

Profiles (Research Networking Software)

Home Page and Search Options



UMass Profiles
Research Networking Software



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The screenshot shows the UMass Profiles home page. At the top, there is a navigation bar with links for Home, About, Help, and History (0). A search bar is located on the right side of the navigation bar. Below the navigation bar, there is a login prompt: "Login to edit your profile (add a photo, awards, links to other websites, etc.)". The main content area is divided into several sections. On the left, there are "Profiles Stats" (54368 Publications, 3810 Total Profiles, 3536 Edited Profiles) and "Recent Updates" (Bruce Waslick, Nathaniel Jellinek). The central part of the page features two search options: "Find People" and "Find Everything". Below these are two search forms. The first is "Find people by keyword" with a text input field, a "Search for exact phrase" checkbox, and a "Search" button. The second is "Find people by name/organization" with fields for Last Name, First Name, Institution, Department, Faculty Type, and Other Options, along with checkboxes for "All except the one selected" and a "Search" button. On the right side, there are two lists of "Most viewed" terms: "Most viewed (today)" and "Most viewed (month)".

A The **Profiles menu** appears on all pages in the top of the page. Additional menu options will appear after you click on **Login** (under the menu). There is no login screen if you are already logged in with your UMass Chan login credentials.

B **Find Researchers using Demographic information:** The filters for Institution, Department, and Faculty Type are not hierarchical. If you choose a specific institution, and then look at the items in the drop-down list for department, the departments are not limited to those in the institution you selected. It will show all of the departments loaded in the database.

If an invalid combination of Institution, Department, and/or Faculty Type is selected, no profiles will be returned from the search.

C Keywords Search: Find researchers with interest in a particular area by searching with keywords and phrases. Profiles uses MeSH keywords from PubMed. You may also add specific keywords by editing your profile.

You may enter a keyword in the search criteria or you may click on a keyword shown on the right-hand side of the window. For example, if you click on *blood*, Profiles performs the same search as it would if you type it in the Keyword field.

Profiles RNS has a built-in list of synonyms so that what you type in the keyword search area does not have to be a MeSH term. For example, if you search for *cancer*, you will get publications that have the keyword *neoplasm*.

You can enter more than one search criterion; e.g., a keyword and a last name.

Click **Search** when you have entered all the search criteria.

D Keywords most viewed today (updated hourly) or this month (updated monthly)

Search Results (3)

E Sort Show [More Search Options](#)

Name	Institution
Kathryn Jayne Maier MD	University of Massachusetts Medical School
Jeffrey D Mailhot MD	University of Massachusetts Medical School
Bart L Main MD	University of Massachusetts Medical School

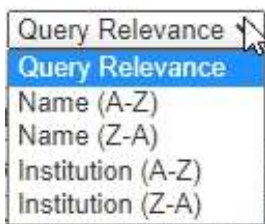
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E Search Results: You can sort your search results or choose columns to show.

Sort:



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