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Basic Format for Books

Author's Last name, First name. *Book Title: Subtitle*. Publisher, year.

One Author

Hentges, Sarah. *Pictures of Girlhood: Modern Female Adolescence on Film*. MacFarland, 2006.

Two Authors

Wellman, Christopher H., and John Simmons. *Is There a Duty to Obey the Law?* Cambridge UP, 2005.

Book with More Than Two Authors

Wysocki, Anne Frances, et al. *Writing New Media: Theory and Applications for Expanding the Teaching of Composition*. Utah State UP, 2004.

Essay or Chapter in an Edited Book

Frome, Michael. "Must This Be Lost to the Sight of Man?" *River Reflections: A Collection of River Writings*, edited by Verne Huser, 3rd ed., U of New Mexico P, 2005, pp. 102-116.

Encyclopedia Article

Batinski, Emily E. "Sui Dynasty." *Encyclopedia of The Ancient World*, edited by Thomas J. Sienkewicz, vol. 3, Salem Press Inc., 2002, p. 1044

Encyclopedia Article Without Author

"Scandinavian Arthurian Literature." *The Arthurian Encyclopedia*, edited by Norris J. Lacy, Garland Publishing Inc., 1986, pp. 473-478

e-Book Contained in a Database

Phillips, Siobhan. *The Poetics of the Everyday: Creative Repetition in Modern American Verse*. Columbia UP, 2010. *eBook Academic Collection (EBSCOhost)*, libcat.landmark.edu:2048/login?url=http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=e000xna&AN=944960&site=ehost-live.

Basic Format for a Print Magazine Article

Last name, First name. "Article Title." *Magazine Title* Day Month Year, pages.

Magazine Article

Farber, Celia. "Out of Control: AIDS and the Corruption of Medical Science?" *Harper's*, Apr. 2006, p. 47.

Basic Format for an Online Newspaper Article

Last name, First name. "Article Title." *Newspaper Title*, Day Month Year, Article URL.

Online Newspaper Article

Liguori, Rob. "Tom Robbins, Cosmic Lounge Lizard." *The New York Times*, 23 May 2014, www.nytimes.com/2014/05/25/magazine/tom-robbins-cosmic-lounge-lizard.html. Interview.

Basic Format for Print Journal Article

Last name, First name. "Title of Article." *Journal Title*, Volume number, Issue number, Year, Pages.

Journal Article

Stockstill, Ellen J. "Gender Politics in Alfred Lord Tennyson's 'The Lady of Shalott,'" *Explicator*, vol. 70, no. 1, 2012, pp. 13-16.

Basic Format for an Online Database Article

Author's Last Name, First name. "Article title." *Magazine/Journal/Newspaper Title*, Volume number, Issue number, Date, Pages. *Database name*, DOI or permalink.

Online Database Article

Oziewicz, Marek. "Restorative Justice Scripts in Ursula K. Le Guin's Voices." *Children's Literature in Education*, vol. 42, no. 1, 2011, pp. 33-43. *Academic Search Premier*, <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10583-010-9118-8>.

Basic Format for a Webpage

Author (if listed). "Title of Webpage." *Title of Website*, Organization responsible for the site (if different from the site title), Date of last update, Webpage URL.

Webpage

Pavlić, Ed. "'Welcome to the Errordome': Are Editors Still Afraid of James Baldwin?" *PEN America*, 9 April 2014, <https://pen.org/welcome-to-the-errordome-are-editors-still-afraid-of-james-baldwin>. Accessed 16 Aug. 2022.

Chang, Clio. "Manhattan Rents Broke Another Record." *Curbed*, Vox Media, 11 Aug. 2022, <https://www.curbed.com/2022/08/new-york-rents-july-record-high.html>.

Basic Format for an Online Video

Author (if known and different from uploader). "Title of Video." *Name of Video Website*, Screen name or name of person who uploaded the video, date of posting, URL.

Online Video

Sutherland, Kathryn. "Jane Austen: The Novel and Social Realism." *YouTube*, uploaded by the British Library, 9 June 2014, www.youtube.com/watch?v=yzllzpDQdFQ.

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