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Launch of new search engine

An innovative 'all-in-one' search engine allowing users to access nine online databases containing more than 13 million records relating to film, television and radio content has been launched by Royal Holloway, University of London (RHUL) and the British Universities Film & Video Council (BUFVC). The BUFVC federated search environment will allow researchers to search all collections from a single entry point and easily view collated results through a clean design and user-friendly icons.

Increasing quantities of archive film, television and radio content are available, but the content is usually delivered as stand-alone collections with users needing to know where to look before they begin their research. The BUFVC federated search environment will transform moving image and sound resource discovery by replacing the need for researchers to locate and access various databases and collections through multiple channels. The BUFVC federated search environment can be found at <http://beta.bufvc.ac.uk/>

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