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- ✓ Seamless LTI integrations with course management systems such as Schoology, itslearning, Moodle, and others
- ✓ Instructor's guides for many titles
- ✓ "Featured This Month" Calendar for meaningful research suggestions and ideas
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