



SLAV 148 Introduction to Slavic Folklore

Recommended reference sources & databases

Baba Yaga was riding in a mortar, using a pestle to urge it on, and sweeping away her tracks with a besom.
http://myths.e2bn.net/library/1157818026/babayaga_flying_teach.jpg

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Dictionaries & Encyclopedias

- Cassell Dictionary of Folklore / David Pickering
- Contemporary Authors
- Dictionary of Literary Biography
- Dictionary of Religion
- Encyclopedia of Cultures and Daily Life
- Encyclopedia of Folklore and Literature
- Encyclopedia of Religion and Society / William Swatos
- Encyclopedia of Religion / edited by Mircea Eliade
- Encyclopedia of Religion and Nature
- Encyclopedia of Religious Rites, Rituals and Festivals
- Encyclopedic dictionary of religion / edited by Paul Kevin Meagher
- Folklore: an Encyclopedia of Beliefs, Customs, Tales, Music and Art
- The Folklore of World Holidays
- The Greenwood Encyclopedia of World Folklore and Folklife
- Handbooks of Russian Literature (Victor Terras)
- Medieval Folklore
- Standard Dictionary of Folklore / Funk & Wagnall
- Worldmark Encyclopedia of Cultures and Daily Life (Timothy Gall)

Indexes

- Biography and Genealogy Master Index
- Biography Index

Subject specific databases

- American Bibliography of Slavic and East European Studies (scholarly)
- Historical Abstracts (scholarly)
- JSTOR (scholarly)
- Anthropology Plus (scholarly – some in English)
- MLA International bibliography (scholarly)
- eHRAF World Cultures (scholarly)
- Project Muse (scholarly, analytical)

Multi-subject databases

- Academic search premier (scholarly, analytical, and popular)
- Expanded Academic ASAP (scholarly, analytical, and popular)
- ProQuest Research Library (scholarly, analytical, and popular)
- Wilson Omnifile (scholarly, analytical, and popular)

Google Scholar

- How does it work? – Searches selected databases that KU pays for

Content on the WWW

- Folklorica: Journal of the Slavic and East European Folklore Association (SEEFA)
Enter topic i.e. *rusalka* followed by: [site:http://www.arts.ualberta.ca/SEEFA/](http://www.arts.ualberta.ca/SEEFA/)
- Oaister (<http://www.oaister.org/>)