



RefWorks I: Logging In and Access Details for Stanford

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Getting started: Logging In

1. Go to <http://www.refworks.com/>
2. Select **Login** from the middle toolbar, first option on the left.

RefWorks User Login for Stanford University

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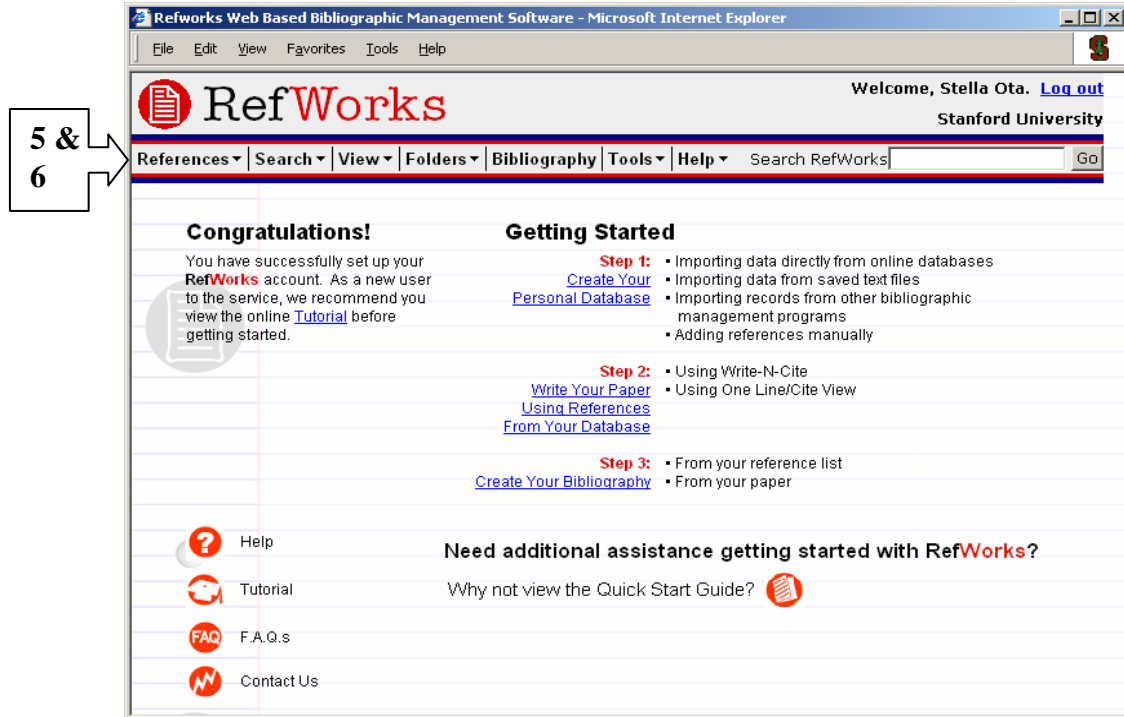
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3a. For a new account, select **Sign up for an individual account**

3b. If you have an account and need off-campus access, select **Login using your Group Code** and look for **User Login for Stanford University** before logging in

4. After creating a new account, the **Congratulations/Getting Started** window appears.



5. Navigate the RefWorks interface using the top toolbar.
6. Tip: the **Tutorial** under **Help** is offers quick Flash segments to get familiar with the interface.
7. After creating your account, you will receive an email with your login information and group code. If you have more than one account, all logins associated with your email address will be listed. You will receive this email again if you select **Forgot your login?** from the login screen.

Access to RefWorks at Stanford: Some Details

1. RefWorks is free for Stanford students, faculty, and staff. A campus-wide site-license is paid by Stanford University Libraries for RefWorks. Access is based on IP address.
2. As many accounts as desired may be created with no size limits per account, currently.
3. To collaborate with Stanford colleagues, share your references by creating a read-only password for your account (**Tools**, then **Update User Information**)
4. Login name, password, and group code are all encrypted by RefWorks
5. RefWorks is compatible with the following browsers: I.E. 5.0+, Netscape 6.0+, and Firefox 1.0+
6. RefWorks is compatible with the following word processors: Word for Windows 2000+, Word for Mac 98+, and programs that save files as RTF.
7. Write-N-Cite for PCs requires Microsoft Word 2000+, Windows 98, ME, NT, 2000, or XP, and I.E. 5.0+. Write-N-Cite for Macs requires Word for Mac98 and up, Mac OS X v10.3 or later; and any RefWorks-compatible browser.

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