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APA Style Quick Guide (7th ed.)

This guide provides examples for selected research sources based on style recommendations from the *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association: The official guide to APA style* (7th ed., 2020). This replaces the 6th ed. (2010).

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Write your paper using one of these textfonts but use a sans serif font for all tables. (APA, 2020, p. 44)
serif options: Georgia 11 Times New Roman 12
sans serif options: Arial 11 Calibri 11 Lucida 11

There are four basic components for all APA references: A. (B). C. D.
The letters represent Who? When? What? Where?
A is the author, B is the date, C is the title, and D provides source information. (APA, 2020, p. 262)

The APA Style requires double-spacing between ALL text lines, including References.
To save space and paper when printed, examples in this guide have been formatted with single spacing.

TIP: See pages 3-4 for author variations, e.g., how to write an in-text citation for 3 authors, a reference for 2311 authors, or what to do when no author is listed.

APA Style Guidelines and Grammar

<https://apastyle.apa.org/style-grammar-guidelines/>

The academic community builds new knowledge, in part, by understanding what has already been written on a subject. To put new research into the context of existing research, academics provide links to previously published works. Sometimes, the citation links offer the context of the new work; at other times, the links give evidence of agreement, disagreement, or novelty. In all situations, listing your sources enables readers to find the cited information. In other words, citations are pathways between the current work and past works.

For academic writers to indicate pathways to past works, organizations and journals have created standardized formats (often referred to as style guides) for in-text citations and reference lists (referred to as references, works cited, or bibliography). This Quick Guide offers models of in-text citations and reference lists. Read the preliminary notes to understand rules for spacing, punctuation, block quotations, and so on. For specific content formatting (e.g., a chapter in an edited book), find the section and sub-heading modeling that material and format your reference exactly as you see it. Additional information on this style can be found in more comprehensive style guides (that are available at the bookstore, in the library, online at other universities, or at organization/journal websites). Recently, in an effort to keep up with changing media and archiving practices, some organizations have established blogs.

More content is available in the APA Style Blog:

<https://apastyle.apa.org/blog/>

FORMATTING YOUR PAPER

APA style requires that you use parenthetical citations to acknowledge quotations, paraphrases, summaries, and other material from a source used in your paper. These correspond to the full bibliographic entries found in a list of references at the end of your paper. To cite a source in the text of your assignment, indicate in parentheses the last name of the author(s), or if there is no author, the first few words of the document title (in quotation marks) (APA, 2020, pp. 264-265), followed by the year of publication, and, if quoting, the page number(s). The next two paragraphs show some sample in-text citations, followed by the corresponding references. The *APA Manual* includes a 10-page sample student paper (2020, pp. 61-67).

In his classic study, Gardner (2004)¹ summarizes the scepticism of current researchers and observers about whether the messages presented in the Fourth Assessment Report were really about the end of the world as we know it. His conclusion is that “anthropogenic global warming is occurring” (p. 22)² and human activities are to blame. But four renowned researchers (Tannenbaum et al., 2005)³ who re-analysed published data have rejected the likelihood of human influence on recent climate change and concluded that:

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The current climate change is natural. The close of the millennium was marked by a deep suspicion of the natural world and an increasing reliance upon the pronouncements of soothsayers and visionaries, who caused hysteria with their doom-laden forecasts of the end of humanity. (p. 184)⁴

This has prompted some key influential organisations to hold non-committal positions on this issue. But in a recent publication Cooper et al. (2009) positively identified the “human fingerprints” associated with climate changes stating that “temperatures have risen compared to pre-1800 levels, and humans significantly influence the global temperature” (p. 19). Al Gore echoed this in his presentation at Dalhousie University when he concluded that “we’re in for a planetary emergency unless we change the way we live now” (personal communication, May 3, 2010).⁵

References⁶

- Cooper, M., Garzon, R., Palumbo, T., Bhatt, D., Alder, H., Calin, G. A., & Croce, C. (2009). Human fingerprints: A knowledge evolution. *Journal of Global Warming*, 18(4), 11-35. <https://doi.org/10.1073/pnas.0600587103>⁷
- Gardner, S. (2004). *Anthropogenic global warming: How the world is changing*. Morrow.
- Tannenbaum, R. V., Leung, K., Sudha, J. R., & White, M. A. (2005). A re-examination of the notion of global warming. *Journal of the Environment*, 20⁸, 168-196.

¹ In-text citations need to be with the sentence that mentions the source but the author can be split apart from the year and page number. These two different forms are called parenthetical or narrative citations (more examples, p. 3).

² APA requires the page numbers(s) for direct quotations, but are optional (and very helpful) for paraphrases or summaries. If the document has no page numbers, use paragraph numbers, e.g., (“Bahrain streets,” 2011, para. 3).

³ When a source has 3 or more authors, use the first author's last name and "et al.", e.g., (Tannenbaum et al., 2005).

⁴ Place direct quotations that are 40 words or more, in a free-standing block and omit quotation marks. The page number is placed after the period.

⁵ Personal communications, including an interview, email, or lecture, can be cited but are not included in the list of references.

⁶ Start the list of references on a new page. This list must be in alphabetical order.

⁷ Do not change the order of the authors; the first author for this research article is Ramiro Garzon. (Use the hyperlink to find other inaccuracies.)

⁸ Not all journals have an issue number; in this case use the volume number only.

IN-TEXT CITATIONS AND REFERENCES		
In-text Citations	Citations for 1 author	(APA, 2020)
	Citations for 2 authors	(Camm & Davenport, 2020)
	Citations for 3 or more authors	(Kosslyn et al., 2010)
	Organization as author [optional abbreviation] Citations for an already identified abbreviation	(American Psychological Association [APA], 2020) (APA, 2020, p. 288)
	No author for books, brochures and reports ¹	(<i>Experimental Psychology</i> , 1938)
	No author for articles, chapters or webpages ²	(“Senate passes,” 2011)
	An author named Anonymous	(Anonymous, 1933)
	A text cited by another source	(Bandura, 1982, as cited in Feist, 1998)
		¹ Use the name of the book, brochure, or report in your in-text citation when it has no identifiable author or editor. ² Use the first few words of the title for articles, chapters, or web pages that have no identifiable author or editor.
Notes	1 to 20 authors ¹	Camm, J. D., & Davenport, T. H. (2020, July 15). Data science, quarantined. https://sloanreview.mit.edu/article/data-science-quarantined/ Kosslyn, S. M., Thompson, W. L., & Ganis, G. (2010). <i>The case for mental imagery</i> . https://doi.org/10.1093/acprof:oso/9780195179088.001.0001
References	More than 20 authors ^{2,3,4}	Sirunyan, A. M., Tumasyan, A., Adam, W., Ambrogio, F., Asilar, E., Bergauer, T., Brandstetter, J., Brondolin, E., Dragicevic, M., Erö, J., Escalante Del Valle, A., Flechl, M., Friedl, M., Frühwirth, R., Ghete, V. M., Hrubec, J., Jeitler, M., Krammer, N., Krätschmer, I., . . . Woods, N. (2018). Measurement of differential cross sections for Z boson production in association with jets in proton-proton collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV. <i>The European Physical Journal C</i> , 78(11), 1-41. https://doi.org/10.1140/epjc/s10052-018-6373-0
	Organization as author	American Psychological Association [APA]. (2020). <i>Publication manual of the American Psychological Association: The official guide to APA style</i> (7th ed.). American Psychological Association.
	No author for books, brochures, and reports	<i>Experimental Psychology</i> . (1938). Holt.
	No author for articles, chapters, or webpages	Senate passes bill to stop shark finning in U.S. (2011, January). <i>Sea Technology</i> , 52(1), 51.
	An author named Anonymous ⁵	Anonymous. (1933). <i>The Spanish Republic: A survey of two years' progress</i> . Eyre and Spottiswoode.
Notes	¹ For exactly 20 or fewer authors, list all authors and include an ampersand (&) before the last author's name. ² Include the DOI if one exists, even if you read the print version of the article. ³ List the first 19 authors, followed by an ellipsis (. . .) then end with the last author. This paper has 2,311 authors! ⁴ This article appears in an online journal that numbers each article, but paginates each article from page 1. This article was numbered 965, but that is not included in the reference. ⁵ Use this only when the author chooses to sign their writing as Anonymous. This is not the same as having no author.	

Selecting your final Citations and References:

- Every source that has informed your thinking should be both cited and referenced.
- Resources in the list must have at least one in-text citation.
- In-text citations flag exact locations using sources of information within the context of your written assignment.
- References describe details of the works that correspond to your citations.

In-text citations can be either parenthetical or narrative (APA, 2020, pp. 266, 272). The examples below show the wide variety of ways you can create in-text citations for quotations and paraphrases. Note that the source cited is imaginary.

QUOTATION EXAMPLES (page numbers required)		
Author(s)	Parenthetical citations	Narrative citations
1 author	<p>“Writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (Beals, 2020, p. 5).</p> <p>Writing is difficult because “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (Beals, 2020, p. 5).</p>	<p>Beals (2020) noted that “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (p. 5).</p> <p>In 2020, Beals noted that “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (p. 5).</p> <p>Writing is difficult because, as Beals (2020) noted, “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (p. 5).</p>
2 authors	<p>“Writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (Beals & Smith, 2020, p. 5)</p> <p>Writing is difficult because “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (Beals & Smith, 2020, p. 5).</p>	<p>Beals and Smith (2020) noted that “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (p. 5).</p> <p>Beals and Smith (2020, p. 5) noted that “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing”.</p> <p>Writing is difficult because, as Beals and Smith (2020) noted, “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (p. 5).</p>
3 or more authors	<p>“Writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (Beals et al., 2020, p. 5)</p> <p>Writing is difficult because “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (Beals et al., 2020, p. 5).</p>	<p>Beals et al. (2020) noted that “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (p. 5).</p> <p>Beals and colleagues (2020) noted that “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (p. 5).</p> <p>In 2020, Beals et al. noted that “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing” (p. 5).</p> <p>Writing is difficult because, as Beals and colleagues (2020, p. 5) noted, “writers need clear thinking to produce clear writing”.</p>
PARAPHRASING EXAMPLES (page numbers not required)		
1 author	To write well, an author needs a good understanding of the topic (Beals, 2020).	<p>Beals (2020) noted that to write well an author needs a good understanding of the topic.</p> <p>In 2020, Beals noted that to write well an author needs a good understanding of the topic.</p>
2 authors	To write well, an author needs a good understanding of the topic (Beals & Smith, 2020)	<p>Beals and Smith (2020) noted that to write well an author needs a good understanding of the topic.</p> <p>In 2020, Beals and Smith noted that to write well an author needs a good understanding of the topic.</p>
3 or more authors	<p>To write well, an author needs a good understanding of the topic (Beals et al., 2020)</p> <p>Writing is difficult because an author needs a good understanding of the topic in order to write well (Beals et al., 2020).</p>	<p>Beals et al. (2020) noted that to write well an author needs a good understanding of the topic.</p> <p>Beals and colleagues (2020) noted that to write well an author needs a good understanding of the topic.</p> <p>In 2020, Beals et al. noted to write well an author needs a good understanding of the topic.</p> <p>Writing is difficult because, as Beals and colleagues (2020) noted, to write well an author needs a good understanding of the topic.</p>
Note	<i>There are many more ways than these examples to write your own parenthetical and narrative in-text citations.</i>	

AUTHOR VARIATIONS		
(APA, 2020, pp. 286-287)	Author's Name	APA Style (invert, and shorten)
Simple names	James Warton Hui Teng	Warton, J. Teng, H.
Middle names or initials	Ken Kent Ross ¹ Rajiv Mohan Gupta ¹ Juan Antonio Lopez Ferez ¹ Simeon C. Ntafos	Ross, K. K. Gupta, R. M. Lopez Ferez, J. A. Ntafos, S. C.
Hyphenated names	Abdul-Kadim Hay'awi Jo-Ann Tilton Jo-ann Bradley Lori Lee-Penney	Hay'awi, A.-K. Tilton, J.-A. Bradley, J. Lee-Penney, L.
Names with position prefix or suffix Exceptions	Elder Shirley Williams James John Jr. Bisogni Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr. Pope Francis Dr. Seuss	Williams, S. Bisogni, J. J. Jr. King, M. L., Jr. Pope Francis. Dr. Seuss.
Celebrity names (do not change)	Beyoncé Lady Gaga	Beyoncé. Lady Gaga.
Duplicate names	Richard Richards Li Li	Richards, R. Li, L.
Retain lowercase	Andrew Van de Ven e. e. cummings	Van de Ven, A. cummings, e. e.
Cultural knowledge required	Bin Chen (in an English journal) Chen Bin (in a Chinese journal) Qwul'sih'yah'maht/Robina Thomas	Chen, B. Chen, B. Qwul'sih'yah'maht [Thomas, R.].
Note	¹ Sometimes you cannot tell if the middle name is part of the given name or part of the surname. Search beyond the journal to find out how to cite an author's name, e.g., university websites.	

TITLE DESCRIPTIONS (useful when items are not articles, books, or reports)			
Author	Date	Title	Source
Villeneuve, D. (Director).	(2010).	<i>Incendies</i> [Film].	micro_scope.

The *APA Manual* uses even more descriptions than the ones shown below.

[Audiobook].	[Image].	[Press release].	[Tweet].
[Audio podcast].	[Infographic].	[Review of book <i>Title</i>] ¹	[Video].
[Audio podcast episode].	[Lab manual].	[Review of film <i>Title</i>] ¹	[Webinar].
[Code book].	[Lecture notes].	[Translation].	
[Computer software].	[Map].	[TV series].	[Master's thesis, University] ²
[Data set].	[Mobile app].	[TV series episode].	[Doctoral dissertation, University] ² .
[Editorial].	[Painting].	[Song].	[Unpublished doctoral dissertation].
[Film].	[Photograph].	[Special section].	[Unpublished master's thesis].
[Google map].	[Poster presentation].	[Speech].	[Unpublished manuscript].
[Grant].	[PowerPoint slides].	[Symposium].	[Unpublished data].

Notes	¹ Include actual title of book or film being reviewed, e.g., [Review of film <i>Incendies</i>] ² Provide the name of the university, e.g., [Doctoral dissertation, Dalhousie University]
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Use a hanging indent and double-spacing for all References

1. JOURNAL ARTICLES	
REFERENCES	
Online with DOI ¹	Schacter, D. L., Addis, D. R., Hassabis, D., Martin, V. C., Spreng, R. N., & Szpunar, K. K. (2012). The future of memory: Remembering, imagining, and the brain. <i>Neuron</i> , 76(4), 677-694. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.neuron.2012.11.001 Sirunyan, A. M., Tumasyan, A., Adam, W., Ambrogio, F., Asilar, E., Bergauer, T., Brandstetter, J., Brondolin, E., Dragicevic, M., Erö, J., Escalante Del Valle, A., Flechl, M., Friedl, M., Frühwirth, R., Ghete, V. M., Hrubec, J., Jeitler, M., Krammer, N., Krätschmer, I., . . . Woods, N. (2018). Measurement of differential cross sections for Z boson production in association with jets in proton-proton collisions at $\sqrt{s} = 13$ TeV. <i>The European Physical Journal C</i> , 78(11), 1-41. https://doi.org/10.1140/epjc/s10052-018-6373-0
Posted on an accessible website without DOI ²	Ashe, D. D., & McCutcheon, L. E. (2001). Shyness, loneliness, and attitude toward celebrities. <i>Current Research in Social Psychology</i> , 6(9), 124-132. https://uiowa.edu/crisp/sites/uiowa.edu.crisp/files/6.9.pdf
Print ³	Sawyer, J. (1966). Measurement and prediction, clinical and statistical. <i>Psychological Bulletin</i> , 66(3), 178-200. https://doi.org/10.1037/h0023624
Notes	¹ Use the secure URL by putting https://doi.org/ in front of the DOI – in this case 10.1016/j.neuron.2012.11.001 You can choose to shorten a long DOI at http://shortdoi.org/ (APA, 2020, p. 300). ² Without a DOI, give the URL of the online journal home page. ³ Printed articles may be assigned a DOI, if so you should include this in your reference. You can look for a DOI using the Crossref website, https://www.crossref.org/

2. NEWSPAPER AND MAGAZINE ARTICLES	
REFERENCES	
Newspaper article from the website ^{1,2}	Ellis-Petersen, H. (2017, March 29). Don't think twice, oh, all right: Bob Dylan finally agrees to collect Nobel prize. <i>The Guardian</i> . https://www.theguardian.com/music/2017/mar/29/bringing-it-all-back-home-bob-dylan-finally-agrees-to-collect-nobel-prize
Newspaper article from a database ^{1,3}	Altman, L. K. (2001, January 18). Mysterious illnesses often turn out to be mass hysteria. <i>New York Times</i> .
Magazine article ¹	Deisseroth, K. (2016, October). A look inside the brain. <i>Scientific American</i> , 315(4), 30-37.
Book Review	Gleick, E. (2000, December 14). The burdens of genius [Review of the book <i>The last samurai</i> , by H. DeWitt]. <i>Time</i> , 156, 171.
Newspaper article with no author ^{3,4,5,6,7}	Bahrain streets calm but tense. (2011, February 21). <i>The Chronicle Herald</i> [Halifax, NS].
Editorial in print ⁸	Sovereignty in the human presence [Editorial]. (2011, February 21). <i>The Globe and Mail</i> , p. A9.
Notes	¹ Give as full a date as possible. Do not shorten the names of months. e.g., (2000, March 14). ² URLs can be shortened if the website is searchable (APA, 2020, p. 300). ³ Do not include academic database names, such as CINAHL, Factiva, JSTOR or PsycINFO (APA, 2020, p. 297). ⁴ Articles without authors are referenced by the first words of their titles. ⁵ If you include a heading, the paragraph count rennumbers from 1: ("Bahrain," 2011, Heading words, para.1). ⁶ When doubt may exist, provide more information, e.g., <i>The Times</i> [London, England]. (APA, 2020, p. 314) ⁷ For geographic locations, use the 2-letter abbreviation for provinces and states but spell out country names. ⁸ Editorials must be clearly identified in your references.

3. INTERNET AND SOCIAL MEDIA MATERIALS**REFERENCES**

Personal homepage ¹	Atwood, M. (2020). Homepage. http://margaretatwood.ca/
Online community (including blogs) ¹	Lee, C. (2020, March 13) New reference examples on the APA Style website. <i>APA Style</i> . https://apastyle.apa.org/blog/reference-examples
Blog post ¹	Stafford, T. (2018, February 25). A graph that is made by perceiving it. <i>Mind Hacks</i> . https://mindhacks.com/2018/02/25/
Online comment to a post or article ^{1,2}	van der Hiel, A. (2018, February 25). Re: A graph that is made by perceiving it [Comment]. https://mindhacks.com/2018/02/25/a-graph-that-is-made-by-perceiving-it/#comments
Tweet ^{1,2}	Nye, B. [@BillNye]. (2019, July 29). <i>Spoiler alert: It's not carbonation, it's nitrogenation!</i> [Tweet]. <i>Twitter</i> . https://twitter.com/BillNye/status/1155918324779192320
Instagram image ^{1,3}	Symphony Nova Scotia [@symphonyns]. (2020, July 6). <i>Learn more about the ins and outs of a symphony orchestra with our Symphony 101 video series. You asked, we answered</i> [Photograph]. <i>Instagram</i> . https://www.instagram.com/p/CCTvmSxBCQ3/?igshid=104isa2ukenf9
Website of an organization or government body ^{1,4}	World Health Organization [WHO]. (2020, July 16). <i>Democratic Republic of the Congo Ebola cases rise, surpass previous outbreak</i> . https://www.afro.who.int/news/democratic-republic-congo-ebola-cases-rise-surpass-previous-outbreak Nova Scotia Department of Lands and Forestry. (2018). <i>Biodiversity data and information</i> . https://novascotia.ca/natr/wildlife/biodiversity/
Podcast ¹	Vedantam S. (Host). (2015-present). <i>Hidden brain</i> [Audio podcast]. NPR. https://www.npr.org/podcasts/510308/hidden-brain
Podcast episode ¹	Vedantam S. (Host). (2020, May 29). The time machine: How nostalgia prepares us for the future [Audio podcast episode]. In <i>Hidden brain</i> . NPR. https://www.npr.org/2020/05/29/865143353/the-time-machine-how-nostalgia-prepares-us-for-the-future
Online video from YouTube ⁵	TED. (2007, January 6). <i>Ken Robinson: Do schools kill creativity?</i> [Video]. YouTube. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iG9CE55wbtY
TED Talk video ⁵	Robinson, K. (2006, February). <i>Ken Robinson: Do schools kill creativity?</i> [Video]. TED Conferences. http://www.ted.com/talks/ken_robinson_says_schools_kill_creativity
PowerPoint presentation	Geist, M. (2017, November 8). <i>The challenges of open</i> [PowerPoint slides]. SlideShare. https://www.slideshare.net/FWD50/dr-michael-geist-fwd50-2017-breakout-the-challenges-of-open
Online map ^{6,7}	Google. (n.d.). [Google Maps directions for driving from Halifax, NS, to Truro, NS]. Retrieved July 24, 2020, from https://goo.gl/maps/wvBFV67Bax6Zp1qL7
Notes	¹ Use the most detailed date provided, which could be the (year), (year, month), or (year, month day). And for document use within an online context, hyperlinks are allowed (URL underlined). ² Include user screen names in addition to the author's real name if known. ³ In addition to the reference, you need to consider copyright permissions (APA, 2020, p. 346). ⁴ Use author name(s) if listed, otherwise use the name of the organization or government body. ⁵ Both references point to the same talk but it can be accessed on two different platforms (APA, 2020, pp. 343-344). ⁶ When using dynamic web applications and the date is not defined, use n.d. (APA, 2020, p. 291). ⁷ Retrieval dates are only included if the information may change at a different time (APA, 2020, pp. 290, 347).

Think about your assignment and whether using sources from the internet is appropriate.

4. BOOKS**REFERENCES**

Electronic/ebook¹ with DOI	Avgerou, C. (2003). <i>Information systems and global diversity</i> . https://doi.org/10.1093/acprof:oso/9780199263424.001.0001
Electronic, without DOI	Glosser, S. L. (2003). <i>Chinese visions of family and state, 1915-1953</i> . http://hdl.handle.net/2027/heb.04248.0001.001
Print/pbook¹	Avgerou, C. (2002). <i>Information systems and global diversity</i> . Oxford University Press.
Print, with an editor²	Updike, J. (Ed.). (1999). <i>The best American short stories of the century</i> . Houghton Mifflin.
Print, when citing a chapter	Rubenstein, J. P. (1967). The effect of television violence on small children. In B. F. Kane (Ed.), <i>Television and juvenile psychological development</i> (pp. 112-134). American Psychological Society.
Print, when citing a work from an anthology	Jung, C. G. (1990). On the nature and functioning of the psyche. In V. S. de Laszlo & R. F. C. Hull (Eds.), <i>The basic writings of C. G. Jung</i> (pp. 15-35). Princeton University Press. (Original work published 1947).
Print, a translation	Freud, S. (1970). <i>An outline of psycho-analysis</i> (J. Strachey, Trans.). Norton. (Original work published 1940).
No publication date³	Smith, J. (n.d.). <i>Morality in masquerade</i> . Churchill.
Notes	¹ <i>The same title may exist in both formats (electronic/ebook and print/pbook); you should cite the one used.</i> ² <i>Use (Eds.) instead of (Ed.) when there is more than one editor.</i> ³ <i>Use (n.d.) in place of a year when your work has no known date of publication.</i>

5. REPORTS**REFERENCES**

Industry report from a database	MarketLine. (2018, February 14). <i>Australia: Food and grocery retail</i> . MarketLine Advantage database.
Company report from a database	Mergent, Inc. (2017, December 31). <i>Facebook Inc (NMS: FB): Company profile</i> . Mergent Online database.
Report from a company website	Microsoft Corp. (2017). <i>Annual report</i> . https://www.microsoft.com/investor/reports/ar17/

6. DISSERTATIONS AND THESES**REFERENCES**

Electronic from a database¹	Clark, J. (2017). <i>Black lives matter as "social movement": Theorizing the materiality of movement of the social</i> (Publication No. 10601812) [Master's thesis, Colorado State University]. ProQuest Dissertations and Theses Global.
Electronic from an institutional repository²	Mancall, J. C. (1979). <i>Resources used by high school students in preparing independent study projects: A bibliometric approach</i> [Doctoral dissertation, Drexel University]. http://hdl.handle.net/1860/66
Print obtained from a university³	Carlson, W. R. (1977). <i>Dialectic and rhetoric in Pierre Bayle</i> . [Unpublished doctoral dissertation]. Yale University.
Notes	¹ <i>UMI Dissertation Publishing generates unique numbers for each doctoral dissertation and master's thesis.</i> ² <i>The Handle System provides unique URLs (making it similar to the DOI System).</i> ³ <i>Dissertations and theses not indexed in a database are "unpublished" (APA, 2020, p. 334).</i>

7. ENCYCLOPEDIAS AND REFERENCE MATERIALS

In-text citation ¹	("Acer saccharum," 2004)
REFERENCES	
Electronic with DOI ²	Levi, D. M. (2010). Amblyopia. In D. A. Dartt et al. (Eds.), <i>Encyclopedia of the eye</i> (pp. 63-66). https://doi.org/10.1016/B978-0-12-374203-2.00243-8
Electronic without DOI ²	Tolan, J. (2011). Petrus Alfonsi. In P. Bearman, et al. (Eds.), <i>Encyclopaedia of Islam</i> (2nd ed.). http://www.brillonline.nl/subscriber/entry?entry=islam_SIM-6120
Print, signed entry ^{2,3}	MacKintosh, N. J. (2010). Animal learning. In D.H. Hoiberg (Ed.), <i>Encyclopaedia Britannica</i> (15th ed., Vol. 22, pp. 854-869). Encyclopaedia Britannica.
Print, unsigned entry ^{1,2}	<i>Acer saccharum</i> [sugar maple]. (2004). In G. Sternberg (Ed.), <i>Native trees for North American landscapes</i> (pp. 56-59). Timber Press.
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