

# The DART Europe E-theses Portal

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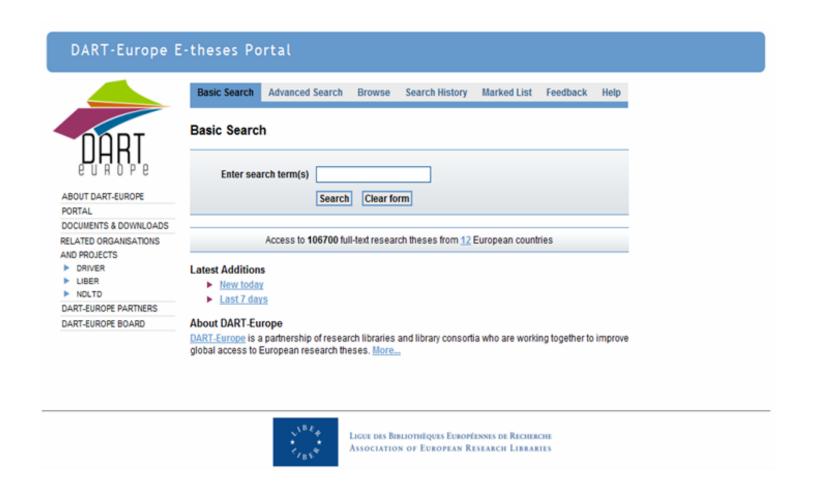


# A single gateway to Europe's E-theses

The DART-Europe E-theses Portal helps the discovery and delivery of the open access research theses stored in the institutional, consortial and national repositories of 12 European countries. The Portal has been created by the DART-Europe partnership, a network of research libraries and library consortia who are working together to improve global access to European electronic theses.



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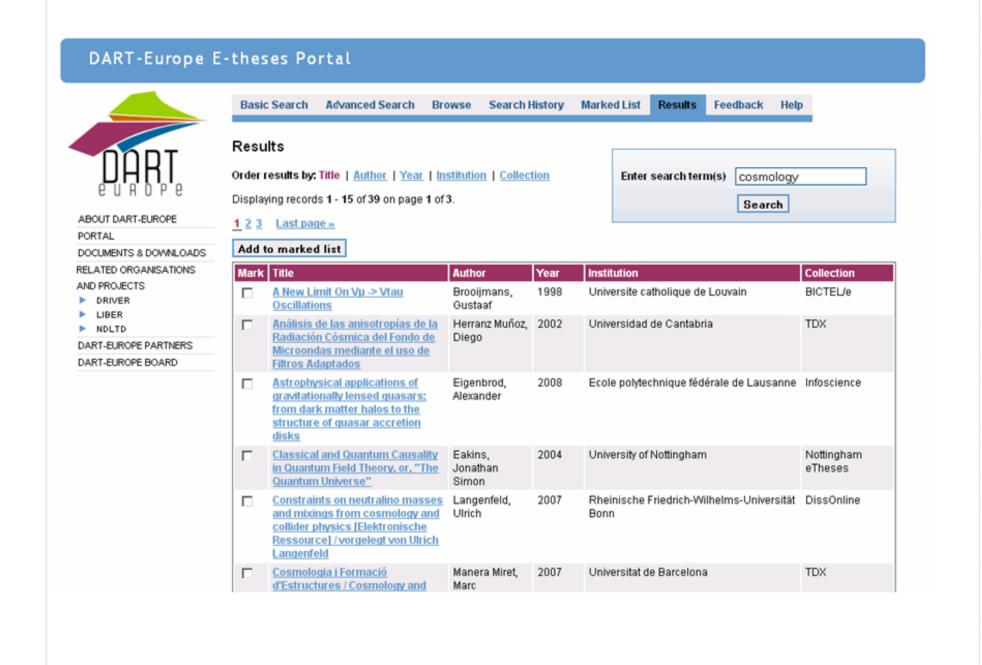


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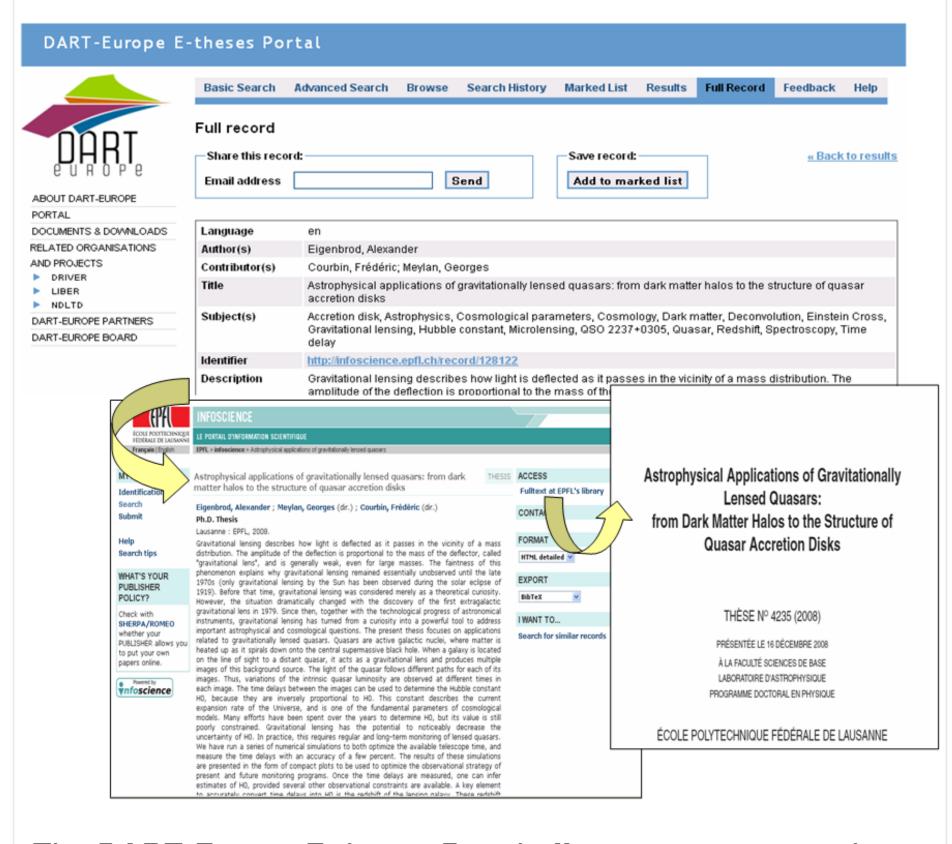
## **Coverage and features**

- ➤ Details of over 106,000 open access research theses
- > Theses from 12 European countries
- ➤ Awarded by over 160 European universities
- Updated daily
- > Boolean search, by author, title, abstract, keywords
- > Limit by date, country, university, provider, language
- > Browse by university, provider, author, country, date
- > Mark records for download
- > Search history
- > RSS feed for new content

## Search or browse to find e-theses...



## ...expand a record to access full text



The DART-Europe E-theses Portal offers easy access to the full text of Europe's research theses

## **Benefits**

For universities and consortia:

- > raised visibility for participating institutions
- > contributing metadata is easy and low-cost
- > membership of an effective networking organisation

#### For thesis authors:

- ➤ increased exposure for work
- > helps to introduce career-young academics to OA
- > helps to introduce the publishing community to authors

#### For researchers:

- > ready access to cutting-edge research
- > aggregation means one-stop quantity and convenience
- > Open Access means ready availability of theses

The DART-Europe E-theses Portal is good for researchers and good for research.

### How to contribute

DART-Europe is keen to expand the Portal's coverage of Europe's new research. The Portal uses OAI-PMH to collect metadata. Contributions from all European universities, national libraries and library consortia are welcomed.

For more details about contributing metadata to the DART-Europe E-theses Portal,

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