students or teachers is in Articles 18, 19, 20, or 21.)

How to Print Results

To print without graphics, click on the **Print Text Only** icon that is located at the top and bottom of the screen. Next, click the **Print** button on the navigation toolbar of your browser.