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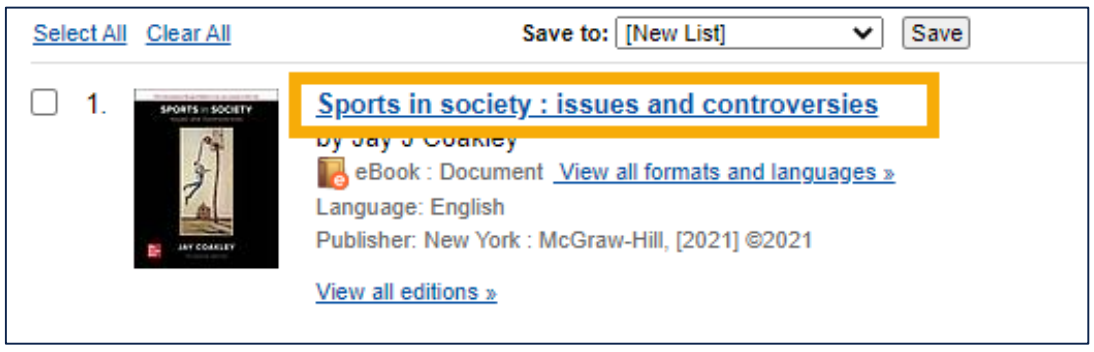
1. Let's say you are looking for the following book, but cannot find it in the UAGC Library:

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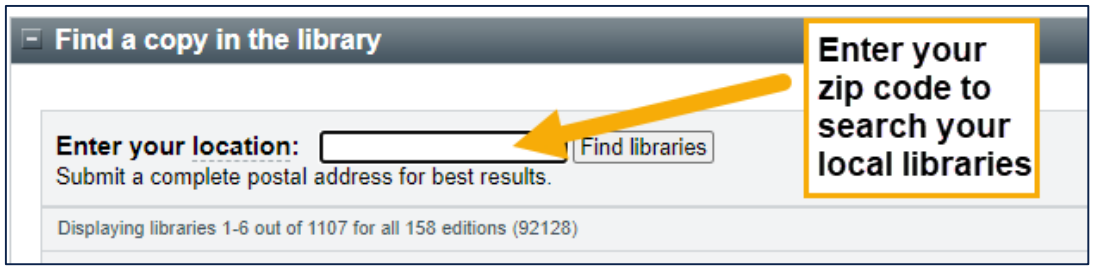
2. Generally, typing the title into the WorldCat search box will return your result. If that does not work, try including the author name as well.



3. If you find the title you searched for in the results, click the title to open the record page.



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