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This new edition of the best-selling book offers graduate students in education and the social sciences a road map to developing and writing an effective literature review for a research project, thesis, or dissertation. Organized around a proven six-step model and incorporating technology into all of the steps, the book provides examples, strategies, and exercises that take students step by step through the entire process:

- !Selecting a topic
- !Searching the literature
- !Developing arguments
- !Surveying the literature
- !Critiquing the literature
- !Writing the literature review

The second edition includes key vocabulary words, technology advice, and additional tips on when and how to write during the early stages\_including the use of journals and memoranda\_to make the literature review process a success.

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