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BAU Research Databases

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BAU databases are indexed in the [Research Database Index](#).

Searching all BAU holdings at once with a discovery system

When searching [BAU databases](#), the best place to start is [BAU Academic Search](#) (discovery system). This portal allows you to search the contents of all BAU databases¹ at once, plus the eBook collections of BAU Libraries.

Don't forget: to access BAU databases, you will need your BI UMIS credentials.

The screenshot shows the Berlin International Library website. At the top, there is a navigation bar with the logo "berlin international KLINGEMANN LIBRARY" and a "LOG IN TO YOUR ACCOUNT" button. Below the navigation bar is a search bar. Underneath the search bar are three buttons: "About us", "Advanced search", and "Latest News". A carousel of book covers is displayed, including "Construction and Design Manual Aquarium Buildings", "TWENTY MINUTES IN MANHATTAN" by Michael Sorkin, "EXPLORING NIGHTLIFE" edited by Jordi Hoque and Adam Eldridge, "30 Trees", and "LEADERSHIP from BAD to WORSE" by Barbara Kellerman. Below the carousel is the text "What are you searching for?". The main content area is divided into two sections: "Books" and "Articles / Research Databases". The "Articles" section has a search bar with "Bauhaus" entered and a "Search" button. A red arrow points from a red box with the number "1" to the search bar. The "Databases" section has a "Browse All Databases" button and a "Need help deciding which database?" section.

At this point, if you have not already signed into the BAU Proxy during your current session, you must log in with your UMIS credentials.

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL proxy.bau.edu.tr. The page is the library search interface for BAU (Barbaros Kültürhanesi). The search term 'bauhaus' is entered in the search bar. The results are sorted by relevance and show 15,013 results. The first result is a Wikipedia entry for Bauhaus. The second result is a journal article titled 'BAUHAUS' by Moore, Tyler, published in the Michigan quarterly review. The third result is an eBook titled 'Towards a New European Bauhaus—Challenges in Design Education: EAAE Annual Conference—Madrid 2022' by Lage, Manuel Blanco; Franck, Oya Atalay; Marine, Nicolas; More... The interface includes navigation links like 'Library Search', 'Summon Research Assistant', and 'Feedback Help', as well as filters and a 'More' button.

¹Well almost all... The following databases are not included in BAU Academic Search and must be searched individually:

- [Beck eBibliothek](#)
- [Beck Online](#)
- [INCITES Essential Science Indicators \(ESI\)](#)
- [Hukuk Türk](#)
- [InCites](#)

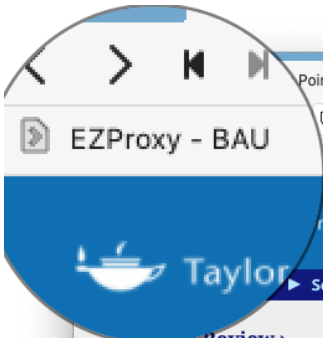
- Journal Citation Reports (Clarivate)
- Lexpera
- Oxford English Dictionary
- SciFinder
- ProQuest Dissertation & Thesis
- SciVal
- Statista
- Swisslex
- UpToDate

BAU EZProxy Bookmarklet

How it works

If you [search BAU databases directly](#), you are asked to provide login credentials to gain 'proxied' access to resources. In cases where you go directly to a publisher's site without having logged in ("proxied"), you will not be recognised as having access. For these cases, the EZProxy Browser Bookmarklet will allow you to log in without first going back to the BAU web site. A bookmarklet is like a browser extension but more lightweight and can be used on any browser that supports bookmarks, including mobile browsers.

Once added you will see **EZProxy - BAU** in your menu bar. Click on **EZProxy - BAU** and the proxy prefix is added to the URL and the work, if BAU has access, will be accessible.



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Introduction

Elyssa Gould's recent Sharpest Tool in the Shed column provides an overview of the current options for the authentication of electronic resources, including addressing developments such as OpenAthens and Resource Access for the 21st Century (RA21) (Gould, 2018). This edition of the Balance Point column will follow up on Gould's column, first defining the issue of identity federation, providing an update on the RA21 initiative, and delving more deeply into OpenAthens and one organization's implementation of the service. The column concludes with some discussion of user privacy.

Identity federation

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Installing the Bookmarklet

Installing the EZProxy bookmarklet varies depending on browser. In general, add the EZProxy link to an always visible Bookmarks or Favorites Toolbar, usually by dragging it into the toolbar. Below are specific instructions for some of the more common browsers.

Firefox

- From the View menu, choose "Toolbars" and "Bookmarks Toolbar" and "Always"
- Right-click on the Bookmarks Toolbar and select "Add Bookmark..." with the following code as the URL:

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javascript:void(location.href=%22http://proxy.bau.edu.tr:2048/login?url=%22+location.href)
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Chrome

- From the View menu, choose "Always Show Bookmarks Bar"
- Right-click on the Bookmarks Bar and select "Add Page..." with the following code as the URL:

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Mobile devices

Apple iOS devices iOS

- Select and copy this JavaScript code

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javascript:void(location.href=%22http://proxy.bau.edu.tr:2048/login?url=%22+location.href)
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- Open web browser on your device to any page and make a bookmark (it doesn't matter which one because the name and content will be edited). To make a bookmark tap the share icon on the page and choose "Add to Bookmarks".

- Edit the bookmark by tapping the bookmark icon and then Edit. From the Edit view, find the bookmark you made and tap the right arrow to edit
- Edit the name of the bookmark to **EZProxy - BAU** (or whatever works to describe the bookmark for you) and then paste the JavaScript code into the web address space (delete web address first). Choose Done to complete the process.
- The next time you're browsing a BAU-provided resource on your mobile device off-campus, simply click or tap the **EZProxy - BAU** bookmark you created to sign in for BAU-provided access to that resource.

Android devices



- Create a bookmark named **EZProxy - BAU** (or name of your choice) following all the steps described for iOS devices.
- For **non-Chrome Android mobile browsers**: click or tap the Proxy bookmark you created to sign in for BAU-provided access to the resource.
- for **Chrome mobile browser**: start typing the name of the bookmark in the address bar of the browser (e.g., start typing EZProxy - BAU if that is what you named it), then select the bookmark when it appears in the drop down menu to run it.

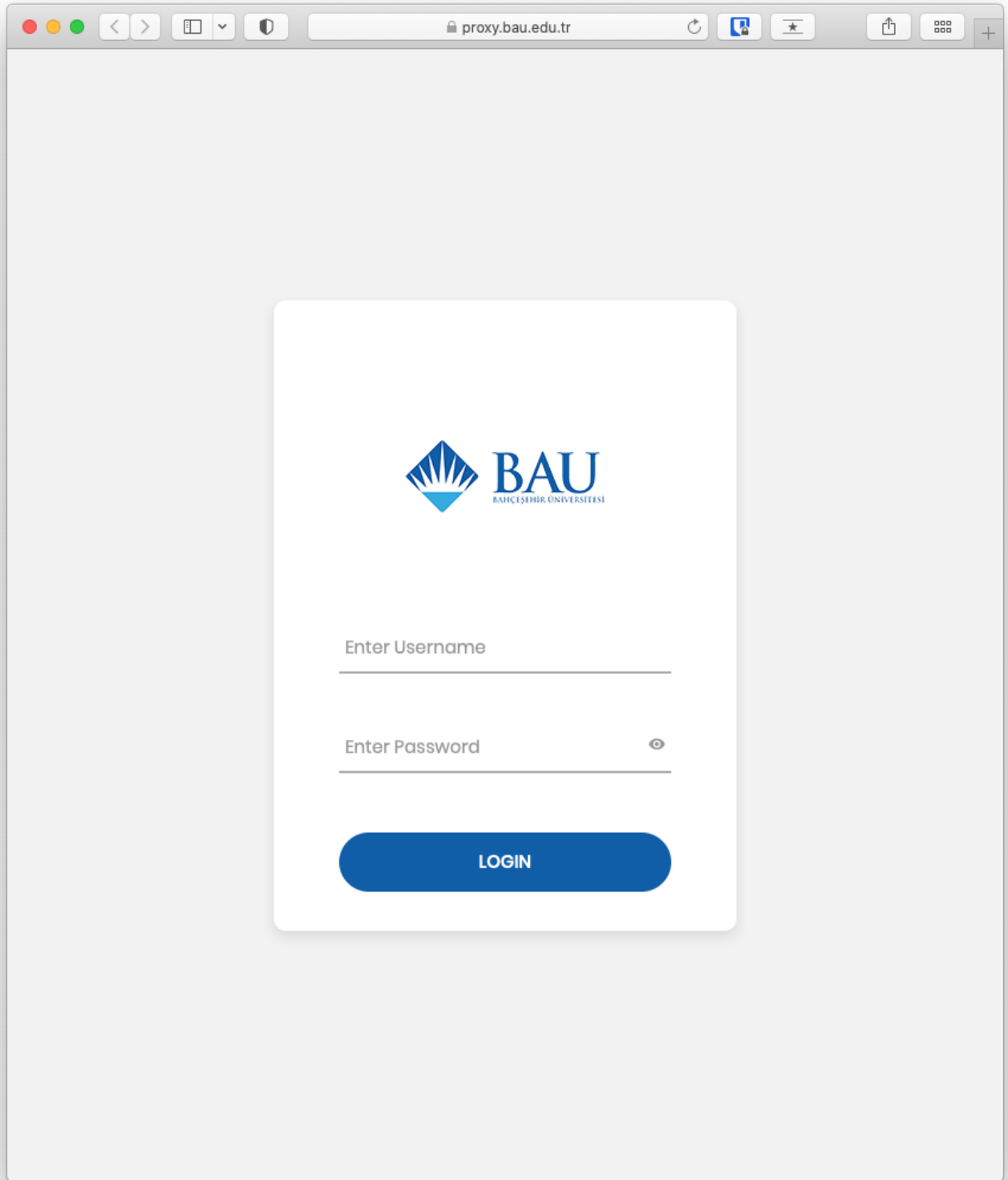
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For questions related to usernames and/or passwords, please contact [IT](#).

UMIS usernames are usually in the format: **firstname.surname**



If you are a staff member and don't have UMIS credentials, you can use your network / WLAN credentials.