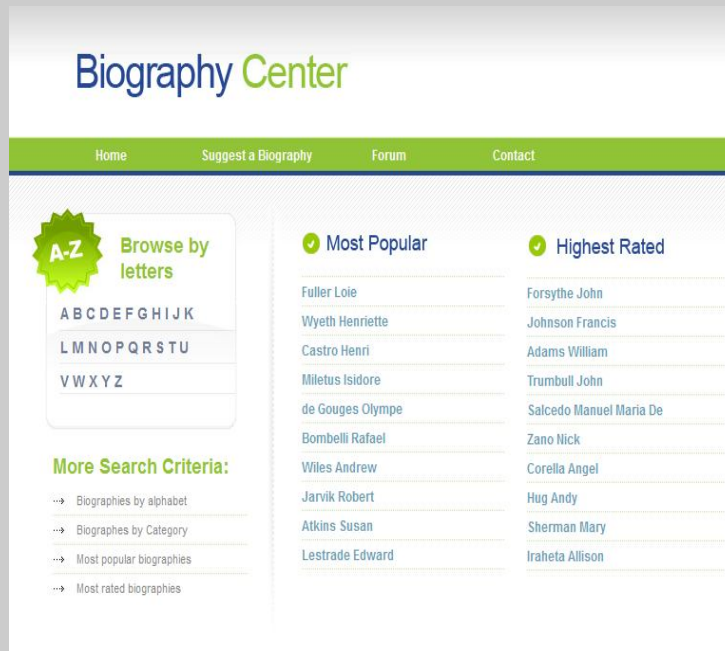


Home Page



Logo



URL

<http://www.biography-center.com/>

Subject

Biography - Dictionaries

Accessibility

Free

Language

English

Publisher

Biography Center

Brief History

The site was launched on January 11, 2000 and it is 16 years old. The biography-center.com server is hosted by GoDaddy.com, Inc. and is located in United States (Arizona). Copyright date is available here i.e. 1998-2016.

Scope and Coverage

Biography-center is a huge directory of biographies available on the Web. Biography-center indexes 31314 biographies. But many biographies are not provided except the names and these are open for correction. An example of such case is given below through print screen:



However, this biographical tool highlights most popular biographies (e.g. Fuller, Loie; Wyeth, Henriette; Castro, Henri etc.) and highest rated biographies (e.g. Forsythe, John; Johnson, Francis; Adams, William etc.) at its home page. This reference tool covers biographies of persons belonging to different strata of the society like Academics, Animators, Anthropologists, Historians, Lawyers, Musicians, Surgeons, Writers etc. Each category mentions the number of biographies it covers. For example there are 76 biographies on the category Poet.

Kind of Information

Biographical-Center includes the biography of both the dead and the alive. A particular entry consists of dates of birth and death (where applicable), qualifications, personal life, positions held, inventions, achievements etc. of a person.

Example: **George Boole** (1815 - 1864) Category (Mathematicians)

George Boole was the inventor behind the Boolean Algebra System which is a mathematical discovery that is built on the concept of two values. The original invention was based on mathematical logic. Boole is considered the mathematician that actually laid the groundwork for computer science, though he didn't know it because computers remained an unknown futuristic endeavor in Boole's day.

George Boole was born in 1815. His father earned a mediocre income as a tradesman. Boole's father taught him the early foundations of math but it wasn't until George Boole was a teenager that his true love and interest developed for mathematics.

When he was around sixteen years old, George Boole became an assistant-master at a private school in the United Kingdom. In 1849, he gained an appointment as a first professor at Queens College in Ireland.

In 1855, he married Miss Mary Everest. She would later write on various principles of the Boole theories. George Boole wrote numerous papers of his own. His writing resulted in over fifty papers as well as numerous articles for publication. Boole primarily wrote on mathematics because the study of mathematics was his life pursuit. However, he did possess a very strong understanding of literature.

George Boole was well thought of in his lifetime. He held his own integrity high and kept himself focused on the work at hand. He received an honorary degree of LL.D from the University of Dublin and earned a medal for his 1844 memoir from the Royal Society. George Boole died in 1864. George Boole's mathematical discoveries led to inventions and further discoveries including the language behind computer science.

Provision for suggesting a biography is also there which is represented through a print screen:

One can also suggest correction of any given information, by filling up the drop down box which appears by clicking “suggest a correction” button [\[suggest a correction\]](#) at the right side of every personality (as shown below):

Suggest the correction for this biography

If you have found any errors with this biography page, please let us know. Your email address will be completely confidential.

First name

Last name

Email

Suggestion

Submit

Special Features

- ❖ Forum option on Home Page provides different links to web hosting packages like Dedicated Hosting, Windows Hosting, Managed Hosting etc.
- ❖ Every entry also shows the amount of vote it has received in the shape of star marks. Provision of casting their votes for users is there.
- ❖ Provision for commenting on a particular biography is there in the form of links.

Arrangement Pattern

Biographies are arranged according to biographies by letter. Besides, there are so many browsing criteria. More browsing criteria include biographies by alphabet, biographies by category, most popular biographies (694 biographies), most rated biographies (3109 biographies).

Through some print screens the arrangement pattern is clearly represented below:

Alphabetical list of biographies with the surname of the persons coming first -

"A" - 820 Biographies Found

Browse by Letter : [A](#) [B](#) [C](#) [D](#) [E](#) [F](#) [G](#) [H](#) [I](#) [J](#) [K](#) [L](#) [M](#) [N](#) [O](#) [P](#) [Q](#) [R](#) [S](#) [T](#) [U](#) [V](#) [W](#) [X](#) [Y](#) [Z](#)

- [A Tom](#)
- [Aachen Hans von](#)
- [Aames Willie](#)
- [Aamodt Kjetil Andre](#)
- [Aaron Henry L.](#)
- [Aarons Ruth Hughes](#)
- [Aarskog Dagfinn](#)
- [Aase Jon Morton](#)
- [Abadie Joseph Louis IrÃ©nÃ©e Jean](#)
- [Abate NicolÃ² dell](#)
- [Abbado Claudio](#)
- [Abbat Agnes Dean](#)
- [Abbate Niccolò dell'](#)
- [Abbe Ernst](#)
- [Abbey Edwin Austin](#)
- [Abbot Helen Cecilia DeSilver](#)
- [Abbott Berenice](#)
- [Abbott Charles L.](#)
- [Abbott James A.](#)

Most popular biographies are arranged alphabetically but not in the alphabetic sequence within a particular letter (print screen shows that under alphabet “B”, all the persons with their surnames starting with “B” are arranged but not alphabetically).

"75" Most Popular Biographies Found

Browse by Letter : [A](#) [B](#) [C](#) [D](#) [E](#) [F](#) [G](#) [H](#) [I](#) [J](#) [K](#) [L](#) [M](#) [N](#) [O](#) [P](#) [Q](#) [R](#) [S](#) [T](#) [U](#) [V](#) [W](#) [X](#) [Y](#) [Z](#)

- [Bombelli Rafael](#)
- [Byrd William](#)
- [Bachmann Michele](#)
- [Brady St. Elmo](#)
- [Bachar John](#)
- [Beatles The](#)
- [Boole George](#)
- [Barnum Charlotte](#)
- [Black Joseph](#)
- [Bradley William \(Bill\)](#)
- [Barr Tara](#)
- [Bich Marcel](#)
- [Bose Amar](#)
- [Blash Herbie](#)

In case of categorical access to biographies, categories are arranged in alphabetical order. Biographies are arranged according to the categories like Academics (e.g Churchill, Ward; Anderson, Benedict, Fish, Stanley), Actor_ Actress (e.g. Ball, Lucille; Chan, Jackie; Clooney, George etc), Animators, Anthropologists etc. But the entries within categories are not arranged alphabetically. A print screen justifies this scenario.

"Actor_Actress" - 73 Biographies Found

Browse by Letter : A B C D E F G H I J K L M N O P Q R S T U V W X Y Z

- Ball Lucille
- Chan Jackie
- Clooney George
- Dafoe William
- Davis Bette
- D'Onofrio Vincent
- Fox Michael J.
- Lee Bruce
- Monroe Marilyn
- Pope Alexander
- Washington Denzel
- Willis Bruce
- DiCaprio Leonardo
- Bardot Brigitte
- Leigh Janet

Remarks

This is one of the important biographical reference sources. Category-wise arrangement is most helpful for easy access. But some limitations are there that are:

- no search box for searching
- difficult to retrieve the biography of the particular person
- scarcity of information within entries
- no picture is attached with the biography
- many biographies are not yet given (except the name).

Comparable Tools

- Bio.(<http://www.biography.com/>)
- S9.com biographical dictionary (<http://s9.com/>)

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