ANTH 3360 Language Loss: Culture, Politics, Self   **Spring 2021**

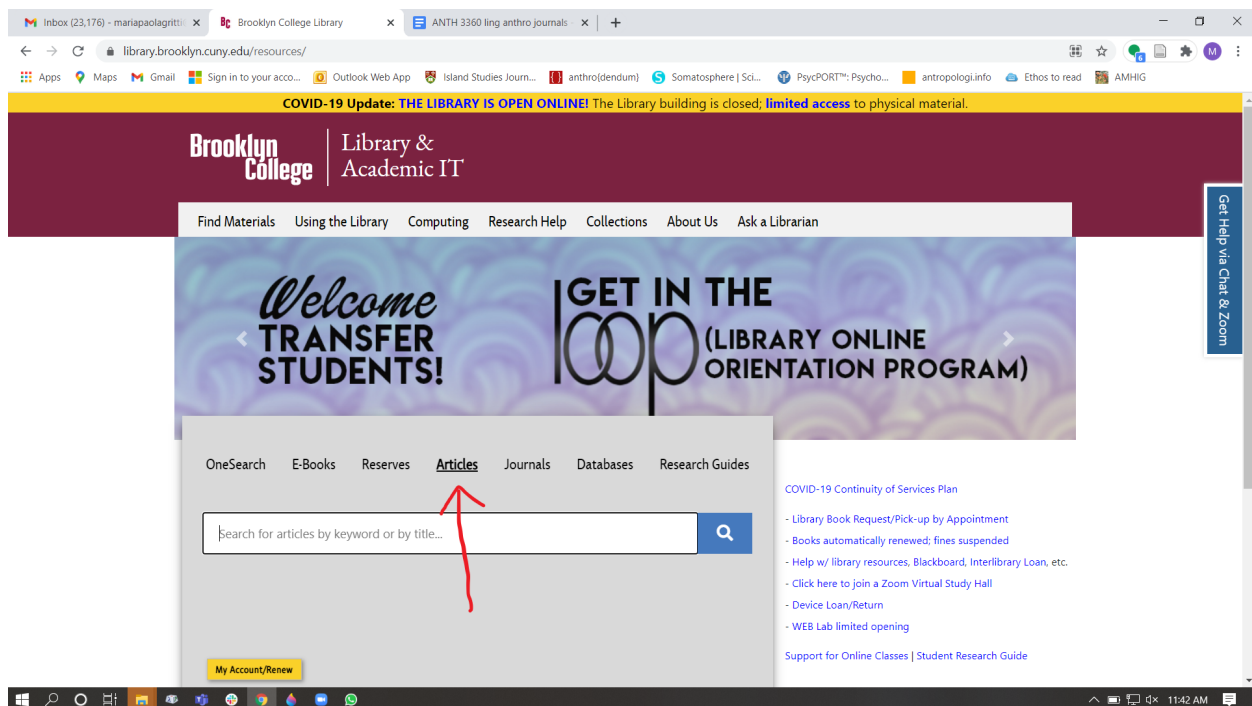For your **literature review paper** (**due 3/24**), you will have to:
- find 3 academic articles that are relevant to your project
- read them carefully
- think about how you can build on them (ex. some of the insights they present; some of the methods they use) to develop your project
- write a 3-page paper (double-spaced) in which you summarize each article *in your own words* and describe how you will be useful for your project

Please keep in mind that the 3 articles need to be academic articles, i.e. articles published in scholarly journals or other scholarly publications. Articles from non-academic online publications will not be acceptable.
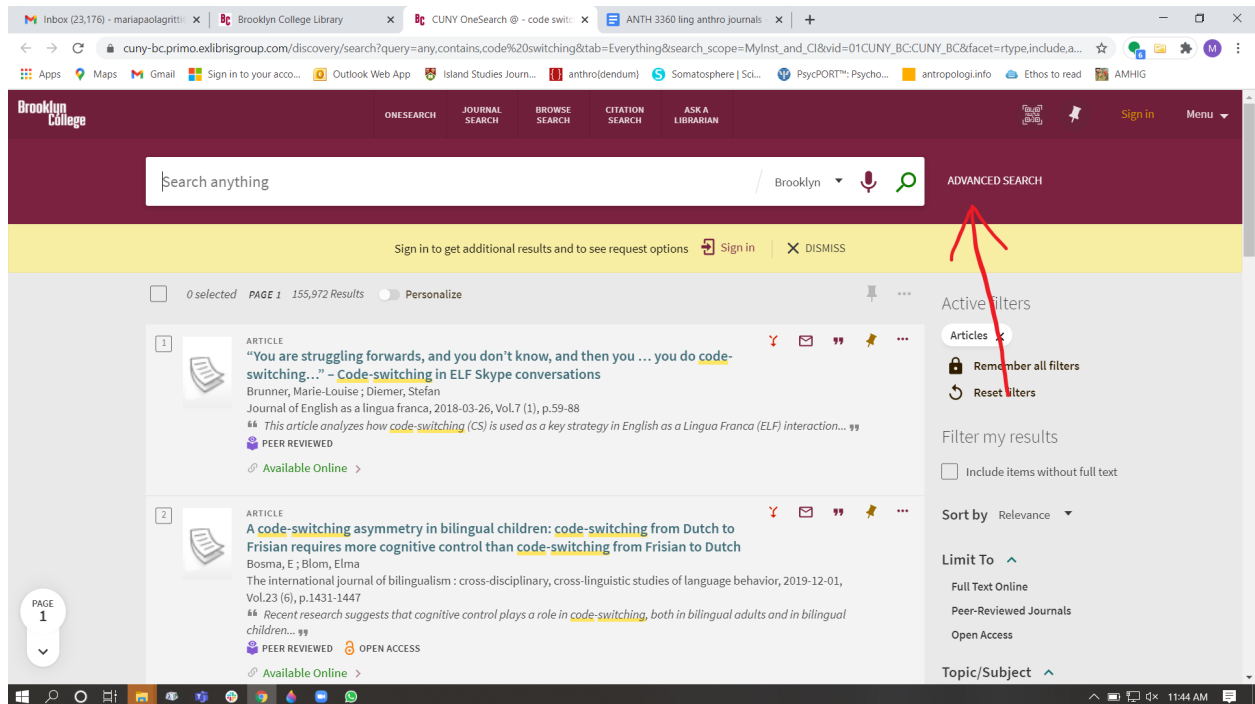You can easily find such sources through the BC Library website.

There are a couple of ways you can go about this. All start from the BC Library homepage: https://library.brooklyn.cuny.edu/resources/. From there, you can do way **(A) or (B) or (C)**. For most of you, the most effective way to search will probably be **(C)** below.

(A) From the homepage: https://library.brooklyn.cuny.edu/resources/ you can search by limiting your selection to **"Articles"**
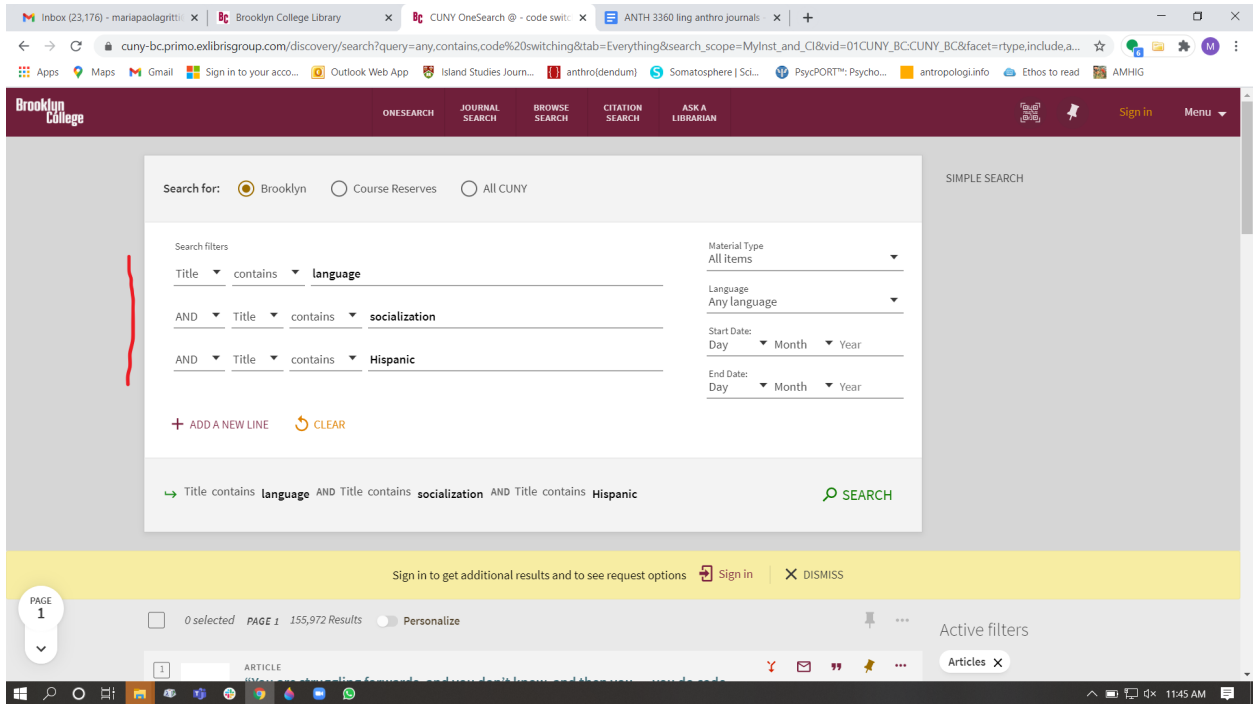

and inputting some key words in the search field (for example, a concept you will use, the community your project is about, the languages involved, linguistic processes you will explore).
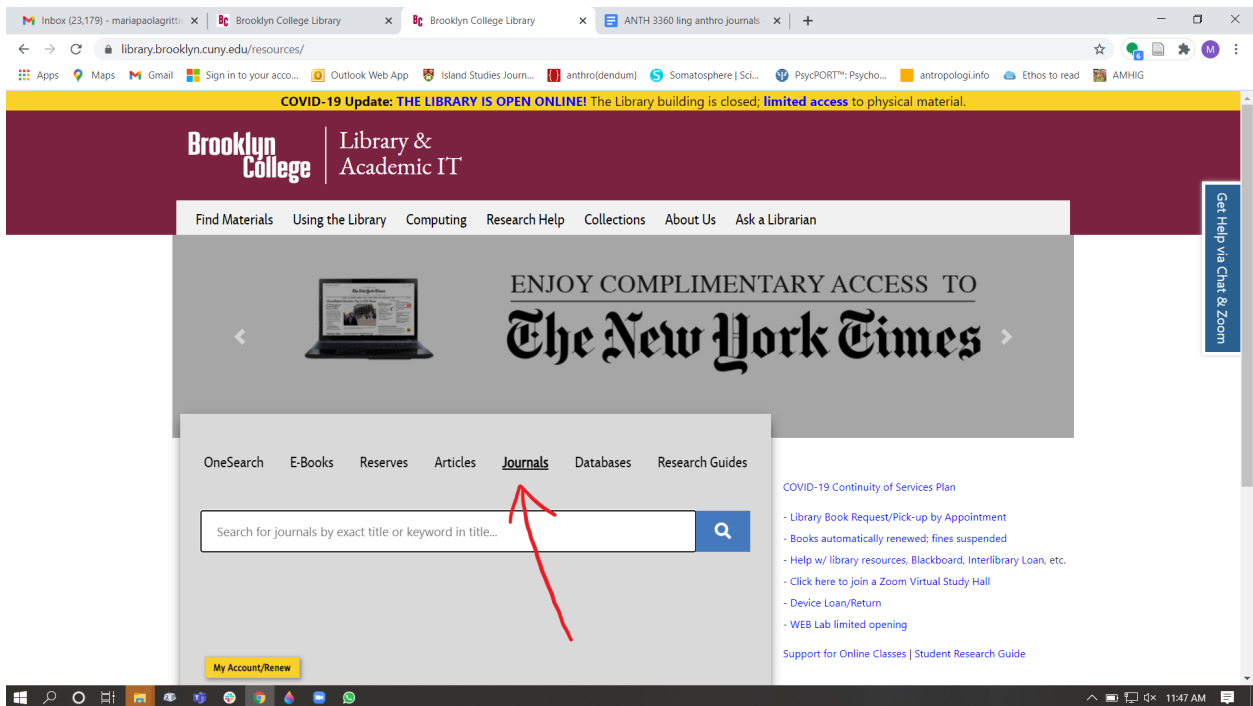
You can also refine your search through using the "Advanced Search" function (which is available on the next page, after you launch a simple general search). The "Advanced Search" function helps you identify more easily more directly relevant articles.
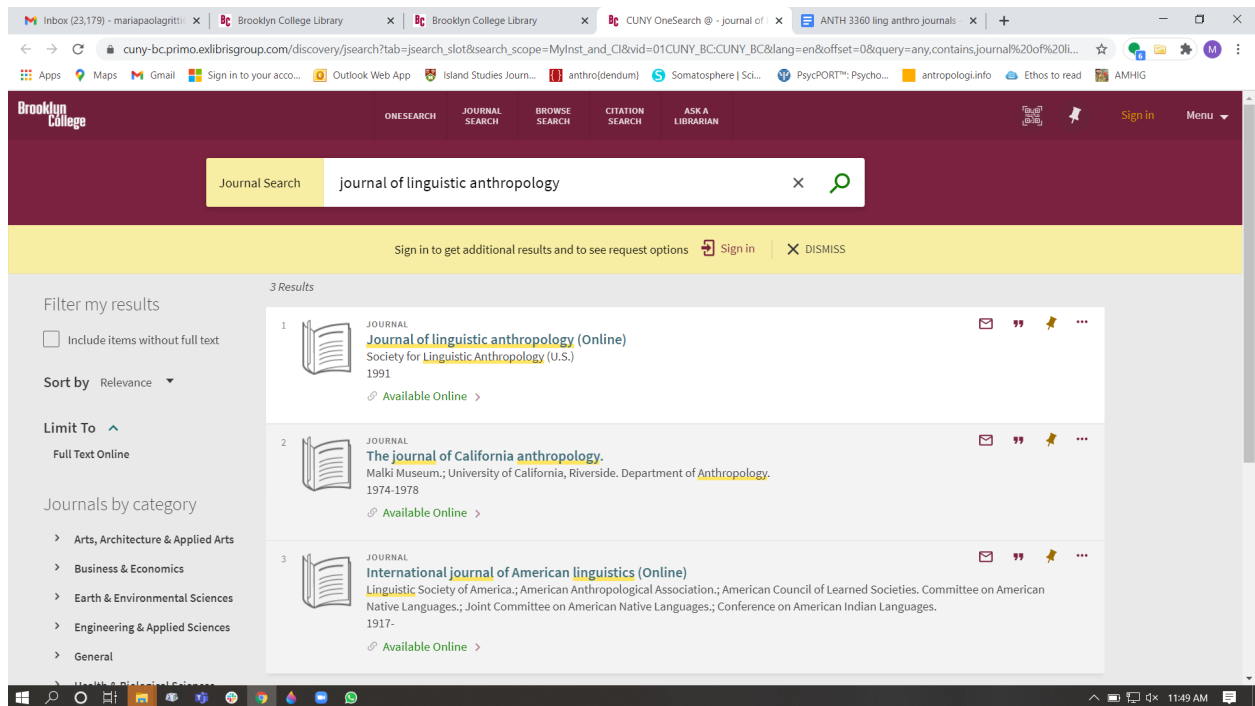

Example of an advanced search for articles with the three keywords "language," "socialization" and "Hispanic" in the titles:
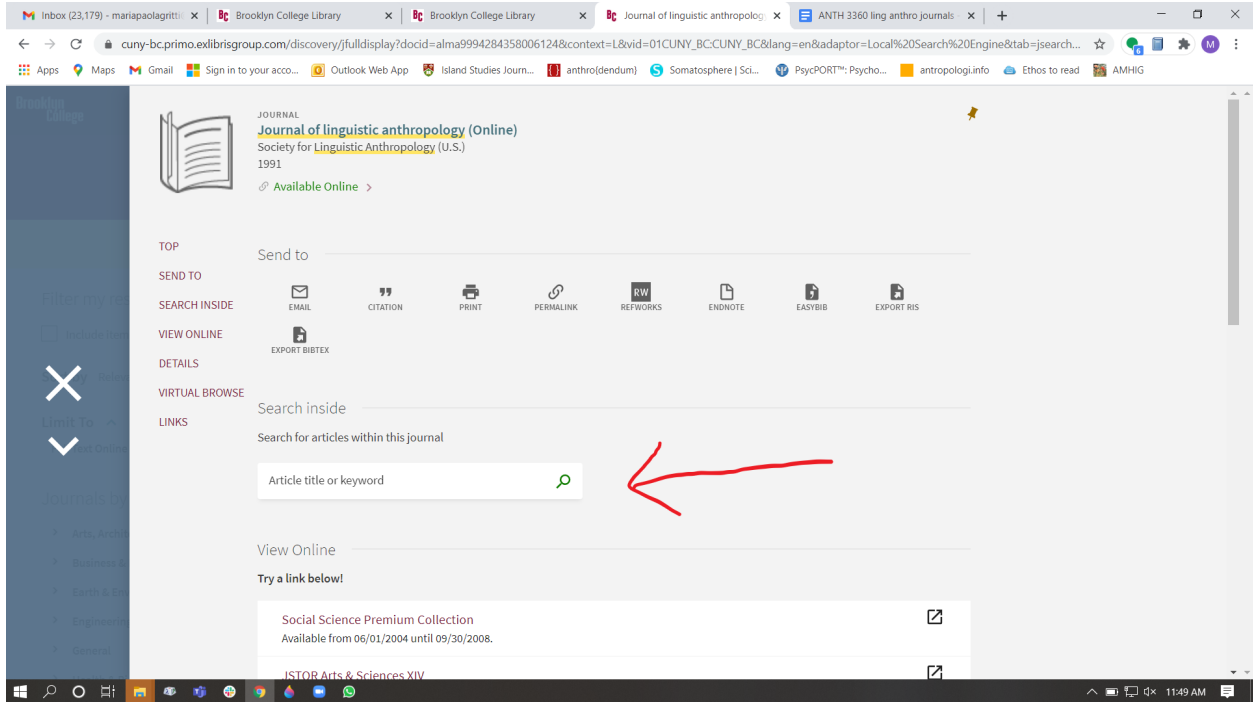
(B) From the BC homepage: https://library.brooklyn.cuny.edu/resources/ you can also search within specific scholarly journals. To do that you need to select the **"Journals"** search option, and then input the title of the journal.

This leads you to a page where you can search for relevant articles within all available issues of that journal. For example, here I searched for "Journal of Linguistic Anthropology":

After you click on the title of the journal you were looking for, you get a page with a search field. In the picture below, the arrow shows you where you can then input the keyword you want to search issues of that journal for:

Some key linguistic anthropology journals you could consider for your search include:
Journal of Linguistic Anthropology
Language and Communication
Pragmatics
Language in Society
Research on Language and Social Interaction
Discourse and Society
Anthropology & Education Quarterly
Annual Review of Applied Linguistics
International Journal of the Sociology of Language
Journal of Pragmatics
International Journal of Multilingualism

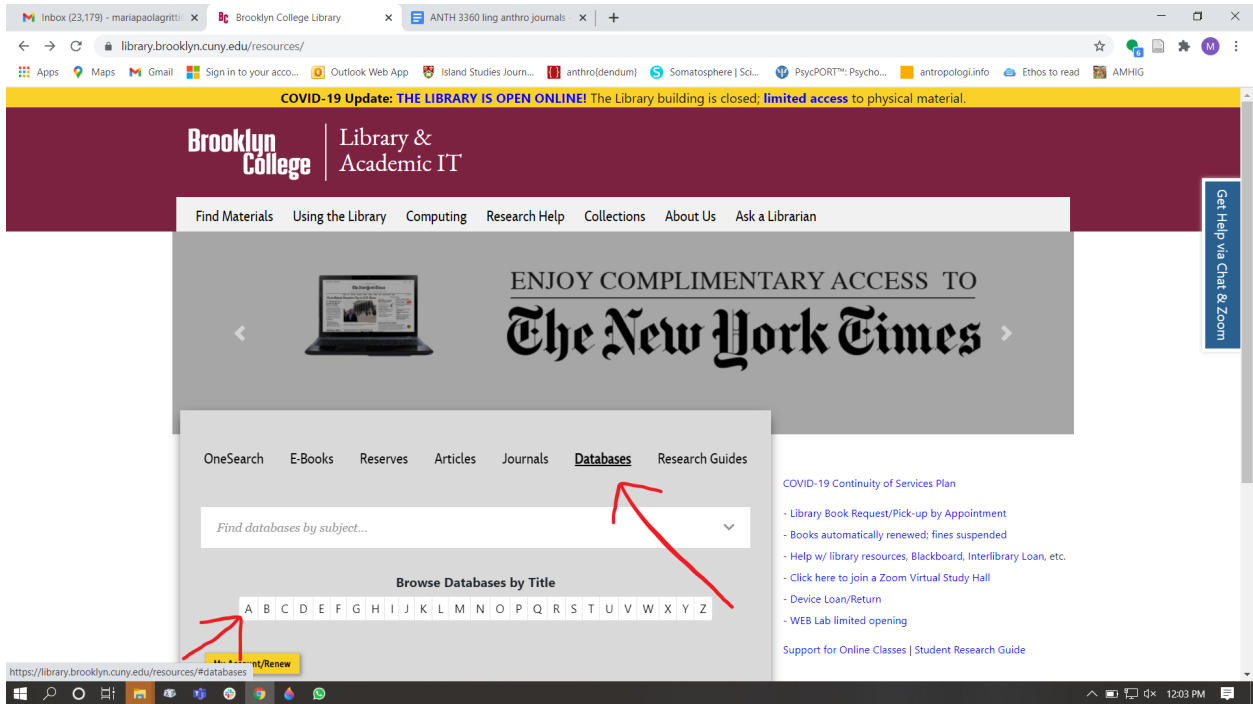Also the following 4-field journals will be useful (but easier via (C))
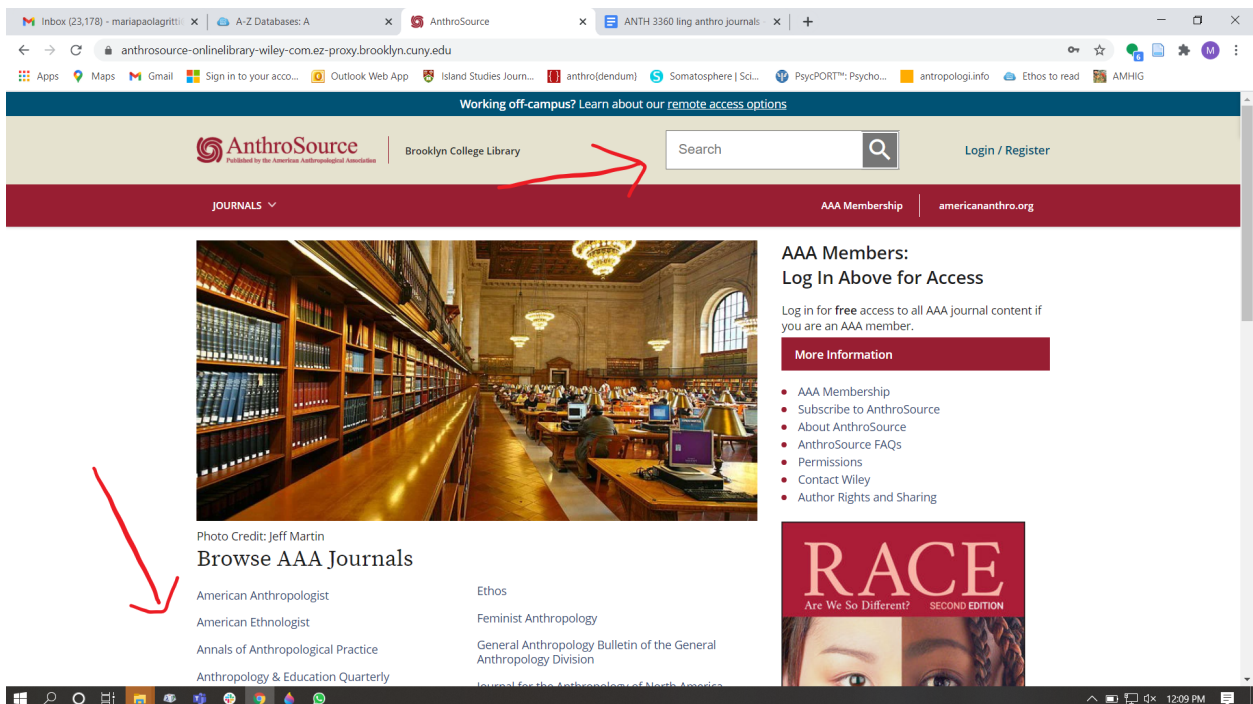*American Anthropologist*
American Ethnologist
Ethos
Annual Review of Anthropology

(C) From the library homepage: https://library.brooklyn.cuny.edu/resources/ you can also search within scholarly **databases**. For anthropology articles, **AnthroSearch** will be your choice. You will have to select "Databases" for the search and then click on "A" to get a list of all databases whose name begins by "A":

Here is the search interface in AnthroSource:

The top arrow shows you where you can search by keywords. The bottom one indicates the list of the single anthropology journals within which you can search. For the purposes of your project this semester, it's probably easiest and most effective to search from the search field,

including all anthropology journals in this database, as opposed to searching within specific single journals.