

Curio's integrated internet research assistant

Using Sleuth

Curio includes Sleuth, its integrated research assistant to make finding anything on the web fast and fun.

Sleuth can help you research ideas by giving you easy access to almost any search engine available on the Internet. You can quickly look up images, definitions, rhyming words, translations, and general information related to any topic. You only have to fill in the search field once, and then visit the sites that most interest you. When you find something you want to remember, simply drag and drop it into an idea space.

Searching in Sleuth

1. Reveal the Sleuth window by clicking the Sleuth toolbar button or choosing the Window > Show Sleuth menu item.
2. Type a word or phrase in the search field located at the top of the Sleuth window.
3. Press Return to perform the search on the currently selected website, or choose a different site from the site popup menu located to the right of the search field.
4. The search results will be displayed in the bottom part of the Sleuth window. You can explore your search results as you would any website.
5. You can use the back and forward arrows at the top of the Sleuth window to navigate web pages.

Importing Sleuth Content into Curio

1. Drag images, selected text, and web links from the Sleuth window to any idea space or the project library to save the results you like.
2. Or right-click on an content in the Sleuth window and choose Send to Active Idea Space.
3. You can grab the URL of the currently displayed page by dragging it from the status area located at the bottom of the Sleuth window.

Changing the Sleuth Site

1. To see search results for the same word or phrase on a different site, click on the site menu and choose another site.
2. You can also click on the up and down arrows next to the site menu to perform the same search on the previous and next sites within a category respectively.

Make the Sleuth Window Always Appear on Top of All Other Windows

- Click the On Top toolbar button on the Sleuth window. Click again to turn off this feature.

Make the Sleuth Window Transparent so You Can See Through It

- Click the Transparency toolbar button on the Sleuth window. Click again to turn off this effect.

Add or Edit Sleuth Sites

- Click the Customize toolbar button on the Sleuth window, and follow the steps detailed below.