

What to Expect from the New EBSCOhost User Interface: 8 Key Points

By January 7, 2025, the new interface will have parity with classic EBSCOhost, plus will include new and enhanced features and functionality that improve the research experience. The updated interface has been reimagined based on customer feedback.

1. **Modern Software Platform** – The new interface, built on a modern platform, allows fast updates and agile responses to market demands, providing libraries with an enhanced research experience.
2. **Accessibility** – We enhanced our WCAG 2.1 AA conformance, ensuring the new interface is accessible to all users. These improvements, now built into the platform's core design, boosted the accessibility score from 43.03% to 92.12%. Additionally, we introduced text-to-speech (TTS) technology to further increase content accessibility.
3. **Globalization** – Provides users with a clean, in-language research journey, in 33 languages.
4. **Enhanced Filters** – The new filter design improves functionality with a streamlined panel, 'sticky' filters, and clear visual feedback, enhancing usability and reducing confusion.
5. **Database Limiters** – The UI features common and specialized limiters for both single and multi-database searches.
6. **Advanced Search Page Improvements** – Updates include a custom date picker and improved thesauri, subject headings, Meshi, and publication authorities. Admins can configure the default to the Advanced Search Page.
7. **Personalization (Dashboards, Saved Searches & Search Alerts)** – When signed in, users can access these items across the UI and in EBSCO Mobile. Features the ability to save, delete, create alerts, and add items to projects.
8. **Back-End Functionality** – Alongside the new user interface, library administrators can use EBSCO Experience Manager to configure their EBSCOhost user experience.

Helpful Resources and Links – We want your transition to the New EBSCOhost to be smooth. Here are helpful links to prepare you for the migration.

- [EBSCO New UI Roadmap](#)
- [EBSCOhost Transition Center](#)
- [EBSCOhost Quick Start Guide](#)
- [Global In-Person and Recorded Training Sessions](#)
- [EBSCOhost Transition Checklist](#)

EBSCOhost Profiles Set to Migrate to New Interface on January 7, 2025

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