Resource: ProQuest

Proquest is a leading multidisciplinary database which provides full text articles and links to citations. It includes IIMP (International Index to Music Periodicals)

Search Strategy:
For the best results use the Advanced Search function in ProQuest.
Example: music research method* AND ethnomusicolog* OR ethnograph*

- Using the drop down feature you can search: Anywhere, Abstract, Author, Document title, Subject heading
- Add a row to search extra terms
- Do not limit your search to Full text only

To refine results consider sorting by
- Relevance, publication date oldest first or most recent first
- Peer-reviewed, scholarly
- Results type: E-BOOK

Use a Phrase Search. This allows users to search for documents containing an exact sentence or phrase. For example: “research methods”

Truncation is a searching technique that enables different forms of a word to be searched for simultaneously. By inserting an asterisk (*) at the stem of the word it will increase the number of search results found. For example: genre*, will search for results containing genre, genres etc. theor* will retrieve theories, theory theoretical etc.
Results can be modified by clicking **Modify Search:**

Consider other keywords mentioned in your research topic:

- Select a journal article from these results or try another search and try to find the full text:
- Email the results to yourself
- Did you use any of the following: Phrase searching, truncation or wildcard features?