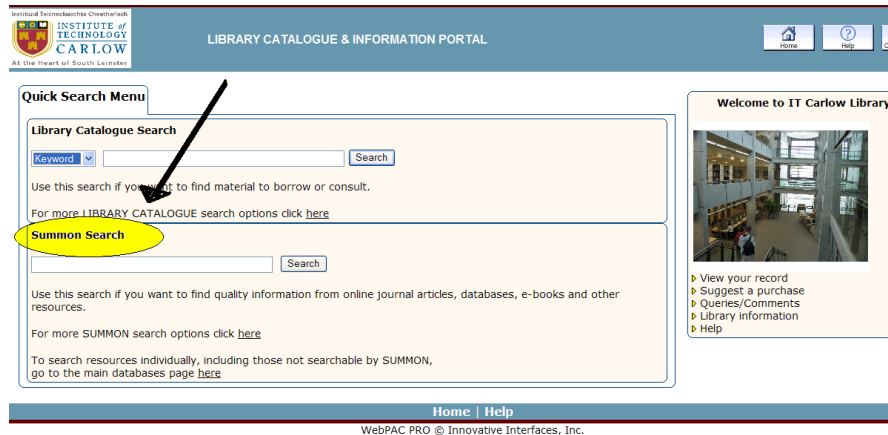


## How to access SUMMON

SUMMON can be accessed on the new-look library home page: <http://www.library.itcarlow.ie/>



SUMMON is also available at:  
<http://itcarlow.summon.serialssolutions.com/>

SUMMON supports the following browsers and phones: Explorer 6.0+, Firefox 3.0+, Safari 4.0+, Chrome (stable version), iPhone 2.0+, BlackBerry 8500+, Android 1.0+

SUMMON helpscreen can be found at:  
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...our new library search engine



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**SUMMON provides a Google-like search experience, allowing students to use one search box to discover credible and reliable content from the library's information resources.**

**SUMMON simultaneously searches most of the library databases, ejournals, ebooks AND the library catalogue.**

**SUMMON is the ideal starting point for undergraduate research. From the search results, it's just a couple of steps to the full text of articles or you can see if the book you want is on the library shelf.**

**SUMMON conveniently displays additional information within the results list, allowing for quick appraisal. This data includes abstracts, item location, online full text availability, and more.**

**SUMMON provides guidance for misspellings and prompts for search terms.**

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