



## **Aggregation and Access of Open Access Content for Caribbean Libraries, Archives And Museum all under One Source: Worldcat**

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### **Abstract:**

Most librarian knows what WorldCat is all about and how great a resource it is for cataloguing and resource sharing. Many librarians do know that WorldCat is also a tremendous resource for reference purposes and one of the most used database in the academic realm. But, not many do know that WorldCat and OCLC's Central Index are probably the one source that contains the most open access content aggregated under one database on the market. From Hathi Trust to OAIster, these two repositories contain over 40+ millions of open access content under one roof. This presentation will do a complete review of the open access content currently available in WorldCat and the central index for Caribbean libraries and how to access this content free of charge.