

SAMPLE WORKS CITED ENTRIES (APA Style)



BOOKS:

A. Book with one author:

Last name of author, First name initial. (Copyright date). *Title of work*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

Example:

Sidel, R. (1990). *On her own: Growing up in the shadow of the American dream*. New York: Penguin.

B. Book with two or more authors:

Last name of author, First name initial., & Second author's last name, First name initial. (Copyright date). *Title of book*. Place of Publication: Publisher.

Example:

Lakoff, G., and Johnson, M. (1980). *Metaphors we live by*. Chicago: University of Chicago.

C. Resource Book (such as an encyclopedia)

Author(s), if applicable. (Date of publication). Title of section or article used. In *Name of reference book*. (Vol. Number, pp.xxx-xxx). Place of publication: Publisher.

Example:

Multiculturalism. (1993). In the *new encyclopedia Britannica*. (Vol. 23, pp. 487-488). Chicago: Encyclopedia Britannica.
(NOTE: If there is no author available, the title is moved before the date.)



ARTICLES:

A. Article in a magazine:

Last name of author, First name initial. (date of publication). Title of article. *Title of magazine, volume number, page number(s)*.

Example:

Quittner, J. (1997, June 16). The thrill of drudge work. *Time*, 96, 67-8.

B. Article in a scholarly journal

Last name of author, First name initial. (date of publication). Title of article. *Title of journal, volume number, (Issue number), page number(s)*.

Example:

Bell, J. (1997). Puppets and performing objects in the twentieth century. *Performing Arts Journal*, 56(2), 29-46.

C. Newspaper article:

Last name of author, First name initial. (year, month day). Title of article. *Title of Newspaper, page*.

Example:

Steinberg, J. (1995, May 12). Love, peace, money and lawsuits. *New York Times*, B1.



SIRS, ELIBRARY, EBSCO OR OTHER DATABASE MEDIUMS

Last name of author, First name initial. (date of publication). Title of article. *Print source (this is the original source), volume number, (issue number), page number(s)*. Retrieved on date, from Name of Database.

Example:

Verma, A. (1997, November 30). Day-O: A Jamaican journey. *India Currents*, 12 (11), 48-9. Retrieved on February 5, 2003, from EbscoHost database.



INTERNET SOURCES:

A. Article in an online magazine or newspaper

Last name of the author, First name initial. (date of electronic publication). Title of article. *Title of the magazine or newspaper*, Volume number, (Issue number), page numbers. Retrieved on date, from http:// network address.

Example:

Trully, R.B. (1998, June 27). Global extinction in spiral galaxies. *Astronomical Journal*, 115 (6), n.p. Retrieved February 3, 2003, from [http://www. Journals.uchicago.edu/AJ/journal/issues/v115n6/980002.html](http://www.Journals.uchicago.edu/AJ/journal/issues/v115n6/980002.html).

B. Article in an information database / Document created by a private organization

Last name of author, First name initial. Sponsoring Institution or Organization (publication date or date of last update). *Title of the article*. Retrieved on date, from network address.

Example(s) : Note in example two, there is no author, so the title is moved to the beginning.

Dove, R. The Electronic Text Center. (1998). *Lady freedom among us*. Retrieved February 3, 2003, from

<http://etext.lib.virginia.edu/subjects/afam.html>.

“American flags.” Britannica Online. (1998, April). Encyclopedia Britannica. Retrieved January 30, 2003, from

<http://www.eb.com:180>

C. Article or report from a Personal or Professional Website

Last name, First name initial of creator (author) AND/OR Sponsoring institution. (date of publication or last update). *Title of the site*. (*If there is no title, list a description, like ‘Home page’). Retrieved on date, from Network address.

Examples:

Dawe, James. (1998, September 15). Jane Austen page. Retrieved on February 1, 2003, from

<http://nyquist.ee.ualberta.ca/~dawe/austen.html>

Lancashire, Ian. (1999, May 1). Home page. Retrieved February 1, 2003, from <http://www.chass.utoronto.ca:8080/~ian/>



INTERVIEWS / CORRESPONDENCE

A. Personal or telephone interview

Last name, First name initial of person interviewed. (Kind of interview--personal, electronic or telephone, date).

Example:

Shamblin, E. (electronic communication, January 21, 2003.)