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## Books

### Book

**In-text citation**

(Fleer, 2015) OR Fleer (2015, p. 5) claimed that ....

**Reference list**


### eBook

**In-text citation**

(Bull, 2015) OR Bull (2015, p. 5) claimed ...

**Reference list**


- For eBooks, supply DOI where available, or URL in the absence of DOI (shorten the URL).
- Where a DOI is assigned do not include Retrieved from.
- The DOI can be expressed as either doi:10.1037/rmh0000008 or http://dx.doi.org/10.1037/rmh0000008, Make sure however that you are consistent and use the same format throughout the reference list.

### Book review

**In-text citation**

(Robbins, 2011) OR Lamphere (2005) critiques a recently written biography...

**Reference List**


- If the review is untitled, use the material in brackets as the title; retain the brackets to indicate that the material is a description of form and content, not a title.
- Identify the type of medium being reviewed in brackets (book, motion picture, television program, etc.).
- If the reviewed item is a film, DVD, or other media, include the year of release after the title of the work, separated by a comma.

### Chapter in edited book

**In-text citation**

(Petermann, 2015, p. 75)
### Reference list


**Chapter in edited eBook**

**In-text citation**

(Petermann, 2015, p. 75)

**Reference list**


- Use DOI where available, or in the absence of a DOI use URL
- Where a DOI is assigned do not include Retrieved from

**Conference paper - print**

**In-text citation**

(Meyers, 2008)

**Reference list**


- For conference proceedings published regularly (in a journal) - treat like a journal article.

**Conference paper - electronic**

**In-text citation**

As discussed by Novak and Verber (2015)...

**Reference list**


- For online proceedings, replace publisher and location details with DOI where available, or a shortened URL in the absence of DOI.

**Dictionary or Encyclopedia - print**

**In-text citation**
**What is a DOI?**

**Author variations**

**Publication details**

The Quick reference dictionary for occupational therapy (2015, p. 19) defined it as ...

**Reference list**


- For editions other than the first, enter the edition number after the title e.g. (6th ed.)
- For multi-volume works, add the volume numbers after the edition e.g. (6th ed., Vols. 1-10).

**Dictionary or Encyclopedia- electronic**

**In-text citation**

The Encyclopedia of computational neuroscience (2015, p. 19) defined it as ...

**Reference list**


- For eBooks, supply DOI where available, or URL in the absence of DOI (use a shortened URL).
  Where a URL is used include Retrieved from before the URL.

**Different book editions**

**In-text citation**


**Reference list**


- An edition number is placed after the title of the work - this is not necessary for a first edition
- For an eBook, add the DOI or the URL (shorten the URL)

**Editor – print book**

**In-text citation**

(Frame, 2015, p. 23)

**Reference list**


- For any resource with an editor instead of an author, add (Ed.). after the name of the editor in the reference list
- If more than one editor use (Eds.)

**Editor – electronic book**

**In-text citation**

What is a DOI?  Author variations  Publication details  4
What is a DOI?

For any resource with an editor instead of an author, add (Ed.). after the name of the editor in the reference list.

If more than one editor use (Eds.)

Reference list


Thesis - unpublished

In-text citation


Reference list


Thesis - published

In-text citation

According to Ling (2015)... OR Ling (2015, p. 6)

Reference list


Creative works

Artworks – painting

In-text citation

(Dykema, 2015)

Reference list


What is a DOI?  |  Author variations  |  Publication details
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### Artworks - sculpture

**In-text citation**
The sculpture by Bazille (1977) is located...

**Reference list**

- Include the location of the work i.e. gallery, otherwise use the URL if accessing online
- If you refer to a famous painting e.g. “Mona Lisa” a reference is not necessary

### Photograph in a book

**In-text citation**
The photograph of the dancers (Martin, 2013, p. 76)

**Reference list**

- When you only refer to the existence of a photograph, reference as above. If you reproduce/copy the work use the example for a figure
- When referring to a photograph from a book or journal reference the source where you found it

### Photograph on the internet

**In-text citation**
Van Gorder (2015) has photographed light movement in several ways ...

**Reference list**

- When you only refer to the existence of a photograph, reference as above.
- If you reproduce/copy the work use the example for a figure.
- When referring to a photograph from a book or journal reference the source where you found it.

### DVD’s & Films

**In-text citation**
(Miller, Mitchell, Voeten, McCarthy, & Lathouris, 2015)

**Reference list**

What is a DOI?

- For 5 authors see Author variations.
- The word Author is used as the publisher when the author and the publisher are the same.
- Put the format in square brackets.

Speech

**In-text citation**

Dr. King declared, “I have a dream that one day this nation will rise up and live out the true meaning of its creed” (Smith, 2009).

Obama claimed “I will do whatever it takes to defend the American people” (The White House, Office of the Press Secretary, 2009, March 4).

**Reference list**


- Reference the source where the speech was published. The speech itself is not referenced.
- Where the URL may change include a specific date.

Tables

**In-text citation**

As shown in Table 1, the responses were provided .... OR Maslach and Leiter (2008, Table 1, row 3)

**Caption below the table**


**Reference List**


- Title above table - Table X (add title of table).

Television program – single episode in a series

**In-text citation**

(Jones, Ehrlich, Birmingham, Burke, Harmer, & Le, 2015)

**Reference list**


- A single program is called a Television broadcast.
- Location includes city, state and the network (studio or distributor)
What is a DOI?

Author variations

Publication details
What is a DOI?

Author variations

Publication details

Reference List


- Figures include images, graphs, charts, maps, drawings and photographs that you have used in your paper. If you only refer to it reference as an image.
- Figure no. is your own and the title in the caption is from the original source. Number all figures with Arabic numbers (1, 2, 3 etc.) in the order in which they are first mentioned in the text. Do not use suffix letters like A, B or C.

Image in a book

In-text citation

The photograph “sliding shelves” (Johnson, 2012, p. 28) is an example of...

Reference list


- Image include graphs, charts, maps, drawings and photographs
- When you refer to the existence of an image but do not reproduce it yourself in your paper, you just reference as above.
- When you reproduce the image itself, it’s a figure and needs a copyright permission statement.

Image in a journal

In-text citation

The map “Countries and regions involved in midwifery collaborations” (Dawson, 2014, p. 394) provides data...

Reference list


- Image include graphs, charts, maps, drawings and photographs
- When you refer to the existence of an image but do not reproduce it yourself in your paper, you just reference as above.
- When you reproduce the image itself, it’s a figure and needs a copyright permission statement.

Image from a website

In-text citation

The unusual image of the bat seen on the Australian Museum website is one of 90 species.

Reference list


- Images include graphs, charts, maps, drawings and photographs
- Title of the image is not italicised.
- When you refer to the existence of an image but do not reproduce it yourself in your paper, you just reference as above.
- When you reproduce the image itself, it’s a figure and needs a copyright permission statement.
### Government sources

#### Acts of Parliament

**In-text citation**
The Commonwealth's Building Industry Act (1985, s. 10.4) states that...

*For future references omit date*

**Reference list**

Building Industry Act 1985 (Cth) s. 10.4. Retrieved from

http://www.comlaw.gov.au/ComLaw/Legislation/ActCompilation1.nsf/all/search/7C10CB6B67B620F0CA256F71004DCD0B

- The name of the legislation is not italicised
- If a specific section of the legislation was used, this can be specified ('s.' meaning 'section')
- Include the jurisdiction of the legislation in brackets (Cth or State)
- If the legislation is obtained from an electronic source, add a retrieval statement to the reference

#### Australian Bureau of Statistics

**In-text citation**

(Australian Bureau of Statistics, 2013) OR

(Australian Bureau of Statistics [ABS], 2013) and for subsequent citations use (ABS, 2013)

**Reference list**


- The word “Author” is used as the publisher when the author and the publisher are the same for print format

#### Case - print

**In-text citation**

*(Wong v. Commonwealth, 2000)*

**Reference list**

Wong v. Commonwealth (2000) 236 CLR 573

- For Australian court decisions the format is: Name v. Name (Year) Volume number Reporter Abbreviation First Page
- The format for a United States case is: Name v. Name, Volume Source Page (Court Date)

#### Case - electronic

**In-text citation**

*(Shea v. News Ltd., 2015)*
**Reference list**


- For Australian court decisions the format is: Name v. Name (Year) Volume number Reporter Abbreviation First Page
- The format for a United States case is: Name v. Name, Volume Title Page (Court Date)
- If a case is obtained from an electronic database, add a retrieved statement as for electronic journal articles.

**Government report - print**

**In-text citation**

(Ministry of Health, 2006)

**Reference list**


- If you used a print version of the report, replace the URL with the location and name of the publisher
- When the author is the publisher, the word Author is used
- If there is a report number, give it in parentheses after the title

**Government report - electronic**

**In-text citation**

(Ministry of Education, 2015)

**Reference list**


- If you used a print version of the report, replace the URL with the location and name of the publisher
- When the author is the publisher, the word Author is used
- Give the report number in parentheses after the title

**Patent**

**In-text citation**


**Reference list**


- Year refers to the issue year (not application year)
- In the reference list entry, include the inventor(s) to whom the patent is issued and the official from which the patent information can be retrieved

**Standards**

**What is a DOI?**

**Author variations**

**Publication details**
In-text citation
(Standards Australia, 2015)

Reference list
   ❖ Shorten the URL
   ❖ Include the standard number after the title

Internet

iLecture
In-text citation
(Leaver, 2012)
Reference list

Lecture notes
In-text citation
(Richardson, 2015)
Reference list
   ❖ Lecture notes are treated like books if they are published, and as personal communication if they are your own notes or unpublished
   ❖ Lecture notes are considered published if they have been copied and distributed in print or on the web with the instructor’s permission
   ❖ Further information on lecture notes and PowerPoint slides are available on page 31 of the APA Style Guide to Electronic References

Podcast
In-text citation
(Lee & Blake, 2015)
Reference list
What is a DOI?

Author variations

Publication details

The “who” can be a producer, writer or speaker

The “Retrieved from” line includes the homepage URL of where you found the podcast, not the full URL.

Streaming videos

In-text citation

(Video Age Productions, 2015)

Reference list


YouTube

In-text citation

(Haran, 2015)

Reference list


- For YouTube if both author and user name are available use the format Author, A. A. [User name]. When the real name is unavailable include only the user name without brackets.
- Include the date for the YouTube video in the format year, month day.

Webpage - document

In-text citation

(Haigh’s Chocolates, 2015)

Reference list


- For multiple pages from the same website your reference list would include a unique reference for each. Differentiate each reference with a, b c after the date. For e.g. (2011a).
- The title is not italicised.
- Use paragraph numbers instead of page numbers for html documents.

Webpage document - without author

In-text citation

(“All 33 Chile miners”, 2010)
### Reference list


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- The title is not italicised. Shorten title in the in-text citation
- Use paragraph numbers instead of page numbers for html documents

### Webpage document – without date

**In-text citation**

(Royal Institute of British Architects, n.d.)

**Reference list**


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- The title is not italicised.
- Use paragraph numbers instead of page numbers for html documents.

### Website

**In-text citation**

The Department of Health (http://www.health.gov.au/) has travel health information.

**Reference list** - No reference list entry is required.

- When citing the whole website (not a specific document from that website) you just provide the URL of the whole website in the in-text citation
- A website is not a specific document.

**Citing multiple pages from the same website**

- If you quote or paraphrase information from individual pages on a website, create a unique reference for each one.
- When you quote directly from a web page include the paragraph number in lieu of a page number e.g. para 2

### Wikipedia

**In-text citation**

(“Ecology”, 2016)

**Reference list**


- Wikipedia is italicized because it is the name of a reference work
- The access date is needed because the source material changes over time
### Journal Articles

#### Abstract as original source - electronic

**In-text citation**

(Tuorila, Palmujoki, Kytö, Törnwall, & Vehkalahti, 2016)

**Reference list**


#### Abstract as original source - print

**In-text citation**

(Paterson, 2008)

**Reference list**


Cite as an electronic journal article. Shortened URL should begin with Abstract retrieved from For a print article abstract add [Abstract] after the title

#### Cochrane Systematic Review

**In-text citation**

Singh, Kour, and Jayaram (2012) OR (Singh, Kour, & Jayaram, 2012, p. 18)

**Reference list**


The year of publication is also the volume number

#### Curtin eReserve book chapter

**In-text citation**

(Clow & Baack, 2014)

**Reference list**

**What is a DOI?**

- Where the book has no editors reference as above
- For an edited book see example for “Article or chapter in a book” pp. 2-3

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- As soon as an article is accepted for publication, the status changes to in press and you can include the name of the journal in the reference

In-text citation
(Castle, in press)

Reference list – manuscript article has only been submitted and not accepted yet
Castle, R. (2012). *Shadowing a police officer: How to be unobtrusive while solving cases in spectacular fashion.* Manuscript submitted for publication.

- If the manuscript has been submitted for publication use the year the manuscript was written (not the year it was submitted) as your date

Print journal article

In-text citation
(Stannard & Sanders, 2015)

Reference list

- Issue numbers are not in italics. Where the page numbers in the entire volume run consecutively, do not use issue number after the volume number

Print journal article – no author

In-text citation
.....as in (“New Baltic Icebreakers”, 2005)

Reference list

- For articles with no author, use a short title with capitalisation and enclosed in quotation marks in the in-text citation

News sources

Newspaper or Magazine article - print

In-text citation
(Urbina, 2015) OR (“Crimes aboard a scofflaw ship”, 2015)

Reference list

- For articles with no author shorten the title with capitalisation and enclose in quotation marks in the in-text citation. For more information click on Author variations

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- If the author’s name is not available, provide the screen name
- Titles for items in online communities are not italicised
- Include the full URL

**Blog comment**

**In-text citation**

(JW, 2015)

**Reference list**


- If the author’s name is not available, provide the screen name
- Titles for items in online communities are not italicised
- Include the full URL

**Email discussion list**

**In-text citation**

(cindiann, 2009) OR (Anderson, 2005)

**Reference list**


- If the author’s name is not available, provide the screen name
- Titles for items in online communities are not italicised
- Include the full URL

**Facebook**

**In-text citation**

(When I was your age, Pluto was a planet, 2009) OR (Nonja, n.d.)

**Reference list**

When I was your age, Pluto was a planet. [ca. 2009]. In Facebook [Group page]. Retrieved December 16, 2009, from http://www.facebook.com/group.php?gid=2207893888


- If date can be reasonably approximated use ca for “circa” [ca. 2009]. If the date is unknown use n.d. for “no date”
- Use the group name for a group page in the in-text citation
- Describe the source type inside square brackets e.g. [Fan page]
### Instagram

**In-text citation**

(libechillbro, 2013)

**Reference list**

libechillbro. (2013, April 18). Root beer floats are in honor of National Library Week... [Instagram post]. Retrieved from [https://instagram.com/p/5pjGjvjTH6/](https://instagram.com/p/5pjGjvjTH6/)

- Provide the author’s screen name in square brackets (if only the screen name is known, provide it without brackets)
- Provide the year, month, and day posted. First several words of Instagram post (if any)... [Instagram post]. Retrieved from URL

### Twitter

**In-text citation**

(Jackman, 2015)

**Reference list**

Jackman, H. (2015, November 12). At the dentist ... This is the BEFORE I found out I was having a tooth pulled photo [Tweet]. Retrieved from [https://twitter.com/RealHughJackman/status/664800426961870849](https://twitter.com/RealHughJackman/status/664800426961870849)

- Provide the author’s screen name in square brackets (if only the screen name is known, provide it without brackets)
- Provide the year, month, and day for items that have a specific date associated with them, such as status updates, tweets, photos, and videos; otherwise, provide only the year

### Other Sources

#### Bible and other classic works

**In-text citation**

The researchers consulted the Bible (King James Version) to provide items for the development of their religious values assessment. OR

The Bible enumerates these virtues: “And now these three remain: faith, hope and love. But the greatest of these is love” (1 Cor. 13:1 New International Version).

**Reference list** - No reference list entry is required

- Generally “the classics” are works that are thousands of years old
- For your first in-text citation, whether it is general or a direct quote or paraphrase, identify the version you used, if that is relevant
- You do not need to repeat the version name in subsequent references

### What is a DOI?

**Author variations**

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**Brochure, Fact sheet, Pamphlet - print**

**In-text citation**

(Southern Cross University, 2008)

**Reference list**


- If the author of the pamphlet is also the publisher substitute Author for the publisher’s name.
- If there is no date of publication, use the abbreviation n.d.
- If there is no city or location identified for the publisher, use the abbreviation n.p.

**Brochure, Fact sheet, Pamphlet - electronic**

**In-text citation**

(Department of Health, 2015)

**Reference list**


- If the author of the pamphlet is also the publisher substitute Author for the publisher’s name.
- If there is no date of publication, use the abbreviation n.d.

**Computer software**

**In-text citation**

We used the Obscure Reference Generator (Version 2.1; Esolang, 2014) and Version 1.0 of Customized Synergy (2014) to complete our work.

**Reference list**


- The name of the program is not italicised.
- A reference is not necessary for standard software e.g. Microsoft Word, Java, Adobe Photoshop etc.; use only for specialised software.
- When the program is mentioned use the version number.
- Video games are software.

**Data set**
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| In-text citation | (U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, 2011) |


- Do italicize the title of the data set

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| In-text citation | (Skyscape, 2013) |


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- Rights holder, A. A. (year). Title of Software or Program (Version number) [Mobile application software]. Retrieved from [http://xxxxx](http://xxxxx)
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| In-text citation | Sillmann (2015) gives suggestions... |


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| In-text citation | P. M. Walker (personal communication, April 18, 2015) OR (T. S. Reed, personal communication, September 20, 2014) |

| Reference list | Personal communications are not included in the Reference List |

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- Cite in text only. Give the initials as well as the surname of the communicator and provide as exact a date as possible
# Author Variations

## No author

**In-text citation**

(Regional perspectives on aid for trade, 2014)  OR  The book Regional perspectives on aid for trade (2014)...

**Reference list**


- Use the title in place of the author in the in-text and in the reference list
- Shorten title if too long

## Single author

**In-text citation**

(Fleer, 2015)  OR  Fleer (2015, p. 5) claimed that...

**Reference list**


## Two authors

**In-text citation**

(Samson & Gloet, 2016)  OR  Samson and Gloet (2016) found that...

**Reference list**


- List both authors in every citation
- Spell ‘and’ if it forms part of the text in the in-text citation

## Three – five authors

**In-text citation**

(Doyle, MacGregor, & McEachern, 2015)  OR

Doyle, MacGregor, and McEachern (2015) found that...

**Subsequent citations**

(Doyle et al., 2015)  OR  Doyle et al. (2015) suggested that...

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- Cite all authors the first time the reference is used
- In subsequent citations, include only the surname of the first author followed by et al.

### Six – seven authors

**In-text citation**

(Christensen et al., 2014) OR Lilienfeld et al. (2014) claimed that...

**Reference list**


- Cite only the surname of the first author followed by et al.

### Eight or more authors

**In-text citation**

(Christensen et al., 2016) OR Shields et al. (2016) claimed that...

**Reference list**


- Cite only surname of the first author by followed by et al.
- For works with 8 or more authors, list the first 6 authors followed by 3 full stops (. . .) then the last author’s name in the reference list

### Multiple authors for the same information

**In-text citation**

Curtin is a leading Australian university with domestic and international campuses. It is named after John Curtin, the 14th prime minister of Australia (Adams, 2013; Black & Smith, 2012; Hayward, 2014)

**Reference list**

Include all authors in the reference list as per other examples

### Multiple works, same author, different year

**In-text citation**


**Reference list**


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The Digital Object Identifier (DOI®) System is used to uniquely identify objects in the digital environment, for example a journal article, ebook, or data set.

The online environment is inherently unstable, and information about a digital object, including its location, may change over time. The DOI name will not change, thus the DOI provides a persistent link to the object.

This DOI pinpoints a specific article among all those published electronically, by all publishers. You can type the DOI directly into a catalogue, database, or search engine.

An example of a DOI is: 10.1016/j.enpol.2009.06.014.

You can also turn the DOI into a link you can look up on the internet by adding the prefix http://dx.doi.org/ to the DOI number. This is called a resolved DOI. An example is http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.enpol.2009.06.014.

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**Publication Details**

**No date of publication** - Use 'n.d.' for the year in the citation and reference list.

**Example**: Author. (n.d.). For same author with multiple citations use e.g.  
  Smith, J. (n.d.-a)  
  Smith, J. (n.d.-b)

**Approximate date** - Precede the year with ca for circa

**Example**: (ca. Year)

**Author the same as the publisher** - Replace the name of the publisher with the word author

**Example**: Author name. (Year). Title. Place of publication: Author

**Place of publication** - For places in Australia or the United States: Follow the place of publication by the postal abbreviation for the state. For other places: Use the name (or abbreviation) of the country.

**Examples**: Melbourne, VIC: Berlin, Germany: Los Angeles, CA:

**No place of publication** - Only required for printed materials that are not journals. If a book does not have a place of publication, use 'n.p.' to indicate no place.

**Example**: Author. (Year). *Title*. n.p.: Publisher.