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| Article from a Library database with page numbers | Jones, Julia C., M. R. Myerscough, S. Graham, and B. P. Oldroyd. 2004. "Honey bee nest thermoregulation: Diversity promotes stability." <i>Science</i> 305, no. 5682: 402-404. http://web.ebscohost.com/ (accessed July 24, 2007). | (Jones et al. 2004, 403) |
| Article from an online journal without page numbers | Moore, Roland S., G. M. Ames, and C. B. Cunradi. 2007. "Physical and social availability of alcohol for young enlisted naval personnel in and around home port." <i>Substance Abuse Treatment, Prevention, and Policy</i> 2, June 30. http://www.pubmedcentral.nih.gov/articlerender.fcgi?artid=1934352 (accessed July 30, 2007). | (Moore, Ames, and Cunradi 2007) |
| Dissertations & theses | Shimpalee, Pattama. 2004. The contribution of economic and institutional factors to currency crises: Additional evidence from Asia, Europe and the western hemisphere. Ph.D. diss., University of South Carolina. In ProQuest Digital Dissertations [database on-line]; available from http://www.proquest.com/ (publication number AAT 3142857; accessed August 8, 2007). | (Shimpalee 2004) |
| Electronic book | Hüfner, Stefan. (Ed.). 2007. <i>Very high resolution photoelectron spectroscopy</i> . New York: Springer. http://www.springerlink.com/ (accessed May 12, 2008). | (Hüfner 2007) |
| Newspaper online and library database | Basken, Paul. 2007. "Nonprofit lenders, while helping students, help themselves." <i>The Chronicle</i> , August 10, 2007. http://chronicle.com/weekly/v53/i49/49a01401.htm (accessed August 8, 2007). | (Basken 2007) |
| | Hoge, Warren. 1997. "Diana, Princess of Wales, 36, dies in a crash in Paris: The end of a storybook life that veered from glamor to scandal and, finally, to divorce.." <i>New York Times</i> , August 31, http://www.proquest.com/ (accessed August 8, 2007). | (Hoge 1997) |
| Webpage | American Memory, Born in Slavery: Slave Narratives from the Federal Writers Project 1936-1938. "Voices and Faces from the Collection 'Sarah Gudger, Age 121'." Library of Congress, http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/snhtml/snvoices03.html (accessed May 12, 2008). | (American Memory, Born in Slavery) |



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| Article from a journal | Allison, G. W. 1999. The implications of experimental design for biodiversity manipulations. <i>American Naturalist</i> 153 (1): 26-45. | (Allison 1999) |
| Article from a newspaper * | <i>New York Times</i> . 2002. In Texas, ad heats up race for governor. July 30. | (New York Times 2002) |
| Book - single author | Rushdie, Salman. 1999. <i>The Ground beneath Her Feet</i> . New York: Henry Holt. | (Rushdie 1999, 54) |
| Book – two authors | Harnack, Andrew, and Eugene Kleppinger. 2000. <i>Online! A Reference Guide to Using Internet Sources</i> . 3 rd ed. New York: St. Martin’s Press. | (Harnack and Kleppinger 2000) |
| Book - edited no author | Kamrany, Nake M., and Richard H. Day, eds. 1980. <i>Economic issues of the eighties</i> . Baltimore: John Hopkins Univ. Press. | (Kamrany and Day 1980) |
| Book – organization, association, or corporation as author | British Standards Institute. 1985. <i>Specifications for abbreviation of title words and titles of publications</i> . Linford Woods, Milton Keynes, UK: British Standards Institute. | (British Standards Institute 1985) |
| Chapter or other titled parts of a book | Phibbs, Brendan. 1987. Herrlisheim: Diary of a battle. In <i>The other side of time: A combat surgeon in World War II</i> , 117-63. Boston: Little, Brown. | (Phibbs 1987, 122-24) |
| Dissertations & theses | Remedios, Richard E. 2007. Defining my process: My journey through the MFA acting Program at the University of South Carolina. Master's thesis, University of South Carolina. | (Remedios 2007, 35) |

*Newspapers are more commonly cited in notes or parenthetical references rather than in bibliographies. A list of works cited need not list newspaper items if these have been documented in the text.

Example: In an article on rampage killers (New York Times, April 10, 2000), Laurie Goodstein and William Glaberson describe the warning signs either missed or unreported by colleagues, friends, teachers, family members, and others.