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# How it's built

- Adobe ColdFusion
- Basic text editor
- CSS
- Microsoft Access and SQL
- Collaboration between IT and library

- The focus of the home page: a staff bulletin board

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of these as they can. While they may chew up a bit of precious space on our section fronts, they will more than make up for that by helping pay for our superb journalism.

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**Clean up time the Interns are coming**

**Name:** Sharon Lane **Date:** 6/1/2008, 2:33 PM  
**Email:** slane@seattletimes.com

If you sit next to an empty desk that you are using to store papers or extra stuff please clean up the area by Wednesday. The interns are coming next week and we need all of the available desks in the newsroom and the Containment area.

If you have boxes of papers that you would like stored please mark the date and the contents and Jeff Klima will find a storage place for them.

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**CLASSIFIEDS/PERSONALS**

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**Frame shop?**

**Name:** Pam Sitt **Date:** 6/3/2008, 9:09 AM  
**Email:** psitt@seattletimes.com

Can anyone recommend a good frame shop where I can get something custom-framed? By the way, I'm really going to miss the Today File.

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**Think car pool**

**Name:** Neena Pellegrini **Date:** 6/1/2008, 9:26 PM  
**Email:** npellegrini@seattletimes.com

Say hello or farewell ...again. There will be a party for Jerry Holloron and Rich Dilworth on Saturday, June 14, at my home in Tacoma. (Is that a collective groan I hear?) The bar opens at 6:30 p.m. If you'd like to contribute for retirement goodies, I'll be collecting your loose change to buy scratch lottery tickets for the boys. Who knows? They might get lucky. Message me for directions. Thanks

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- The left column provides links to news-gathering tools for reporters and editors

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Below the article is a section titled "Want more people to read your story?" dated 6/3/2008, 8:26 AM, written by Stanley Farrar (sfarrar@seattletimes.com). The text says: "First, they have to find it. The most important thing you can do to get more eyeballs to your story is to create a well-crafted Web summary for everything you

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- The right column provides links to administrative tools

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- The top bar links to newsroom department pages (Metro, Sports, etc.)

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# Planning and organizational tools on Cafe

- Story budgets
- A log of records requests
- Research requests
- Photo and graphics requests
- Staff lists

- Storyplan: Simple tool for planning stories days, weeks, even months in advance
- Lets everyone in the newsroom know what's coming

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http://cafe/storyplan/

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**STORYPLAN**

Wednesday, June 4

haq03m	Section:	Page:	Zone:
	Local	A1	None
<b>Deadline</b>	7 p.m. Jurors on Tuesday will resume deliberations in Naveed Haq's trial for the shootings at the Jewish Federation.		
<b>Reporter</b>	Natalie Singer		
<b>Editor</b>	de Leon		
<b>Length</b>	30		
<b>Graphics/photos</b>			
<b>Web elements</b>			
<b>Comments</b> iffy; depends on verdict. has two sidebars: haqside03m and haqtimeline03m			

eviction03m	Section:	Page:	Zone:
	Local	A1	None
<b>Deadline</b>	6 p.m. The notice came in early May, two days after her 99th birthday: Cordelia Robertson was going to be evicted. The assisted facility she loved, the place she called home for the last decade and where she had exhausted her life savings, was kicking her out, just like that. Robertson, who survived the Great Depression, raised four children, and buried a husband, hadn't broken the rules at Frontier House. Instead, she had been forced to enroll in Medicaid, the government program that funds health services for low-income people. And Frontier House, located in Sumner, was reducing its population of Medicaid patients. The crisis for the Robertson family, which had been brewing for months, is one of scores of such situations across Washington, according to Louise Ryan, the state's Long term care ombudsman. Elderly people who rely on government help to pay for their care are increasingly being told they have to move out of assisted living facilities. It's a problem that is expected to increase as these		
<b>Reporter</b>	maureen		
<b>Editor</b>	kim		
<b>Length</b>	18		

»Enter a new item

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Get budget for:

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- Photo and graphics request forms

Photo Request Form - Windows Internet Explorer

http://cafe/requests/photos.aspx

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Set Photo Request preferences

### Photo Request Form

Fields marked \* require an entry.

**DATE/TIME INFORMATION**

\* Slug

\* Assignment Date  Use calendar  to enter date

\* Time  00  p.m.

\* Exact date and time arranged?  Yes  No

**CONTACT/ASSIGNMENT INFORMATION**

Subject contact

\* Main Phone  Alternate   
(Format is 206-464-1234)

Who: Subject(s)

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Call News IT at  
x3333

- Submit a research request...

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- Encyclopedia Britannica (sign-in through SPL)
- NEW Poynter research tips
- Web references (fact-checking)
- Census 2000
- Legal Guide

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Katherine Long, research editor, 464-2219  
David Turim, researcher, 464-2238  
Miyoko Wolf, researcher, 464-8987

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- ...by filling out a form and hit “submit”

Research Request Form - Windows Internet Explorer

http://cafe/virtual\_library/whitecards/researchinsertforstaff.cfm

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Research Request Form

## Research request form

Your name:

Extension:

Short description:

Deadline:

*(Please enter the date and time when YOU need to receive the information in order to write your story.)*

**More about this request:**

**I need this today**  I need this tomorrow or later

Involves demographics, census or marketing information

Involves Seattle Times clips prior to 1985 (non-electronic clips)

Request details:

Submit Reset

- Everyone on research staff gets an e-mail...

The screenshot shows the Microsoft Outlook interface. The title bar reads "Deleted Items - Microsoft Outlook". The menu bar includes File, Edit, View, Go, Tools, Actions, and Help. The toolbar contains icons for New, Reply, Reply to All, Forward, Send/Receive, Find, and a search box. The left pane shows the "Mail" view with "Favorite Folders" (Inbox (5), Unread Mail, For Follow Up, Sent Items) and "All Mail Folders" (Mailbox - Katherine L., Deleted Items, Drafts, Inbox (5), FOIA (127), newslib (268), spam (394), Story ideas, Junk E-mail, NewsDesk, NewsDesk6, Outbox, Sent Items, Search Folders, Archive Folders, Deleted Items, Search Folders, Archive Folders).

The main pane displays the "Deleted Items" folder with a table of messages:

From	Subject	Received
Media Jobs	Fresh Media Industry Jobs	Thu 6/12/2008 9:13 AM
cafe@seattletimes.c...	Urgent Research Request 12	Thu 6/12/2008 9:12 AM
ZUHL, GREG	Lauren and Piano	Thu 6/12/2008 8:51 AM

The selected email is titled "Urgent Research Request 12" and is from "cafe@seattletimes.com". The body text reads:

You replied on 6/12/2008 9:43 AM.

To: News Library

Jim Brunner has submitted the following urgent research request:

WHEN RESEARCH IS NEEDED: 6/12/08

DESCRIPTION: Pechman reversals

DETAILS: I want to run a check on how often U.S. District Judge Marsha Pechman is reversed on appeal. I found some general tips on how to do this via Lexis at: <http://www.lexisnexis.com/infopro/zimmerman/disp.aspx?z=1594#FIN> But I am not sure that works. I don't need a great amount of detail, but for a profile of her it would be nice to say whether she is reversed often or rarely - and how that compares with the 'average' federal judge. (If possible.)

I'LL DO IT: [http://cafe/virtual\\_library/whitecards/researchUpdate.cfm?requestID=482](http://cafe/virtual_library/whitecards/researchUpdate.cfm?requestID=482)

The status bar at the bottom shows "910 Items" and "Online".

- Click on link in e-mail to update

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## Update a research request

**Researcher:** Miyoko, passed on to KLong

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**Requester:** Jim Brunner

**Deadline:** 6/12/08

[Click here to delete this item from the database](#)

Local intranet 100%



- Library requests are saved on a page researchers can use to track their work

Research Requests - Windows Internet Explorer

http://cafe/virtual\_library/whitecards/research.cfm

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Research Requests

## Research Planning Page [New entry](#) [New white card](#) [Library only](#)

[Short description of Tuskegee Airmen and anything on Weldon K. Groves, one of the airmen](#)

**URGENT**

Researcher: david for obit.  
 Requester: cbrown , ext. 2206  
 Deadline: asap  
 Request date: 05/20/2008

[photo](#)

Researcher: Miyoko, Actually, I'm seeking a photo that may or may not be in the photo forwarding to photo archives -- not sure if this is the route to go, but it's a picture of former city councilman Wing Luke as a young servicemen along with three or four of his siblings in the family laundry in the University District. It ran in a major daily around the mid 1940s, when Wing was forced to come back to Seattle on furlough to help relocated his family, which had been evicted by their landlord for basically being Asian....

Requester: Marc Ramirez , ext. 8102  
 Deadline: 5/19  
 Request date: 05/14/2008

[state payroll information](#)

Researcher: I'm working on an election story about how much money Gregoire has spent since taking office. One thing I want to look at is how much pay has increased for her staff compared to when Locke was in office. Any chance somebody could do a run in the next few days on the payroll database and pull the information from 1997 to the latest date available for the governor's office and the state office of financial management? Maybe the state AG's office as well for comparison?

Requester: Andrew Garber , ext. 360-236-8268  
 Deadline:  
 Request date: 05/09/2008

[I need a wash. state figure on the ethnicity of manicurists for a story; i plopped a graph where i w](#)

**URGENT**

Researcher: gene These days, it's hard to meet a manicurist who isn't Vietnamese.  
 Requester: Ann Hart , ext. 3104 In California, Vietnamese Americans make up an estimated 80 percent of nail technicians, according to the industry's trade publication. Nationwide, it's 43 percent.  
 Deadline: i want to run story in tomorrow's paper, so tonih

- Log of requests we make for public records

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<b>Agency:</b> Bellevue Police Department	Pending	<a href="#">UPDATE</a>
<b>Date submitted:</b> Aug. 3, 2007		
<b>Reporter:</b> Ken Armstrong		
<b>Story:</b> Football		
<b>Description:</b> Records pertaining to OB and BN.		
<b>Agency:</b> Bellevue Police Department	Completed	<a href="#">UPDATE</a>
<b>Date submitted:</b> Apr. 12, 2007		
<b>Reporter:</b> Ken Armstrong		
<b>Story:</b> Story re/ football player (please see me for details)		
<b>Description:</b> Records pertaining to four different cases, as well as records pertaining to times that police have been called to a particular address.		
<b>Notes:</b> Received immediate response (on same day, 4/12) from Ms. Kyle Aiken, saying it will take her one week to respond - that is, to gather the records and to determine which ones, if any, are exempt from disclosure. (NOTE: Bellevue PD collected these records and had them ready by 4/16 - two business days after the request was submitted. And the request was somewhat involved - so kudos to the BPD.)		
<b>Date agency completed request:</b> 4/16/2007		
<b>Agency:</b> Cheney Police Department	Completed	<a href="#">UPDATE</a>
<b>Date submitted:</b> Apr. 12, 2007		
<b>Reporter:</b> Danny O'Neil		
<b>Story:</b> Story re football player (check with me or Ken Armstrong for details)		
<b>Description:</b> E-mailed PDA request to Cynthia Niemeier, city clerk, for all records relating to a traffic citation and any other investigative reports, supplementary reports or witness statements.		
<b>Notes:</b> Statement of request received sent on April 17. Four-page court file FAXed on May 1. Hard copy to be mailed. Still looking for copy of actual traffic citation. Cost: .60.		

- Staff directory

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## STAFF DIRECTORY

Do not give home numbers to anyone other than news staff. If there is an emergency, call the individual and relay it.

Click on a name for details, or to make changes or corrections

- Make a printout of the phone list
  - Match a face to a name
  - See where people live
    - See who's new

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Name	Ext.	Cell	Nextel	Home/Unlisted?	Other/notes
AKINS, Mark	8994			425-868-9845	
ALBERTSON, Jeffrey	2304	206-240-9736		206-240-9736	
ALLEN, Percy	2278	206-898-1474		206-708-7339	
ALLISON, Melissa	3312	206/818-0164		206/322-7321	
AL-SHIBIBI, Agnes	2763			206-365-5512	X
Alvarez, Genevieve	5802	707-481-8545			
ANDERSON, Greg	2933	206-948-7020		206-935-7020	X
ANDRISEVIC, Kathy	2283	206-423-6158	548	206-285-3738	
ARMSTRONG, Ken	3730	206-683-5904		206-283-9475	
AVERILL, Judy	8252	206-724-3452		206-524-7245	X
BAILEY, Marilyn	3120			425-828-3879	
BAKER, Geoff	8286	206-892-8458		206-420-1785	
BALK, Gene	206-515-5052	206-218-3620		206-218-3620	Home phone is cell phone
BALTER, Joni	2240	206-713-5101		206-725-3175	
Banerji (Raymond), Amanda	8798	253-732-6288			email: amanda@banerji.net; AIM: nwsart; text cell phone
BANNER, Ellen	515-5084	206-510-4015	28	206-244-6457	(msg) 206-515-5084
BARTLETT, BJ - Robert	515-5647	520-909-9510		206-283-0927	
BARTLEY, Nancy	8522	206-423-5914	484	253-874-1155	x 509-996-2470 (in Methow)
Bassin, Will	2282				
BATES, Jim	8131	206-510-3208	19	425-488-3279	

- Staffers can update their own profiles, so staff lists are always up-to-date

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# Database lookups

- Voter registration
- Driver licenses (from 1997)
- County, city, state and school payrolls
- Index of state Superior Court cases
- Complaints filed against health-care practitioners
- Consumer complaints filed with state Attorney General's office
- Blood alcohol readings from state patrol stops

- Some databases are updated yearly, some more frequently
- Others are offshoots of stories

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## DATABASES ON CAFE

Database	Dates	Description
Alaska fishing crew licenses	1992-2001	Alaska commercial fishing crew licenses
Blood Alcohol tests	2000 to March 2008	BAC data from the state patrol
Consumer complaints	1999-2005	Consumer complaints filed with the Wa. Atty. General's office
Death records	1980-2006	Wa. deaths
Divorce records	1991-2002	Wa. divorce records
Drivers	1997	All licensed drivers in Wa.
Health care complaints	1990-2005	Complaints filed against health-care practitioners
King County employee payroll	2007	King County payroll
King County property	Quarterly	Property records
Marriage records	1991-2002	Wa. marriage records
Retirement system	1998	Wa. employees participating in state retirement system
School employee payroll	2006-07	Wa. public/private school payroll
School payroll archive	1992-2005	School employee archive
Seattle employee payroll	2006	City of Seattle payroll
Superior Court cases	1997 to the present	Index of disposed cases in Wa. superior courts
Voter registration	2007	All voters registered in Wa.
Wa. employee payroll	2007	Wa. state payroll

- Most useful:  
voter  
database

Washington Voter Registration - Windows Internet Explorer

http://cafe/cafedata/wavoters/search.cfm

Washington Voter Registration

## Washington Voter Registration

This database contains registered voters statewide. We got this from the Secretary of State's Office. It is current as of **June 2007**.

### Search by name

Last name

First (or initial)

City (optional)

County (optional)

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### Search by address

House number

Street name  (Name only: "29" not "29th Ave S")

City (optional)

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- Search by name...

Washington Registered Voters - Windows Internet Explorer

http://cafe/cafedata/wavoters/Results.CFM

## Washington Registered Voters

Found 9 results, sorted by name.  
Click on name for more details.  
Click on the address to see others at that address.

Name	DOB	Address	City	County
<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM A</a>	04/18/1947	<a href="#">24708 142ND AVE SE</a>	KENT	KING
<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM C</a>	10/26/1943	<a href="#">226 OMAK RIVER RD</a>	OMAK	OKANOGAN
<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM C B</a>	01/19/1947	<a href="#">19324 SE 342ND ST</a>	AUBURN	KING
<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM DALE JR</a>	05/25/1952	<a href="#">10856 SE 319TH ST</a>	AUBURN	KING
<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM H JR</a>	11/30/1925	<a href="#">5161 NE 41ST ST</a>	SEATTLE	KING
<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM H</a>	10/28/1955	<a href="#">7400 NE 18TH ST</a>	MEDINA	KING
<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM S</a>	03/06/1966	<a href="#">10912 NE HAZEL DELL AVE</a>	VANCOUVER	CLARK
<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM T IV</a>	01/19/1975	<a href="#">8800 20TH AVE NE APT B106</a>	SEATTLE	KING
<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM T III</a>	09/29/1944	<a href="#">514 SW 331ST ST</a>	FEDERAL WAY	KING

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- Results include address, birth date and sometimes a phone number or SSN.

Washington Registered Voters - Windows Internet Explorer

http://cafe/cafedata/wavoters/Detail.CFM?VOTERS\_voterid=WA003236771

Washington Registered Voters

## Washington Registered Voters

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The results below are from the most recent voter registration database. If you would like to run this name through some of our older voter registration databases, click on the name. The older databases sometimes contain social security numbers.

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[GATES, WILLIAM H](#)  
7400 NE 18TH ST  
MEDINA, 98039

Birthdate: 10/28/1955  
Sex: **Male**  
County: **KING**  
Last voted: 11/07/2006  
Registered since: 08/12/1976  
Absentee indicator: P  
Cong. dist: 8  
Leg. dist: 48  
Precinct: 746  
Status: A

http://182.251.121.15/wavoters/RESULTSold.CFM?addrsearch=N8&times03\_\_last=GATES&times03\_\_first=WILLIAM&times03\_\_

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- ...or follow the address...

Washington Voters - Windows Internet Explorer

http://182.251.121.15/wavoters/RESULTSold.CFM?addrsearch=N&stimes03\_last=GATES&stimes03\_first=WILLIAM&stimes

Washington Voters

## SEARCH RESULTS

### Washington Voters

Found 9 results, sorted by city and name.  
 Click on name for more details.  
 Click on the address to see others at that address.  
 Click on the phone to see others with same phone number.

City	Name	Address	County	Phone
AUBURN	<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM H</a>	<a href="#">4205 AUBURN WAY S TRLR 30, 980</a>	KING	<a href="#">2537352854</a>
AUBURN	<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM DALE</a>	<a href="#">10856 SE 319TH ST, 98092-3006</a>	KING	<a href="#">2537352854</a>
AUBURN	<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM CHESTER</a>	<a href="#">19324 SE 342ND ST, 98092-2620</a>	KING	<a href="#">2539318918</a>
FEDERAL WAY	<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM T</a>	<a href="#">514 SW 331ST ST, 98023-6162</a>	KING	
FEDERAL WAY	<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM T IV</a>	<a href="#">514 SW 331ST ST, 98023-6162</a>	KING	
KENT	<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM A</a>	<a href="#">24708 142ND AVE SE, 98042-5152</a>	KING	<a href="#">2536317771</a>
MEDINA	<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM H</a>	<a href="#">7400 NE 18TH ST, 98039-2314</a>	KING	
OMAK	<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM C</a>	<a href="#">226 OMAK RIVER RD, 98841-9673</a>	OKANOGAN	<a href="#">5098265007</a>
SEATTLE	<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM H JR</a>	<a href="#">5161 NE 41ST ST, 98105-4955</a>	KING	<a href="#">2065275444</a>

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- ...and find out who else lives there

The screenshot shows a Windows Internet Explorer browser window. The address bar contains the URL: [http://182.251.121.15/wavoters/RESULTSold.CFM?addrsearch=A&times03\\_\\_city=MEDINA&times03\\_\\_zipplus=&times03\\_\\_](http://182.251.121.15/wavoters/RESULTSold.CFM?addrsearch=A&times03__city=MEDINA&times03__zipplus=&times03__). The page title is "Washington Voters". The main heading is "SEARCH RESULTS" in a large, bold, serif font. Below it, the sub-heading "Washington Voters" is in a smaller, bold, serif font. The text reads: "Found 2 results, sorted by city and name. Click on name for more details. Click on the address to see others at that address. Click on the phone to see others with same phone number." Below this is a table with five columns: City, Name, Address, County, and Phone. The table contains two rows of data. The first row shows "MEDINA" for City, "[GATES, MELINDA FRENCH](#)" for Name, "[7400 NE 18TH ST, 98039-2314](#)" for Address, and "KING" for County. The second row shows "MEDINA" for City, "[GATES, WILLIAM H](#)" for Name, "[7400 NE 18TH ST, 98039-2314](#)" for Address, and "KING" for County. The status bar at the bottom shows "Done" and "Internet" with a 100% zoom level.

City	Name	Address	County	Phone
MEDINA	<a href="#">GATES, MELINDA FRENCH</a>	<a href="#">7400 NE 18TH ST, 98039-2314</a>	KING	
MEDINA	<a href="#">GATES, WILLIAM H</a>	<a href="#">7400 NE 18TH ST, 98039-2314</a>	KING	

# Guides and toolkits

- How to find people
- How to look up a court case
- Guides to open records

- How to do people lookups

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## FIND PEOPLE

*Click here for a checklist when doing a comprehensive background search*

### Find phone numbers or addresses

- **Look them up in the phone book.** Check the Seattle Times library for copies of out-of-state and rural telephone books.
- **MERLIN** - an online lookup with a national phone directory that is updated frequently.
- **More ways to find phone numbers**

### Find birthdates, verify information

- **VOTER REGISTRATION** (some phone numbers, some birthdates)
- **DRIVER'S LICENSES** (this database does NOT give you a phone number and has not been updated since 1997)
- **PROPERTY RECORDS**
  - [King County](#) property records on Cafe (or [King County on the Web](#))
  - [Snohomish County](#) property records
  - [Pierce County](#) property records
- **More backgrounding ideas**

### Criminal checks

- **ONLINE LOCATIONS** (formerly [Northwest Locations](#)) for state criminal background checks
- **Internal SCOMIS** (state superior court) - limited to five years of cases
- **External SCOMIS** - unlimited; ask library for help if you've never used this.
- **Washington Courts online** - an easy-to-use SCOMIS alternative
- **Seattle Municipal Court cases online**
- **Vehicle Search** - Seattle Municipal Court license plate search of cars whose drivers have had moving violations

**Other sources**

- How to look up court cases

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## LOOKING UP STATE AND FEDERAL COURT CASES

Quick links:

- [OnlineSearches.com](#) (formerly [Northwest Locations](#)) - external link. Easy way to check for Washington state criminal charges in all Superior Courts in Washington at once
- [Washington Courts case lookup](#) - A simple statewide database of court records.
- [Cafe database of SCOMIS cases](#) - Our own Superior Court database containing criminal conviction records from 1997 to roughly the present.
- [Online SCOMIS/JIS](#) - external link to state Superior Court/District Court system. This is the most up-to-date, thorough source of court records.
- [Washington State Patrol](#) - the WSP criminal history records (WATCH) system costs \$10 per lookup. You'll need a credit card. A good option on nights and weekends, if you don't know SCOMIS.
- [King County ECR - NEW](#) - External link to King County Superior Court records. Criminal, civil and probate court cases from Nov. 1, 2004 to the present. Includes actual court filings. Requires a case number - you cannot search by name. Use Online Locations first.
- [Pierce County Superior Court](#): See news library for information about looking case filings, including actual court documents, from Pierce County Superior Court
- [Seattle Municipal Court cases online](#) - A simple search for finding basic information on Seattle Municipal Court cases, including traffic violations. Also gives middle name and date of birth. Note that Seattle muni cases are indexed on DISCIS but you have to use this to get the results.
- [Seattle Municipal vehicle search](#) - Seattle Municipal Court license plate search of cars whose drivers have had moving violations
- [Idaho state courts](#) - Goes back to 1995. The site seems to suggest that you need a birthdate, but it also seems to work without one.
- [PACER](#) - U.S. District, Bankruptcy and Appellate Court records
- [State Court of Appeals and State Supreme Court opinions](#)
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**Payrolls, marriage/divorce, medical professionals, domestic partnerships**

- Payroll database  
Seattle, King County, Washington State payrolls
- Public school employee database for the 2005-06 school year
- Marriage/divorce records  
From 1991 to 2002.
- King County records  
These documents include land records, marriage documents, surveys, excise tax affidavits and general documents filed with the King County Recorder's Office.
- Washington State Retirement System database
- Health-care practitioner database - complaints and disciplinary charges involving 57 health professions, from registered counselors to doctors, licensed by the Washington Department of Health
- Domestic partnerships registered by the state

**Consumer issues**

- Attorney General's Consumer Complaint Index

**Find the dead**

- Washington death records  
This database, from the WA State Department of Health - Center for Health Statistics, goes back to 1980.
- Paid death notices on the Web  
You can search for paid death notices on the SeattleTimes.com Web page - a little faster than the one above, but it only goes back 12 months.
- Social Security death index  
Many genealogy Web sites give you access to an index of dead Americans with Social Security

- Open records guides

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## OPEN RECORDS/ OPEN MEETING LAWS

### Washington state laws

There are four Web sites that document the state's open meetings/records laws, each with a slightly different twist:

[Seattle Times Newsroom Legal Guide](#)  
A comprehensive guide on the state open records/open meetings law, this guide also covers access to meetings and records of the federal government, prior restraints or gag orders, courtroom closure and sealing court records, defamation, invasion of privacy, subpoenas and search warrants.

**Access**  
SPJ no longer publishes an electronic version of the indispensable guidebook to Washington's open records and open meetings law. Copies are available in the Seattle Times library.

[Open Government Internet Manual](#)  
The Washington State Attorney General's site is intended to "help clarify provisions of the law"

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### Seattle Times public records guide

This [Seattle Times Record Guide](#) by Duff Wilson and many others suggests lots of records, with detailed descriptions on how to get them.

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### Public Records request form letters

- **Form letter for federal records.**This opens a Word document in your browser window with Seattle Times letterhead stationery and the text of a FOIA request. Type over the gray areas and hit "print".
- **Form letter for state/local records.**This opens a Word document in your browser window with Seattle Times letterhead stationery and the correct FOIA for requesting documents from state officials. Use this for

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For Wednesday:

- If it looks like you're reading the state wire in today's local section, it's because we ended up with 27 (!) columns to fill. Yikes.
- Mount Rainier hikers are supposed to be airlifted out as early as 5 a.m.
- Still need a reporter for the Hatch obit.
- Teen arson suspects should be charged Wednesday.
- Left four messages for the bicycling teacher who was stranded on the pass Monday night with his students. Is he worth trying again Wednesday? Will anyone still care?
- Did anyone check on why the TVs were out today? I assumed someone did, but I might have been wrong. Couldn't watch any of the newscasts, but checked sites regularly. Someone should put a call in to whoever the cable company is if they're still out Wednesday.

For Tuesday:

- A few scattered outages tonight ... should check in the morning. Presumably because of all the wind, but they were saying "unknown causes" tonight.
- Fire department in Lynden said they'd have 6-8 crews there overnight and were dealing with major flare-ups as of 10 p.m. still. AP said 4-alarm, but he said that's not true, so don't fix to theirs in the morning.
- Can someone do the Hatch obit so it doesn't fall to the night reporter?

For Monday:

1. Homeless people who did the campout last night at City Hall were planning to stall traffic in front of City Hall at 9:30 this morning in an act of civil disobedience. I've alerted Carrie on the photo desk and she was gonna tell the morning photo ed. Early reporter should folo.
2. Other state file in the ... in an address out of ... where ... she said she was ...

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- Staff-maintained database of soldiers killed in Iraq war

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This list includes the names of all soldiers and civilian contractors killed in the "war on terror" since 9/11/2001, who listed Washington as their home state, or else were based at a Washington military post before their deployment. Names with a checkmark next to them have very strong local connections. The AP database of Iraq war dead -- which includes the total number of all soldiers who have died in the war and its aftermath -- is [nrcdata.ap.org/casualties/](http://nrcdata.ap.org/casualties/). The username is **casualty** and the password is **2005battle** (case-sensitive). Also try [nrcdata.ap.org/afghancasualties/](http://nrcdata.ap.org/afghancasualties/) for casualties in Afghanistan - same username and password.

You may also want to check names in this database against the database kept at [Historylink.org](http://Historylink.org)

288 individuals are listed in this database.

Local Name	Death date	Location	Service	Home town
Prosser, Brian Cody	12/05/2001	Afghanistan	Army	Clarksville, Tenn
Chapman, Nathan, R.	01/04/2002	Afghanistan	Army	Puyallup, WA
Hays, Nathan P.	01/09/2002	Pakistan	Marines	Wilbur, Lincoln County, WA
Allison, Thomas Ferrell	02/22/2002	Philippines	Army	Tacoma, WA
✓ Bruns, Cedric E.	05/09/2003	Iraq	Marine Corps Reserves	Vancouver, WA
Burkhardt, Travis Lee	06/06/2003	Iraq	Army	Edina, MO
✓ Hebert, Justin W.	08/01/2003	Iraq	Army	Arlington, WA
✓ Longstreth, Duane E.	08/07/2003	Iraq	Army	Tacoma, WA
✓ Scott, Kerry D.	10/06/2003	Iraq	Army	Mount Vernon, WA
Johnson, John P	10/22/2003	Iraq	Army	Houston, TX
✓ Colgan, Benjamin J.	11/01/2003	Iraq	Army Reserves	Kent, WA
✓ Benson, Robert T.	11/04/2003	Iraq	Army	Spokane, WA
Blessing, Jay A.	11/14/2003	Afghanistan	Army	Tacoma, WA
✓ Sullivan, John R.	11/15/2003	Iraq	Army	Countryside, Ill, IL
✓ Shull, James A.	11/17/2003	Iraq	Army	Kamiah, Idaho, ID
Rirkenstaff, Joseph M.	12/08/2003	Iran	Army	Corvallis, Ore., OR

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### POPULATION


World rank by size: 1

World population: 1,306,313,812

Population of people born in China in Seattle metro area (2004 census estimate): 25,409 *excludes Taiwan and Hong Kong*

Puget Sound rank (2000 estimate) compared to other foreign-born residents: 6

*Note: for the most updated information, call the Times library*



### COUNTRY FACTS

CIA World Factbook: Maps and current political information

**Major religions:** Daoist (Taoist), Buddhist, Muslim 1%-2%, Christian 3%-4% note: officially atheist (2002 est.)

**Major languages spoken:** Standard Chinese or Mandarin (Putonghua, based on the Beijing dialect), Yue (Cantonese), Wu (Shanghaiese), Minbei (Fuzhou), Minnan (Hokkien-Taiwanese), Xiang, Gan, Hakka dialects, minority languages

**National holidays:** Anniversary of the Founding of the People's Republic of China, 1 October

**Cultural tips:** Chinese names are written with the family name first. For example, in the name Wu Rongnan, the surname is Wu.

### LOCAL RESOURCES

**Local media:** Northwest Asian Weekly. Back issues available in Seattle Times library.

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### BACHMAN, David

**AFFILIATION(S):** Professor, University of Washington; vice president, Washington State China Relations Council

**PHONE:** 206-685-1945

**EMAIL:** dbachman@u.washington.edu

**ADDRESS:** (university)

**EXPERTISE:** Politics **OTHER EXPERTISE:** economy **RANK:** 5

**NOTES:** Dr. Bachman is a great source for China politics, foreign policy, economy and U.S.-China relations. He's super articulate and thinks like a journalist.

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### BORICH, Joseph

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**PHONE:** 206-441-4419

**EMAIL:**

**ADDRESS:** 2200 Alaskan Way, Suite 440 (world trade center)

**EXPERTISE:** Business **OTHER EXPERTISE:** Politics, U.S.-China relations **RANK:** 5

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**DEAR-JOSSY, Almuht**

**COUNTRY:** Brazil

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**EXPERTISE:** Business **RANK:** 5

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