

MeLCat

Requesting an item through MeLCat

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1) Check the EMU Library Catalog:

I searched the [EMU Library catalog](#) for a book titled *Detroit and the Problem of Order*. The screen shows:

- No items were found
- A link to search for the item in MeLCat

The screenshot displays a search results page with a green header and a white main area. At the top, a red message reads: "Your search did not retrieve any items. Please check your spelling or modify your search. Remember to omit a, an, the as the first word." Below this, a green arrow points upwards with the text "No Results". The search bar shows the query "Search MeLCat for \"detroit and the problem of order\"". A second green arrow points upwards with the text "Search MeLCat Click here". The page includes links for "Interlibrary Loan Services", "Ask-A-Librarian", and "Request the item through ILLiad". At the bottom, there are tabs for "Basic", "Advanced", "Course Reserves", and "New Materials". The search interface includes a "Find" field with the query, a dropdown menu for search criteria (currently set to "Keyword ANYWHERE"), and a "Search To:" field.









2) Find the item in MeLCat

- Click on the title link and you'll be taken to MeLCat
- MeLCat shows that 12 Michigan libraries own the book.
- Click the link **12 Michigan eLibrary libraries have this item**

Previous Record Next Record	
Title	Detroit and the problem of order, 1830-1880 : a geography of crime, riot, and policing / John C. Schneider.
Author	Schneider, John C., 1945-
Published	Lincoln : University of Nebraska Press, c1980.
<i>Link to this record:</i> http://elibrary.mel.org/record=b10535190	
12 Michigan eLibrary libraries have this item	
 Get this for me!	
Description	xiv, 171 p. : maps ; 23 cm.
Bibliography	Includes bibliographical references and index.
LCCN	79016492
Other Standard Number	(OCoLC)05171652
Subjects (Places)	Detroit (Mich.) -- Police -- History -- 19th century.
Subjects (Topics)	Urbanization -- Michigan -- Detroit -- History -- 19th century. Crime -- Michigan -- Detroit -- History -- 19th century. Criminals.
OCLC no.	5171652
ISBN	0803241135
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3) Request the item

- A number of libraries show the **Status** as **Available**.
- To request the item click **Get this for me!**

HOLDINGS FOR Michigan eLibrary CENTRAL DATABASE				
Central Michigan Univ	Michigan State University	Oakland University	University of MI Dearborn	
Delta College	Mid Michigan Comm College	Public Libraries--Saginaw	Wayne State University	
Ferris State University	Saginaw Valley State Univ	Western Michigan Univ		
Library	Shelving Location	E-Version	Call Number and Serial Holdings	Status
Central Michigan Univ	Books		HV8148.D452 S36 	AVAILABLE
Central Michigan Univ	Clarke		HV8148.D452 S36	LIB USE ONLY
Delta College	Circulating		HV8148 .D452 S36 	AVAILABLE
Ferris State University	FSU Main Stacks Lower LVL		HV8148.D452 S36 	AVAILABLE
Library of Michigan	LIB OF MICH - MICH 2N (NON-CIRC)		HV8148.D452 S36	NOT REQUESTABLE
Michigan State University	MSU MAIN LIBRARY		HV8148.D452 S36 c.2 	AVAILABLE
Michigan State University	MSU MAIN LIBRARY		HV8148.D452 S36 	AVAILABLE
Mid Michigan Comm College	[mcnf]		HV8148 .D452536 	AVAILABLE
Oakland University	Book, KL		HV8148.D452 S36 	AVAILABLE
Public Libraries--Saginaw	Hoyt R Michigan Room		363.2 Sch	NOT REQUESTABLE
Saginaw Valley State Univ	GENERAL COLL (3rd fl)		HV8148.D452 S36 	AVAILABLE

Next, select the library MeLCat should deliver the book to,

- Eastern Michigan University Library .
- Or, if it is on the list, your local public library where you have a library card.

Then click the **Submit** button.

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Which library card/account do you want to use?

Eastern Michigan Univ

Use menu to select delivery library

Submit above information


Next:

1. Type your name
2. Type your EMU E-number, for example: e00555555
3. Choose pickup location from the menu
 - o Halle Library
 - o Extended Ed Programs (only available to Distance Learning students)

Note to Distance Learning students:

If you select **Extended Ed Programs** as the pickup location, the EMU Library will receive the item and then send it to your home. You will need to pay for shipping the item back to the EMU Library.

If your local public library participates in MeLCat, it would be to your advantage to request items from MeLCat using your local library account. You will get the material faster, because EMU does not have to ship it to you, and you will return items to your local library rather than shipping them to EMU.



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MeL Login

Requesting **Detroit and the problem of order, 1830-1880 : a geography of crime, riot, and policing / John C. Sch**

Login with Library Account Information:

Type in your name

Please type your E-Number

Pickup Location:

After you submit your request, you will see a MeLCat confirmation screen similar to that below:

Your request for **Detroit and the problem of order, 1830-1880 : a geography of crime, riot, and policing / John C. Sch** was successful.

Item requested from **University of MI Dearborn**

Your request will be delivered to **Halle Library at Eastern Michigan Univ** when it is available.

4) Receive the item

If you selected Halle Library pickup you will be notified via email when the item is ready for you to pickup at the Library Circulation Desk.

5) Use MyMeL to check on your requests or renew an item

Use MyMeL to

- cancel your MeLCat request
- check the status of your request at any time
- renew an item you have checked out from MeLCat

Click on the **MyMeL** link at the top MeLCat page and log in with your library card name and number.



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If you would like more information about or assistance with MeLCat, please use one of the EMU Library's Ask A Librarian services.