Books:
Stephen R. Covey has written books that discuss personal mission statements. For example, check out his books, *First Things First* (BJ 1581.2 .C66 1994) and *Seven Habits of Highly Effective People* (BF637.S8 C68 2004).

ProQuest ABI/Inform Database:
You can also do a search on the ProQuest ABI/Inform Complete database. Click the Advanced Search link and enter personal mission statement in the search box and choose Document title – TI from the drop-down menu on the right.

FACTIVA
The FACTIVA database is another source you can consult. Click the Search tab, then the Search Builder link. Enter hd=personal mission statement in the search box (hd stands for headline). Select all dates.
LexisNexis Academic

Select **Search by Subject or Topic**:

![Search by Subject or Topic](image1)

Select **All News** under the **News** heading.

![All News](image2)

Select **Advanced options** under the red search box.

![Advanced options](image3)
Under **Build Your Own Segment Search**, select **HEADLINE** from the drop-down menu. Replace the words, **InsertTermshere**, with **personal mission statement**. You will see HEADLINE(personal mission statement). You can put in a date range, if desired.

Under **Source Type**, you can select any of the entries found there. Click **Apply**.

Returning to the **Search Screen**, you will see your search terms and the **advanced options** you selected, if any.

**Google:**

Also try googling “personal mission statement” or “personal code of ethics.”