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* **Book with one author**

Last name, First name. *Title of Book*. City of Publication: Publisher,  
Copyright Date.  Medium of Publication.  
  
Example:

Brunvand, Jan Harold.  *The Vanishing Hitchhiker: American Urban*

*Legends & Their Meanings.*  New York: Norton, 1981. Print.

* **Book with two or three authors**

Last name, First name, and First name Last name. *Title of Book*. City of Publication: Publisher, Copyright Date. Medium of Publication.

Example:

Creed, Patrick and Rick Newman. *Firefight: Inside the Battle to Save the*

*Pentagon on 9/11.* New York: Ballantine, 2008. Print.

* **Book with more than three authors**

Last name, First name, et al. (and others) *Title of Book*. City of Publication: Publisher, Copyright Date. Medium of Publication.

Example:

Moschovitis, Christos J. P., et al. *History of the Internet: A Chronology,*

*1843 to the Present.* Santa Barbara, Calif.: ABC-CLIO, 1999. Print.

* **Edited book**

Last name, First name, ed. *Title of Book*. City of Publication: Publisher,  
Copyright Date.  Medium of Publication.

Example:

Worek, Michael, ed. *Nobel: A Century of Prize Winners*. Buffalo: Firefly,

     2008. Print.

* **Essay or article in a book**

Last name, First name. “Title of Article or Essay.” *Title of Book*. Ed. Editor’s First name Last name. City of Publication: Publisher, Copyright Date. Page Numbers. Medium of Publication.

Example:

Stephens, Gene. "A Variety of Factors Put Teens at Risk." *Teens at Risk:*

*Opposing Viewpoints.* Ed. Auriana Ojeda. San Diego: Greenhaven,

     2003. 19-27. Print.

* **One volume reference work**

Last name, First name. “Title of Entry.” *Title of Book*. Editor. Edition. Copyright Date. Medium of Publication.

Example:

Hart, James D. "Taylor, Edward." *The Oxford Companion to American*

*Literature.* 6th ed. 1995. Print.

* **Multi-volume reference work**

Last name, First name. “Title of Entry.” *Title of Book*. Editor of book. Vol. Number. Edition. City of Publication: Publisher, Copyright Date. Medium of Publication.

Example:

Wilde, Ann. "Scottsboro Incident." *Encyclopedia of African American*

*History, 1896 to the Present: From the Age of Segregation to the*

*Twenty-First Century.* Ed. Paul Finkelman. Vol. 4. New York: Oxford

     UP, 2009. Print.

* **Pamphlet or Brochure**

Treat the pamphlet as you would a book.

Last name, First name. *Title of Pamphlet*. City of Publication: Publisher,  
Copyright Date.  Medium of Publication.

Example:

Skin Cancer Foundation. *A Guide to Skin Cancer and Precancers*. New

     York: Skin Cancer Foundation, 2002. Print.

* Government Publication

Government Agency or Author. *Title.* City of Publication: Publisher, Copyright Date. Medium of Publication.

Examples:

United States. Social Security Admin. *Idenity Theft and Your Social*

*Security Number.* Washington: GPO, 2006. Print.

* **Scholarly journal article**

Last name, First name. “Title of Article.” *Title of Journal.* Volume Number.Issue Number (Year): Page Numbers. Medium of Publication.

Example:

Gems, Gerald. "Monuments to Memory." *Chicago History.* 36.1 (2008):   
     4-25. Print.

* **Magazine article with author**

Last name, First name. “Title of Article.” *Title of Magazine.* Day (if given) Month Year: Page Numbers.  Medium of Publication.

Examples:

Johnson, George. "Plugging into the Sun." *National Geographic*. Sept.

     2009: 28-53. Print.

Thomas, Evan. "What Teddy Can Teach Us." *Newsweek.* 7 Sept. 2009:

     30-33. Print.

* **Magazine article without author**

“Title of Article.” *Title of Magazine* Day(if given) Month Year: Page Numbers. Medium of Publication.

* **Magazine article with author from an online source**

Last name, First name. “Title of Article.” *Title of Magazine.* Day (if given) Month Year: Page Numbers. Name of Service. (FirstSearch, etc.) Date of Access <Network address>.

Example:

Richter, Jean Paul. "Renaissance man: text from The Notebooks of Leonardo da Vinci."  *Muse.* 12. 6

     Jul.-Aug. 2008: 24(4). *Student Resource Center - Gold*. Gale. Elmhurst Public Library. 21 Oct.

     2009 <http://proxy.elmhurstpubliclibrary.org:2103/srcx/infomark.do?&contentSet=IAC-

     Documents&type=retrieve&tabID=T003&prodId=SRC-1&docId=A185822186&source=

     gale&srcprod=SRCG&userGroupName=elmhstpl\_main&version=1.0>.

* **Web Page**

Last name, First name. "Title of Article." *Title of Site*.  Editor of site. Medium of Publication. Date of Access <URL or Web Address>.

Example:

Andrusyk, Brian. "Web Site Evaluation." *Library Media Center.* Web.

     21 Oct. 2009 <http://www.ichsknights.org/academics5.aspx#library>

* **Personal Interview**

Last name, First name. Personal interview. Date.

Examples:

Enstein, Frank. Personal interview. 31 Oct. 2009.

Bell, Alexander G. Telephone interview. 17 Oct. 2008.

Source:  Modern Language Association of America. *MLA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers.* 7th ed. New York: MLA, 2009.