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MLA (9th ed.) Online Sources



Citing Online Sources

Articles from Library Databases

Elements (with examples):

1. Author's name (last name, first name) Moraga, Cherrie.

2. Title of article (in quotation marks) "Art in America, Con Acento."

3. Name of journal (italicized) Frontiers: A Journal of Women Studies,

4. Volume. Issue vol. 12, no. 3,

Note: Journal citations include the volume and issue number while magazine/newspaper citations do not.

5. Date published 1992,

6. Page number(s) pp. 154-160.
7. Database title (italicized) JSTOR,

8. DOI https://doi.org/10.2307/3346648

Formula:

Author(s). "Title of Article." *Name of Journal*, vol. ##, no. ##, date published, pp. ##-##. *Database Name*, DOI (or permalink if DOI not provided).

Examples for a Works Cited List

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- Lazarus, David. "Our Irrational Custom of Tipping." *Los Angeles Times*, 20 May 2016, pp. C1+. *ProQuest*, search.proquest.com/docview/1789939968?accountid=41101.
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- Morcos, Nicholas, and Roy Morcos. "Personality Disorders: A Measured Response." *Journal of Family Practice*, vol. 65, no. 2, Feb. 2016, pp. 90-97. *Health Source: Nursing/Academic Edition*, libpxy.lacitycollege.edu/login?url=http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct =true&db=hch&AN=113171251&site=ehost-live.
- Spivack, Miranda S. "Women in Combat." *CQ Researcher*, 13 May 2016, pp. 433-56. *CQ Press*, library.cqpress.com/cqresearcher/cqresrre2016051300.
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Online Books

If citing an online book that also appeared in print, begin the citation with the relevant facts about print publication (author, title, publisher, year published etc.), followed by the *Name of the Database* (*italicized*) and permalink or URL (omit http:// or https://).

Berk, Laura E. Awakening Children's Minds: How Parents and Teachers Can Make a Difference.

Oxford UP, 2004. eBook Collection (EBSCOhost), libpxy.lacitycollege.edu/login?url=

http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&db=nlebk&AN=143600&site=ehost-live.

Kipling, Rudyard. *The Jungle Book*. Century, 1913. *The Library of Congress: Classic Books*, www.read.gov/books/jungle book.html.

Web Pages

Elements:

1. Name of author Aydin, Scott I.

2. Title of Web page or article (in quotation marks) "Eisenmenger Syndrome."

3. Title of Web site or online periodical (italicized)

A.D.A.M. Medical Encyclopedia,

4. Name of publisher or sponsoring institution MedlinePlus,

Note: The name of the publisher can be omitted if it is essentially the same as the title of Web site

5. Date of publication or latest update 15 Mar. 2016,

6. URL (omit http:// or https://) medlineplus.gov/ency/article/007317.htm.

7. Date of access (day month year) Accessed 29 Sept. 2016.

Formula:

Author(s). "Title of the Page." *Title of the Web Site*, Name of Sponsoring Institution, date of publication/last update, URL. Accessed day month year.

Examples for a Works Cited List

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- Lowe, Josh. "Netflix, Amazon Could Face EU Content Quotas." *Newsweek*, 14 Sept. 2016, www.newsweek.com/netflix-amazon-eu-quotas-463379. Accessed 14 Sept. 2016.
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- Wattles, Jackie. "Clean Energy Gets Dirty: Turning Sewage into Heat." *CNNMoney*, 24 June 2016, money.cnn.com/2016/05/24/technology/sewage-energy-sharc-wastewater-systems/index. html?sr=recirc052516energy0930story. Accessed 3 Oct. 2016.