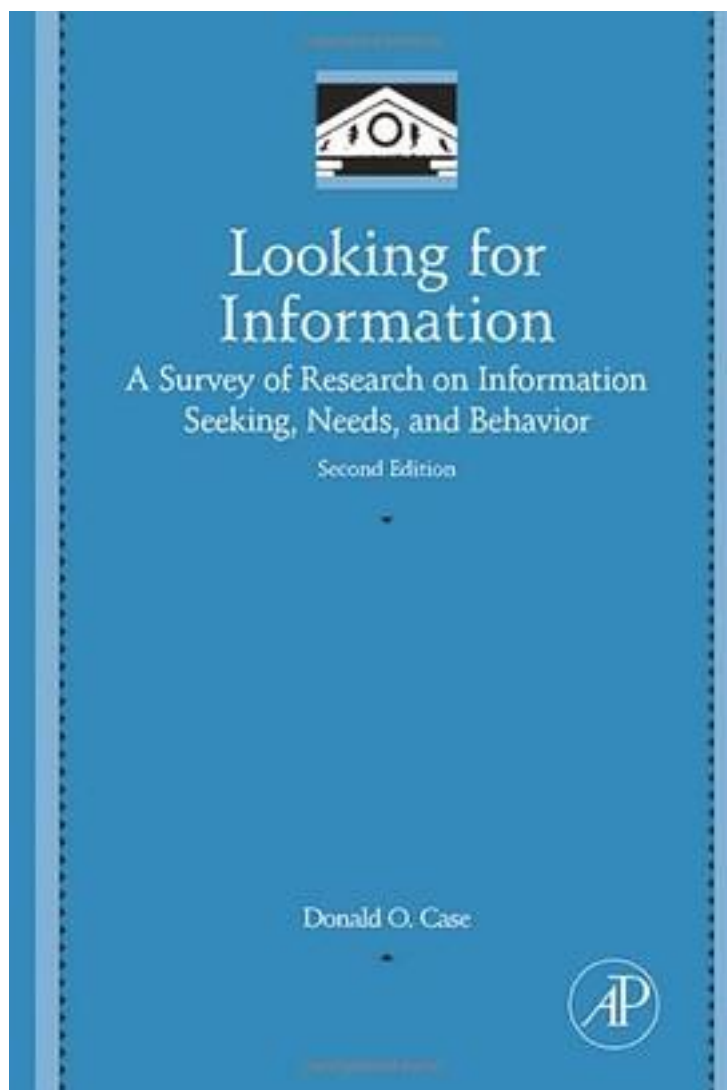# Looking for Information

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"Looking for Information" explores human information seeking and use. It provides examples of methods, models and theories used in information behavior research, and reviews more than four decades of research on the topic. The book should prove useful for scholars in related fields, but also for students at the graduate and advanced undergraduate levels. It is intended for use not only in information studies and communication, but also in the disciplines of education, management, business, medicine, nursing, public health, and social work. This second editon of "Looking for Information" reflects a vastly increased literature on the topic of information behavior.Among the additions are over 400 new citations to relevant works, most of which appeared between March, 2002, and January, 2006. Many new studies are described in the section reviewing research findings (Chapters Eleven and Twelve), Chapter Nines examples of methods, and a widely expanded discussion of theories applied in information behavior research (Chapter Seven). This title reviews over 1,100 works - 60 per cent more than the first edition. It adds many new studies conducted from 2002 to 2006. It provides expanded coverage of models and theories of information behavior. It includes many new examples of occupations and roles - the contexts of information seeking.

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来补标一个。读这本书的初衷不是为了研究information seeking behavior，而是借information seeking behavior快速入门一些偏社会学的research methods，所以我看的时候重点在第四章。 总的来说是一本非常全面的information seeking的书籍，从入门的概念介绍，model解释，甚至连调研方法，结果分析方法也面面俱到。比较适合information入门吧。比较好的地方是例子举的特别多，只要每介

绍一个新概念都一定会给一个详尽的例子(从背景到主要内容到结果，reference也很完整)。缺点大概就是过于focusn在这个例子上了吧，缺少一些可提取出来的general观点，深度也不够

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