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- **Regional Business News**
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Topics for these databases were chosen through careful analysis of the course offerings of colleges and universities with leading business, education and sociology programs. In addition, course offerings at 2-year colleges were evaluated and analyzed. Subject matter experts holding advanced degrees in their respective fields were consulted to ensure that the articles encompassed current trends and popular topics.

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- Race & Ethnicity
- Research Methods
- Sex, Gender & Sexuality
- Social Change
- Social Interaction in Groups & Organizations
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- Social Movements & Collective Behavior
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- Societies
- Society & Technology
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