
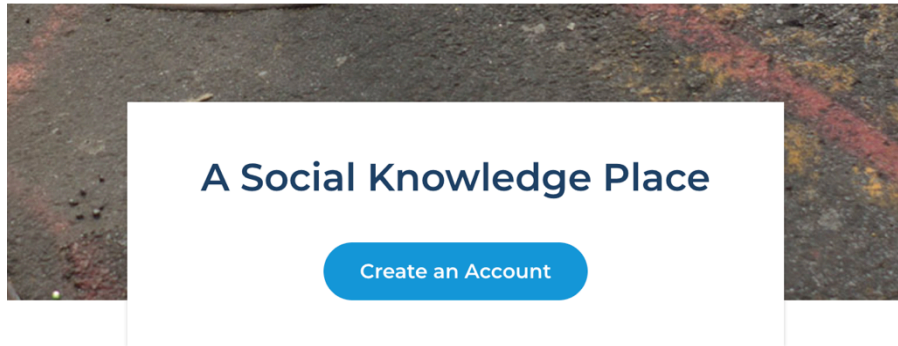


Introduction to CyberScholar

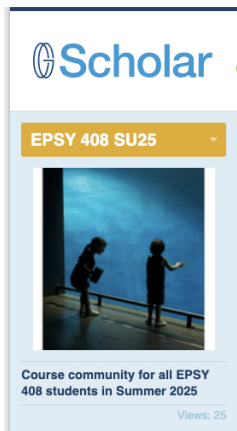
View the video companion to this guide at this link:

 [Introduction to CyberScholar: 408 SU25](#) .

1. Using your UIUC email and a password of your choice, create an account on CGScholar at <https://cgscholar.com/home/>.



2. Join the [EPSY 408 SU25 Community](#).



3. Enter [CyberScholar](#) with the same UIUC email and password you use for CG Scholar.

Introduction to CyberScholar



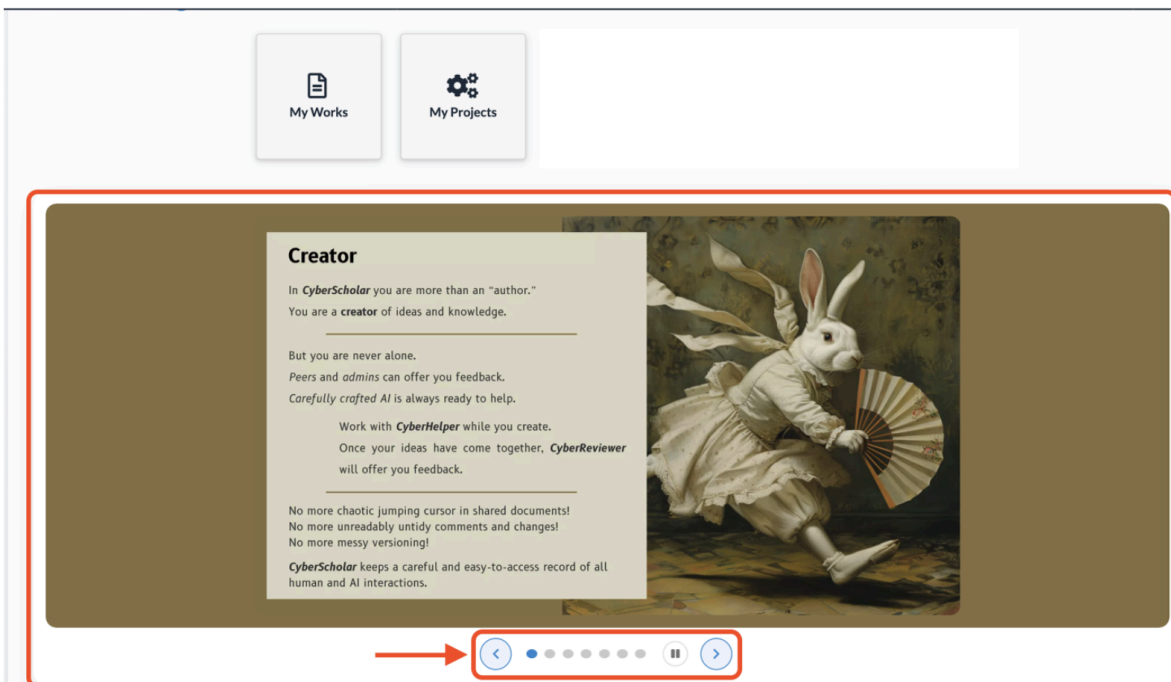
4. On the **CyberScholar Dashboard**, you will see a blue Help Icon and a Carousel that explains the features available to you:

Help Icon:



Carousel:

The images, which describe CyberScholar's features, rotate automatically. You can also navigate manually using the arrows, dots, and play/pause icons located below.

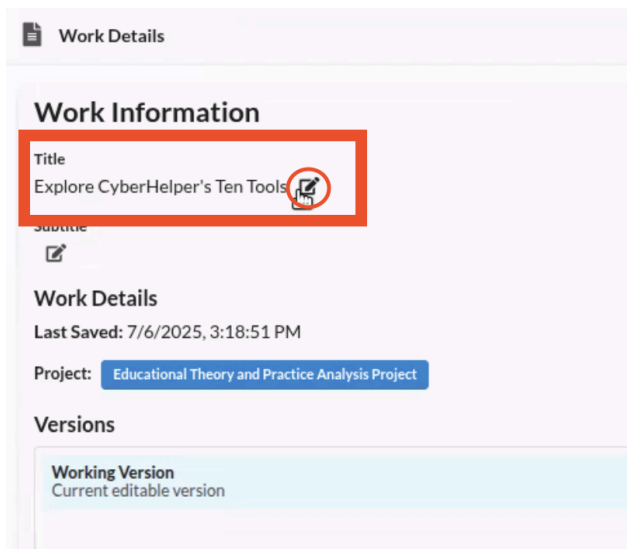


Introduction to CyberScholar

5. Above the Carousel in the Dashboard, click on "My Projects" to see your assigned projects. In "My Projects," select a project card to see instructions and task progress, as shown on the next page.

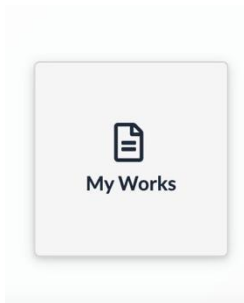


In the project, EPSY 408 SU25 students will see a first task called "Explore CyberHelper's Ten Tools." Click on this task to begin a new configured Work. **NOTE:** Under Work Details → Work Information, click on the edit icon next to the task Title to retitle this Work.

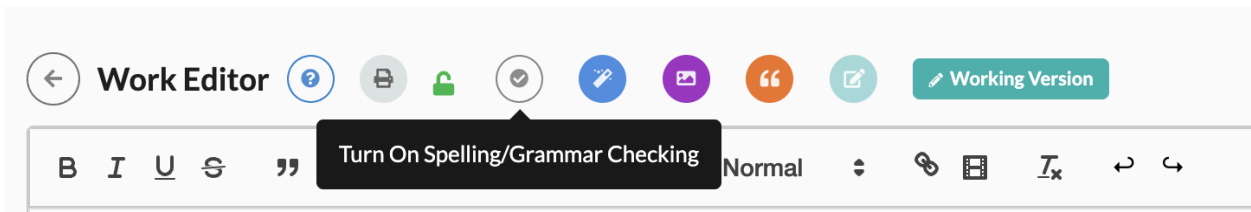


6. In "My Works," you can start a New Work outside an assigned project or access Existing Works to use CyberScholar's AI-enhanced tools.

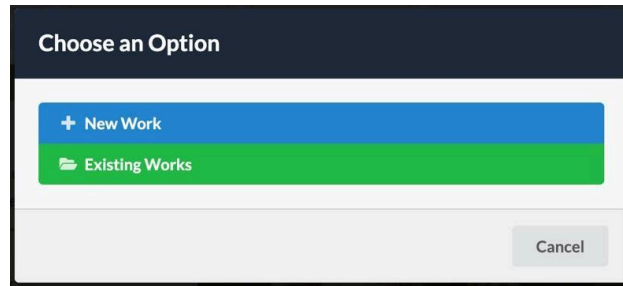
Introduction to CyberScholar



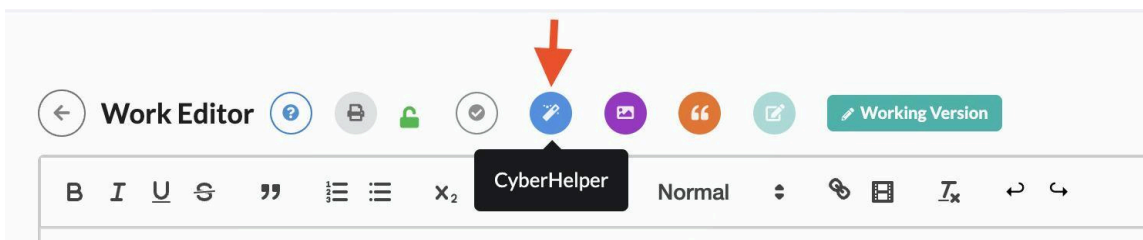
7. In the Work Editor, move your cursor along the CyberScholar AI tool icons to highlight what each tool does.



8. These icons represent CyberScholar's powerful AI enhancements. For example, click on the blue Cyber Helper icon to see the array of ten useful features CyberScholar offers you brainstorm, research, expand, summarize, translate, and proofread your work. The CyberHelper can also help plan, check advice, or answer other questions.

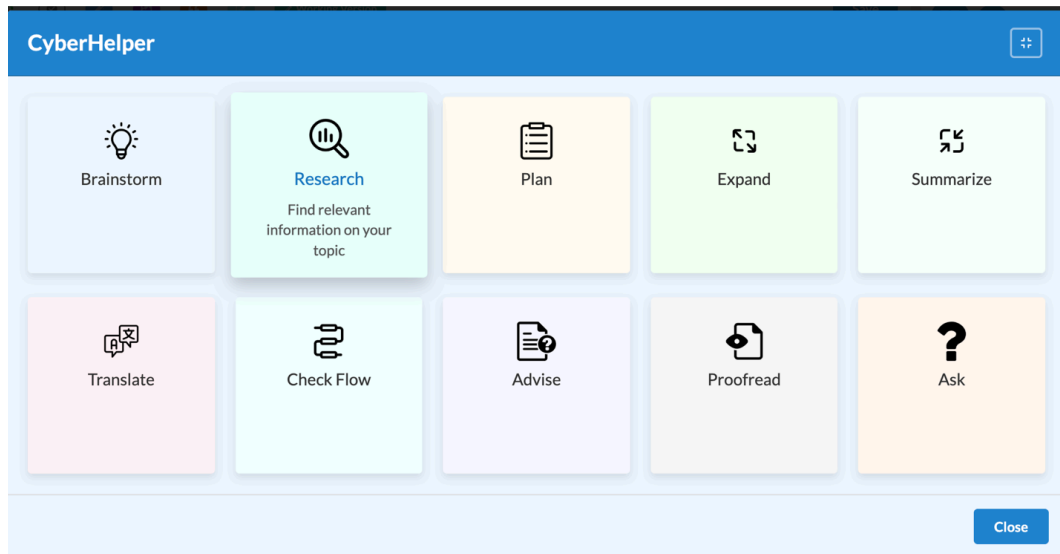


9. To use a CyberHelper tool:
1. Click the blue CyberHelper tool.

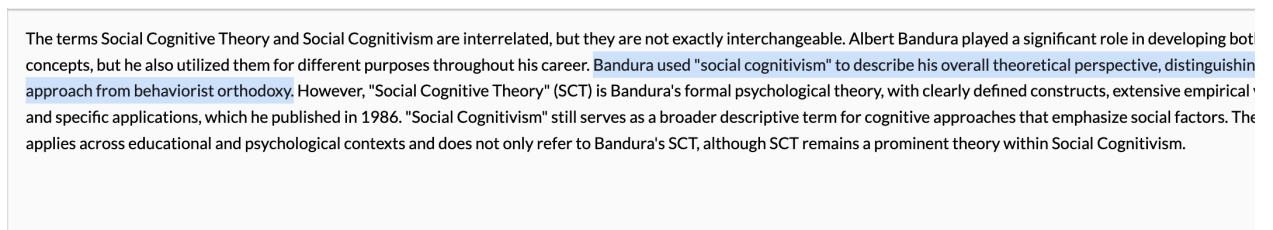


Introduction to CyberScholar

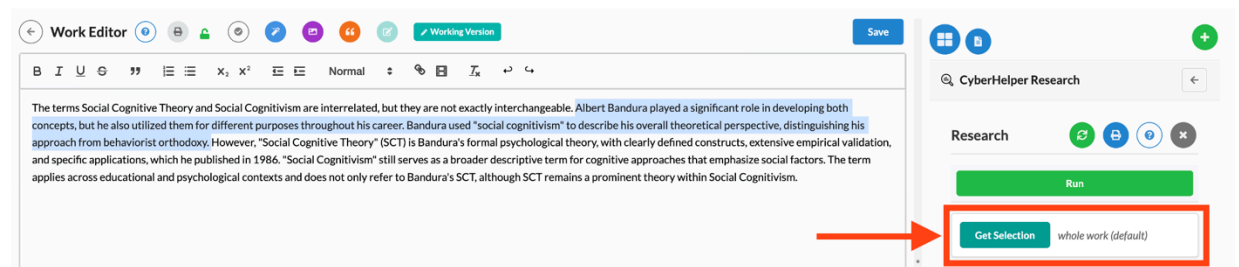
2. Select the function card you'd like to use.



3. Highlight the passage in your text you want the AI to consider (unless you'd like the AI to consider the whole text).

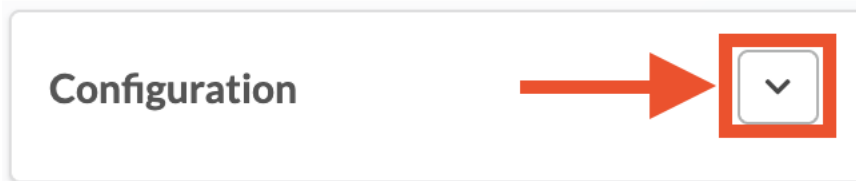


4. Click "Get Selection."

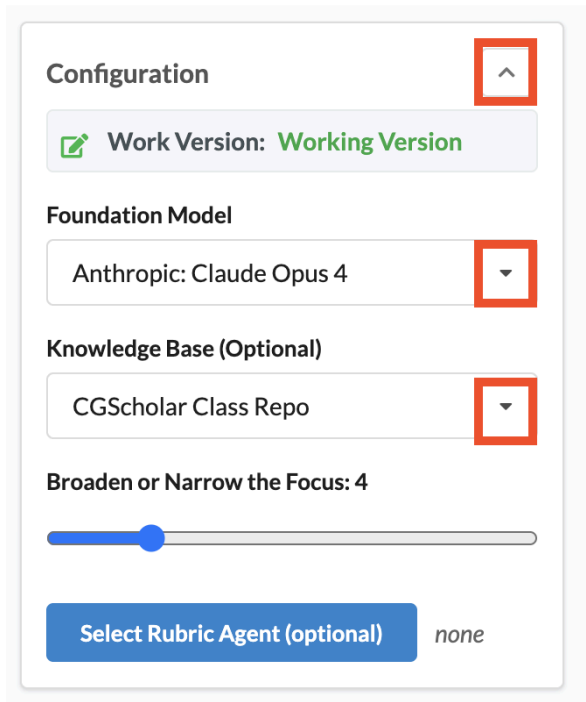


Introduction to CyberScholar

5. In “My Works” or projects with open configuration allowed by Admins in the current task, use the downward arrow to the right of “Configuration” to configure your AI settings.

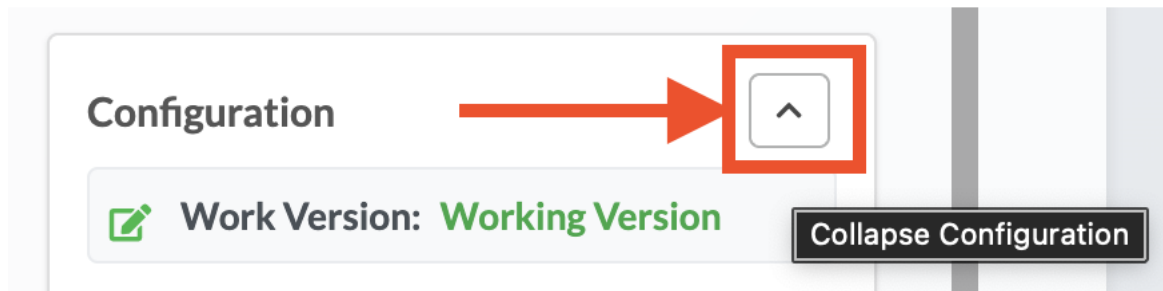


Use the small black arrow next to “Foundational Model” to choose the AI Model, select “CGScholar Class Repo” as your EPSY 408 “Knowledge Base,” move the slider to broaden or narrow the AI focus, and if it’s applicable to the tool you chose, select the “Ways of Knowing Frontiers Research” rubric. Here’s an example of configuration settings:

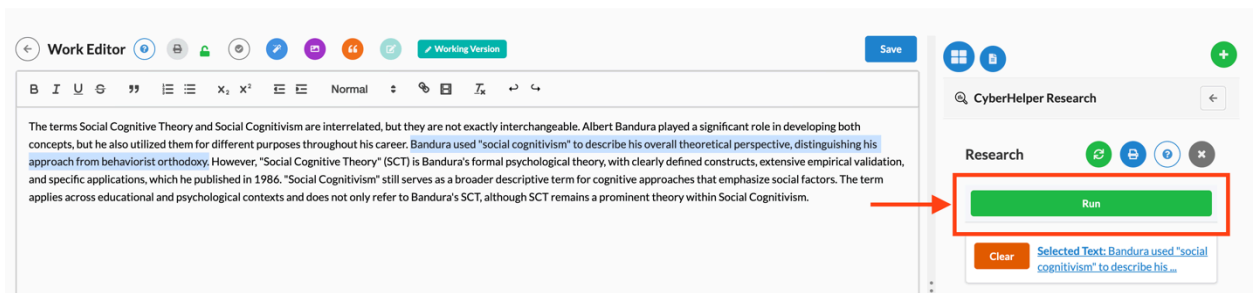


After you have selected your settings, click the upward arrow at the top of Configurations to collapse these options.

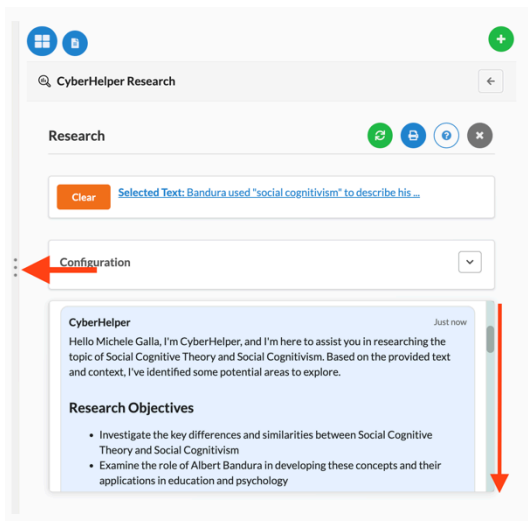
Introduction to CyberScholar



6. Click "Run."



7. Read the CyberHelper's response: drag the side bar toward the left to widen the AI's response area and use the scrollbar down to see all the comments.



8. Use the message box beneath the CyberHelper's response to ask follow-up questions, ask for a shorter summary, etc. After you type your message, use the blue "send" icon so the CyberHelper can read your response. You can continue to converse back and forth as needed.

Introduction to CyberScholar

- Examine the applications of Social Cognitive Theory in various contexts, such as education, psychology, and business
- Compare and contrast Social Cognitive Theory with other learning theories, such as constructivism and behaviorism
- Consider the interests and biases of different researchers and theorists, and how these may influence their interpretations and applications of Social Cognitive Theory.

Where can I find the ERIC Database?



9. Find records of your previous CyberHelper uses by clicking on this icon:

The screenshot shows the CyberScholar interface. At the top left, there is a blue "Save" button. To its right is a blue square icon with a white grid pattern, which is highlighted with a red box and a red arrow pointing to it from below. Next to the grid icon is a small blue circular icon with a white document symbol. On the far right of the top bar is a green circular icon with a white plus sign. Below the top bar, there is a "Sort by:" dropdown menu with three options: "Name", "Type", and "Recent". The main area contains two light blue rectangular cards. The first card is titled "CyberHelper Research" and has a magnifying glass icon and a close "x" icon. The second card is titled "Work Details" and has a document icon.

Introduction to CyberScholar

NOTE: Occasionally, the model response isn't viewable on the screen. Try using keystrokes to zoom out of your window view a bit. On a PC, press the "Ctrl" and "-" keys simultaneously, or on a Mac, use the "Command" and "Z" and "-" keys.

You can also click on the small blue printer icon above where it says the tool "results" (as shown below) to print out the results. However, if your browser preferences don't allow you to see pop-ups, you'll need to revise them.

