



CU References Databases : Off-Campus Access



CU References Databases mainly subscribed by the Center of Academic Resources (CAR) is one of several online services through Chulalongkorn University Network (CUNet). A variety of information on academic topics under license agreement is provided for the CU members. They are current students, faculty, and staff of Chulalongkorn University. CU users are able to visit many of databases at <http://www.car.chula.ac.th/curef-db/>. For the use at home or outside campus access (off-campus), it is important that the user follow the guided actions hereinafter. Please consult at help@chula.ac.th when encountering connection problem with the CUNet.

Access CUNet from Outside Campus

Preparations

- PC running MS-Windows
- Modem
- Telephone line for modem connection
- Internet account (If not, please apply with the Chulalongkorn University Office of Information Technology - CUIT or download the application form at <http://www.it.chula.ac.th/document/ITFM4700-2-03.pdf>)

Stepwise Instructions and Options

1 - CUIT Internet Provider :

- Set up your PC running MS-Windows and telephone line connected with the modem. (For more information, please consult at <http://www.it.chula.ac.th/document/manual2005/pdf/manual2005.pdf>)
- Fill in User name and Password as obtained from CUIT. The format of User name (email-address) are as follows;
Staff : username@pioneer.netserv.chula.ac.th
Student: username@student.netserv.chula.ac.th
- Click on a dial button to connect CUNet as shown hereto.



You are prompt to visit the **CU Reference Databases** or other browsers under the university network when completing this page.

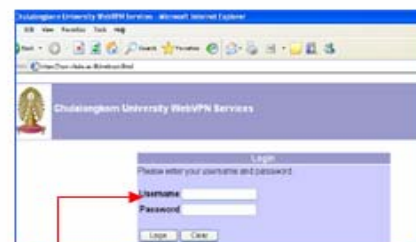
- Browse at URL : <http://www.car.chula.ac.th/curef-db/> for visiting the **CU Reference Databases** (see the below fig.), and for continued use of online databases available at this site.



2 - Hi-Speed Internet Provider - Other Internet Providers

2.1 With Virtual Private Network (VPN)

- Connect to the Internet option.
- Open the Web browser of <https://vpn.chula.ac.th> for getting CUNet services.
- Click on **Yes** button on the Security Alert page prior to Login page.
- Fill in User name and Password receiving from CUIT, then click on **Login** button as displayed.



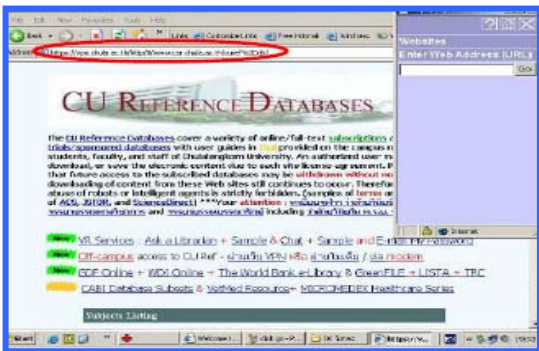
Staff : username@pioneer.netserv.chula.ac.th
Student: username@student.netserv.chula.ac.th

- For active User name and Password, CU homepage and VPN small page will be displayed for further log-in steps.



Unless the VPN page occurs, click a cursor on the CU page for re-browsing the VPN page.

- Type <http://www.car.chula.ac.th/curef-db/> at the address space of VPN page, then click on **Go** button (see right hand side fig.) for the access to the CU Reference Databases or the other online services. The format of Web address showing on the result page is <https://vpn.chula.ac.th/http/0/www.car.chula.ac.th/curef-db> as shown below.



If the VPN page cannot be browsed after a trial of cursor click on the CU page, directly types URL of VPN followed by URL of CU Reference Databases at the address area of the CU homepage. The said format is <https://vpn.chula.ac.th/http/0/www.car.chula.ac.th/curef-db>. The found page is the same as aforementioned.

2. 2 Without Virtual Private Network (VPN)

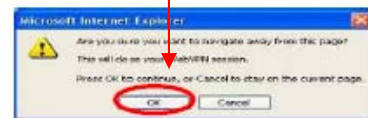
In case, visit the [CU Reference Databases](http://www.car.chula.ac.th/curef-db/) at <http://www.car.chula.ac.th/curef-db/> without prior access to <https://vpn.chula.ac.th>, you are often questioned for login or password, and not allowed for information retrieval or even viewing some databases, but possibly allowed for the other CUNet services .

Terminate CUNet with VPN Option

- Click on  button at the top right side of VPN page.



- Click on **OK** button to confirm the termination.



- Successful quit page is as the below figure displaying the options of reentry to CUNet, and of Web site termination.



- Return to CUNet, click on [Click here to log in again](#)
- Terminate Web session, click on [Click here to close the browser window](#)