

How to Cite Sources: APA Style

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■ Introduction

Why cite?

The purpose of citing sources is to give credit to the author for any ideas or quotations that you use, and to enable your reader to locate the sources.

How to cite?

Step 1. Decide what type of resource you are using: a book? a web site? a magazine? an interview?

Step 2. Find the example in this brochure, or look it up in the APA manual.

Step 3. Write your citation, following the appropriate examples. Use the proper punctuation; but remember, your source might not have all of the parts listed in the guidelines and examples.

Important note

APA style requires that the text of a paper and the references list must be double-spaced. Please consult academic programs or instructors to determine if they use a modified version of the APA style.

APA Manual

The most common types of sources are listed in this section, but for explanations and examples of other types of sources, please ask your instructor, or refer to the Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association (5th ed.). The call number for this book is: BF76.7 .P83 2001.

■ Books

General notes about books: If name(s) are the first part of the citation, they are capitalized and listed—last name, then initials. Separate names with a comma, and use an ampersand (&) before the last author. Use Ed. for one editor, Eds. for multiple editors. Capitalize the first word in titles and subtitles, and proper names. Place of publication should include the city name and two letter state abbreviation unless it is a major city as listed on page 176 (APA Publication Manual). If you are citing a book chapter or section you must indicate the pages. Use p. for a single page and pp. for multiple pages. Put a space after the p. and put a - (dash) between the numbers.

Book by a single author.

Author's name. (Year). *Title of book*. Place of publication: Publisher.

Chitty, D. (2003). *Do lemmings commit suicide? Beautiful hypotheses and ugly facts*.

New York: Oxford University Press.

Book by two or more authors.

Author's names. (Year). *Title of book*. Place of publication: Publisher.

Rosellini, G., & Worden, M. (2004). *Of course you're angry: A guide to dealing with the emotions of substance abuse* (Rev. ed.).

Center City, MN: Hazelden.

Book by a corporate author.

Corporate author. (Year). *Title of book*. Place of publication: Publisher.

Children's Express. (1999). *Voices from the future: Our children tell us about violence in America*. New York: Crown.

Book by an unknown author.

Title of book. (Year). Place of publication: Publisher.

The Koran. (1974). New York: Crescent Books.

Book with editors.

Editor's name. (Ed.). (Year). *Title of book*. Place of publication: Publisher.

Moen, P., Elder, G., & Luscher, K. (Eds.). (1995). *Examining lives in context: Perspectives on the ecology of human development*. Washington, DC: American Psychological Association.

Introduction, preface, foreword, or afterword.

Author of section being cited. (Year). Name of section. In author of book, Title of book (p. or pp. page numbers). Place of publication: Publisher. Take note: The section author is listed differently than the author(s) of the whole book.

Jeffrey, I. (2002). Introduction. In B. Savelev, *Secret city: Photographs from Peru* (pp. 8-12). New York: Thames and Hudson.

Edition other than the first.

Author's name. (Year). *Title of book* (Number of edition). Place of publication: Publisher.

Hoff, R. (1992). *I can see you naked : A new revised edition of the national bestseller on making fearless presentations* (New rev. ed.). Kansas City, MO: Andrews and McMeel.

Pasachoff, J. (1999). *Field guide to the stars and planets* (3rd ed.). Boston: Houghton Mifflin.

Work in an anthology.

Author's name. (Year). Title of selection. In Editor's name (Ed.), *Title of anthology* (Vol. volume number if appropriate, pp. page numbers of selection). Place of publication: Publisher.

Updike, J. (2004). Reading Trends. In M. Meyer (Ed.), *The Bedford introduction to literature: Reading, thinking and writing* (pp. 487-491). Boston: St. Martin's Press.

Encyclopedia or dictionary entry.

Author's name. (Year). Entry heading or title. In *Title of anthology* (Vol. volume number, then if appropriate, pp. page#s). Place of publication: Publisher.

Tavris, C. (1989). Queen bee syndrome. In *Women's studies encyclopedia* (Vol. 1, p. 307). New York: Greenwood Press.

Eschatology. (1982). In *Webster's new world dictionary of the American language* (2nd ed.). New York: Simon and Schuster.

Multivolume work.

Author's name. (Year). *Title of multivolume work* (Vol. volume number-s). Place of publication: Publisher.

Schlager, N. (Ed.). (2000-2004). *How products are made: An illustrated guide to product manufacturing* (Vols. 1-4). Detroit, MI: Gale Research..

Mills, L. (1996). *Architecture of the Old South* (Vols. 1-2). Savannah, GA: Beehive Foundation.

■ Periodicals

General notes about periodicals: Names are listed last name, then initials, if name(s) is the first element of the citation. Separate names with a comma, and an ampersand (&) before the last author. If there is no author, then the title of the article is first.

Dates – Daily newspapers & newsletters: Use (Year, Month Day). Monthly newspapers & magazines with no volume number: Use (Year, Month). Journals: Use (Year)

Titles – Article titles: capitalize first word in titles and subtitles, and any proper names.

Journal titles – Capitalize all words except articles and prepositions

Issue numbers – Include if paginated by issue

Pages – Newspapers: use p. for one page, pp. for two or more pages. Magazines & journals: do not use p. or pp. before page numbers.

Article in a journal or magazine with volume number and continuous pagination. Author's name. (Year). *Title of article. Title of journal or journal, volume number, page numbers.* The issue number is not included if all the issues in the volume have continuous pagination that continue through all the issues of the volume.

The issue number is not included if all the issues in a volume have continuous pagination that continues through all the issues of the volume.

Watson, J. D., & Crick, F. H. (1953). A structure for deoxyribose nucleic acid. *Nature, 171, 737-738.*

Jasper, W. F. (2004). Good cop, bad cop: Alarming expansion and bad police. work define today's FBI. *The New American, 13, 234-239.*

Article in a journal or magazine paginated by issue.

Author's name. (Year). Title of article. *Title of journal, volume number*(issue number—only if issue starts with page 1 rather than continuously paginated through all issues), page numbers.

Jones, H. M. (2002). The attractions of stupidity. *The St. Croix Review, 30*(2), 6-10.

Gerry, R.. (2000, April-June). Tempo training for freestyle. *Swimming Technique, 34*, 40-42.

Article in a daily newspaper.

Author's name. (Year, Month Day). Title of article. *Title of newspaper*, p. page#.

Munsey, C., & Shuey, P. J. (1997, May 8). Bomb threats to become felony. *The Capital*, p. A1.

Editorial in a newspaper.

Author's name. (Year, Month Day). Title of article [Editorial]. *Title of newspaper*, p. page#.

Krauthammer, C. (2004, April 25). Why feed a mortal enemy?
[Editorial]. *The Washington Post*, p. A27.

Unsigned article in a newspaper or magazine.

Title of article. (Year, Month Day). *Title of newspaper or magazine*, p. page#.

Student health insurance policy. (2004, May 23). *Anne Arundel College Campus Crier*, p. 1.

Review of a book or film.

Reviewer's name. (Year). Title of Review [Review of the book/film *Title of book or movie*]. *Title of magazine, volume number* (include the issue number if the journal is paginated by issue), page#.

Wrathall, J. (1997). [Review of the film *That thing you do!*].
Sight and Sound, 7, 57.

Reviewer's name. (Year, Month Day). Title of review [Review of the book/film *Title of book or movie*]. *Title of newspaper*, p. page#.

Maslin, J. (2001, December 11). Shakespeare saw a therapist?
[Review of the movie *Shakespeare in love*]. *The New York Times*, p. E16.

■ Electronic Sources

Due to space constraints, the citations in this handout are not double-spaced; however, APA style requires that the text of the paper and the references list must be double-spaced. Please consult academic programs or instructors to determine if they use a modified version of the APA style. For example, the Fischler School of Education and Human Services does state in its style guide that citations should be single spaced, but there should be a double space between citations.

APA Manual and Recent Updates

The most common types of sources are listed in this section, but for explanations and examples of other types of sources, please ask your instructor, or refer to the *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (5th ed.). APA published the [APA Style Guide to Electronic References](#) in 2007 that provided information about the formatting of a number of online resources. The examples provided here use the most recent recommendations provided for specific types of citations.

Periodicals

General notes about periodical articles and documents: Names are listed last name, then initials, if name(s) is the first element of the citation. Separate names with a comma, and an ampersand (&) before the last author. If there is no author, then the title of the article is first.

Dates– Daily newspapers & newsletters: Use (Year, Month Day). Monthly newspapers & magazines with no volume number: Use (Year, Month). Journals: Use (Year)

Titles– Article titles: capitalize first word in titles and subtitles, and any proper names.

Journal titles– Capitalize all words except articles and prepositions

Issue numbers and volume numbers – According to the *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007), the volume number and issue number should always be included “regardless of whether the journal is paginated separately by issue or continuously by volume” (APA, p. 2).

Pages– Newspapers: use p. for one page, pp. for two or more pages. Magazines & Journals: Do not use p. or pp. before page numbers.

Article in a journal or magazine. See APA manual, 5th ed.

Author's name. (Year). Title of article. *Title of journal or journal*, volume number(issue number), page numbers.

The issue number is always included even if the issues in the volume have pagination that continue through all the issues of the volume. This rule was changed in 2007 with the *APA Style Guide to Electronic References*. Retrieval statements are only included if that information is needed because there is only limited access to the resource, and it might be difficult to locate.

Jasper, W. F. (2006). Good cop, bad cop: Alarming expansion and bad police work define today's FBI. *The New American*, 13(5), 234-239.

- Ex: Journal article with DOI assigned. See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, p. 7 #1)

Gerry, R.. (2000, April-June). Tempo training for freestyle. *Swimming Technique*, 34(1), 40-42.
doi:10.1022/0202-9822.77.4.444

- Ex: Journal article with no DOI assigned. See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, pp. 7-8, #2)

Jones, H. M. (2005). The attractions of stupidity. *The St. Croix e-Review*, 30(2), 6-10. Retrieved from http://st_croix_e-review.com/index.php/articles/view/30/6/

- Ex: Preprint version of journal article with DOI assigned. See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, p. 8, #3)

Cox, C. (2006). An analysis of the impact of federated search products on library instruction using the *ACRL standards. Portal: Libraries and the academy*, 6(3), 253-267. Advance online

publication. Retrieved July 23, 2007. doi:10.1212/s00222-009-0987-6

- Ex: In-press article from institutional or personal Web site. See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, pp. 8-9, #4)

Watson, J. D., & Jones, F. H. (in press). A structure for deoxyribose nucleic acid. *Nature*. Retrieved August 2, 2007, from http://www.nsu.fl.edu/DNA/draft_pubs/12345678.pdf

- If the article is a draft or if it has been submitted to a journal for review but not been reviewed, then do not provide the name of the journal.

- Ex: In-press article from institutional or personal Web site. See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, pp. 8-9, #4)

Watson, J. D., & Jones, F. H. (in press). A structure for deoxyribose nucleic acid. *Nature*. Retrieved August 2, 2007, from <http://www.nature.com/DNA/volume22/12345678.pdf>

- Ex: Journal article retrieved from difficult source to locate online

Jennings, B. (1913). Lessons learned in the trenches: The experiences of an urban middle principal. *Leadership*, 4,(3), 12. Retrieved from JSTOR database.

Aggregated databases. The *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (5th ed.). (2001) said to use a retrieval statement for resources retrieved from an aggregated database. However, the *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, pp. 2, 10) changed this:

1. Use the Digital Object Identifier (DOI) to journal articles and other documents when available.
2. The retrieval date is now only included if the content being cited is likely to be changed or updated.
3. If you are using the archival copy or version of the record, include the source location if the content you are referencing is (1) available only in an electronic format or (2) is difficult to locate in print.

- Ex: Journal article with DOI assigned. See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, p. 7 #1)

Getweed, R.-J., Jr. (2007). Information literacy for distance students. *Journal of Library Administration*, 34(1), 40-42. doi:10.1022/0202-9822.77.4.444

- Ex.: Newsletter article – See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, p. 21 #41)

Mattel, J. (2004, Spring). Upward mobility. Portals of the World: Newsletter of the Florida Virtual University, 1(2). Retrieved from <http://www.fvu.edu/portalsoftheworld/newsletter0102/Spring2004.pdf>

- Ex.: Book chapter – See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, p. 10 #7)

Price, J. (1934). Bret Easton Ellis: Overview. In S. W. Brown (Ed.), *Contemporary novelists* (6th ed.). New York: St. James. Retrieved from Literature Resource Center database.

- Ex.: Entire Book -- See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, p. 10 #6)

Freud, S. (1911). *The interpretation of dreams* (3rd ed.). (A. A. Brill, Trans.). Available from

<http://psychwww.com/books/interp/toc.htm>

Web site–Web document similar to a print document. See *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (5th ed.). Cite as you would a printed source, followed by a retrieval statement that includes date of access and the name of the database. Start it with the word *Retrieved* and end with the Internet address. E.g.: Retrieved [Month day, year], from [Internet address/URL]

Adams, R. G. (1937). Librarians as enemies of books. In D. Seaman (Ed.), *The electronic text center*. Charlottesville, VA: University of Virginia. Retrieved January 7, 2002, from

<http://www.etext.lib.virginia.edu/modengA.html>

Web site–Web document without a print document counterpart. See *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (5th ed.). Cite as you would a printed source, followed by a retrieval statement that includes date of access and the Internet address. Authors' names (if any) are listed first, as for other resources (look for a corporate author if you can't find author names.) If you cannot find a title, you will have to provide a description of the content in brackets instead.

Last Name, Initials. (Date of electronic publication or update). *Title of the document* [or Description of content]. Retrieved [Month day, year], from [Internet address/URL]

Tanner Computer Services. (2003, July 7). *The world famous hot dog page*. Retrieved January 7, 2004, from <http://www.xroads.com/~tcs/hotdog/hotdog.html>

Kuo, H. (2006, October 14). [Home page]. Retrieved January 14, 2007, from

<http://www.edu/nlhome/g012/kuox0019/>

Web site–magazine, journal or newspaper article. See *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (5th ed.).

Cite as you would a printed source, followed by a retrieval statement that includes date of access and the Internet address or URL of the article. Start it with the word *Retrieved* and end with the Internet address/URL. E.g.: Retrieved [Month day, year], from [<http://...>]

Reed, M. L. (2000). Algebraic structure of genetic inheritance. *Bulletin of the American Mathematical Society*, 34, 107-130. Retrieved January 8, 2002, from

<http://www.ams.org/bull/1997-34-02>

- **Ex.: No page numbers for online article.** See *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (5th ed.).

Rosenberg, S. (1999, June 2). What is to be done about Microsoft? *Salon*. Retrieved January 10, 2002, from <http://www.salon.com/tech/col/rose/1999/06/02>

[/microsoft_breakup/index.html](http://www.salon.com/tech/col/rose/1999/06/02/microsoft_breakup/index.html)

Document available on university program or department Web site, no date. See *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (5th ed.).

Author. (Year, or use *n.d.* if no date). *Title of Web document*. Retrieved [Month day, year],

from [Institution Name, program or department] Web site: [URL]

Colman, W. C. (n.d.). *Comparisons of grade point averages between men who join fraternities and men who do not join fraternities at Shady Rock University*. Retrieved April 14, 2004,

from Nova Southeastern University, Programs for Higher Education Web site:

http://www.nova.edu/phe/phe_resources/online_documents.htm

Computer programs, software, and programming languages. See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, p. 17 #29). Software programs like Word, PowerPoint, SPSS, SAS, Java, Photoshop, and Adobe Acrobat that are considered standard, off-the-shelf software do not need reference entries. However, you do need to provide reference entries for specialized software or computer programs with limited distribution. Author. (Date). Title of Software or Computer Program (Version no.) [Any identifier]. City, state: Publisher. Retrieved Month day, year. Available from URL

Jones, D. F. (2002). The Mental Measurement Tester (Version 3.2) [Computer software].

Fort Lauderdale, FL: Nova Southeastern University. Retrieved July 22, 2007.

Available from <http://www.buros.com/>

1. The name of the software is not italicized, and the important words are capitalized.
2. The type of resource is identified in brackets.
3. The information about how to obtain this software or computer program of limited distribution is provided with retrieval date and statement that starts with Available from http://...

Dissertations, Theses, and Practicums

Dissertations done by students attending Nova before 1994 are from Nova University rather than Nova Southeastern University. If a page number is used in the citation, the number will always be immediately followed by an A or a B series letter with no spaces (see the examples below).

Doctoral dissertation retrieved from Dissertations and Theses database . See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, pp. 10-11 #8)

Author last name, first initial. (Year). *Title of dissertation*. Retrieved from Dissertations and Theses database. (AAT xxxxxxx)

Johnson, S. (2004). *Financial variables and merger premiums: Evidence from bank mergers*.

Retrieved from Dissertations and Theses database.(AAT 3025476)

1. Notice that the title of the dissertation is italicized.
2. A retrieval statement is included with the name of the Dissertations and Theses database because that is the only place this dissertation can be retrieved online.
3. The accession number is included in parentheses after the retrieval statement if one has been assigned. Note that there is no period included after the parentheses.

Doctoral dissertation abstracted in *Dissertation Abstracts International* (DAI) and obtained from UMI in print or microfiche. See APA manual, 5th ed.

Author. (Year). Title of publication. *Dissertation Abstracts International, volume number* (issue#),

page#series. (UMI No. xxxxxxxx)

-Ex.: Dissertation from Nova Southeastern University.

Cannon, C. (2004). Does moral education increase moral development? A reexamination of the moral reasoning abilities of working adult learners. *Dissertation Abstracts International*, 61(12), 4851A. (UMI No. 9999321)

Doctoral dissertation abstracted in Dissertation Abstracts International (DAI) and obtained in print from Nova Southeastern University.

Author. (Year). Title of dissertation (Doctoral dissertation, name of institution, year of the dissertation). *Dissertation Abstracts International*, volume number (issue#), page#series number.

Bi, W. (2001). Knowledge discovery by attribute-oriented approach under directed acyclic concept graph (DACG) (Doctoral dissertation, Nova Southeastern University, 2001). *Dissertation Abstracts International*, 62 (11), 5195B.

Doctoral dissertation abstracted in Dissertation Abstracts International (DAI) and obtained at another university. See *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (5th ed.).

Johnson, D. (2003). Designing bibliographic instruction online and face to face (Doctoral dissertation, University of Central Ohio, 2002). *Dissertation Abstracts International*, 62(8), 4672A.

Unpublished doctoral dissertation retrieved from institutional or personal Web site. See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, p. 11 #9)

Author. (Year). *Title of dissertation*. Doctoral dissertation, institution, date of completion.

Note: Dissertations before 1994 are from Nova University rather than Nova Southeastern University.

Bernardi, R. A. (1990). *Accounting pronouncements, firm size, and firm industry: Their effect on Altman's bankruptcy prediction model*. (Doctoral dissertation, Nova University, 1990). Retrieved from <http://www.google.com/~bernardi/dissertation.pdf>

Patterson, G. W. (2003). *A comparison of multi-year instructional programs (looping) and regular education program utilizing scale scores in reading*. (Doctoral dissertation, University of Florida, 2003). Retrieved from <http://www.uf.edu/~asb/thesis/>

Doctoral practicum indexed in ERIC

Sanford, C. A. (1997). *Working from within the classroom: Improving the delivery of speech-language services to kindergarten at-risk students*. Doctoral practicum, Nova Southeastern

University, Fort Lauderdale, FL. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED420967)

1. The name of the dissertation is italicized.
2. The type of dissertation or thesis is identified, the name of the institution, and year of completion is listed in parentheses.
3. The ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. is listed in parentheses and not followed by a period. See p. 257 #43 for the only example of an ERIC document in the *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (5th ed.).

Doctoral applied dissertation available on university program or department Web site, no date.

See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, p. 11 #9)

Author. (n.d. if no date, otherwise Year). *Title of dissertation*. Doctoral name of document type, institution, year of completion. Retrieved from [URL]

Matlak, K. L. (n.d.). *Outcomes evaluation of the Technology Property Initiative at Collin County Community College*. (Doctoral applied dissertation, Nova Southeastern University). Retrieved http://www.nova.edu/phe/phe_resources/online_documents.htm

Gray Literature

The *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007) defines gray literature as scientific, scholarly information that is not peer reviewed. Documents that fall into this category include reports by government agencies, corporations, trade groups, research institutions, professional organizations, and other for-profit and not-for-profit organizations including advocacy groups and think tanks.

Government publications -- print or archival copies that are easy to locate and obtain.

Author. (Year). *Title of publication* (Report number). Place of publication: Publisher.

- Note: The author is listed first, as in *Last name, Initials*. If you cannot find an author, treat the government department, office, agency, or institute that produced the report as the corporate author. If the report number is given, insert it in parentheses after the title. If the organization that produced the report is not well known, precede its name with the name of the organization of which it is a part.

U.S. Department of Justice. (1995). *Correctional Statistics in the U.S., 1992*. Washington, DC: Author.

Ex.: Technical or research report *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, p. 20 #36)

Young, F. D., Jones, R., & Sampson, M. (2006). *Correctional populations of the United States, 2002*. (Report No. ACRL223312). Retrieved from Bureau of Justice Statistics: <http://www.bjs.gov/pubs2006/2006ACRL223312.pdf>

Report available from the Government Printing Office (GPO) with a government institute as group author.

Author. (Year). *Title of report* (Report number). Location: Publisher or agency.

U.S. Department of Education. (1999). *Data sources on lifelong learning available from the National Center for Education Statistics* (GPO No: ED 1.310/2/:431892). Washington, DC: Author.

- Note that it is *DC* without periods like state abbreviations, but *U.S.* uses the periods.

Report available from the Educational Resources Information Center (ERIC).

Author. (Year). *Title of publication* (Report number). Place of publication: Publisher. (ERIC Document
Reproduction Service No. ED#####).

Schafer, L. L. (1999). *Data sources on lifelong learning available from the National Center for Education
Statistics. Work paper series* (NCES-WP-1999-11). Washington, DC: National Center for
Education Statistics. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED431892)

- See p. 257 #43 for the only example of an ERIC document in the *Publication Manual of the American
Psychological Association* (5th ed.).

**Government report not available from the Government Printing Office (GPO) or a document
depository like ERIC or NTIS.**

Author. (Year). *Title of publication* (Report letters/numbers). Place of publication: Publisher.

Health, Services, and Human Services Division, General Accounting Office. (1998). *Suicide
prevention: Efforts to increase research and education in palliative care. Report to
congressional requesters* (GAO/HEHS-98-128). Washington, DC: General Accounting Office.

Electronic version of U.S. government report available online. See the *Publication Manual of the
American Psychological Association* (5th ed.).

Author. (Year). *Title of publication* (Report letters/numbers). Place of publication: Publisher.

Use a retrieval statement that includes a date of access. Retrieved Month day, year,
from name of agency via Database Name: URL

Lewis, L., & Farris, E. (1996). *Remedial education at higher education institutions in fall 1995* (GPO
No: ED 1.328/5:R 28). Washington, DC: U. S. Department of Education. Retrieved
from General Accounting Office Reports online via GPO Access: [http://www.access
.gpo.gov/su_docs /aces/aces160.shtml?/gao/index.html](http://www.access.gpo.gov/su_docs/aces/aces160.shtml?/gao/index.html)

U.S. government report available on government agency Web site.

Name of agency. (Year). *Title of document* (Report number). Retrieved Month day, year, from URL

National Center for Higher Education. (2002). *Statistical analysis report: Higher education* (NCES
97-584). Retrieved June 22, 2004, from <http://nces.ed.gov/pubs/97584.html>

Educational Resources Information Center) documents with ED accession numbers are usually but not
always unpublished resources. If they are unpublished, you include the ED number in the citation. Give the
ERIC number in parentheses at the end of the entry unless the document was obtained full-text online. In
that case, the retrieval statement is last.

In cases of publications of limited circulation, the name and address of the publisher should be included in

parentheses after the title and before the ERIC ED number. See p. 257 #43 for the only example of an ERIC document in the *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (5th ed.).

ERIC Document retrieved from the ERIC Web site.

Author. (Year). *Title of document*. Place of Publication: Publisher. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED#####)

Griffin, D. (1999, August). *Initial findings on the benchmarks pilot project at Nova Southeastern University undergraduate education program*. Paper presented at the Association of Teacher Educators Summer Conference, San Antonio, TX. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED 4345595)

ERIC digest retrieved full-text in ERIC.

Author. (Year). *Title of document*. Place of publication: Publisher. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED#####) Retrieved Month day, year, from Database Name database.

McKay, K., & Sorenson, B. (1999). *How to use ERIC to search your special education topic: Update 1999. ERIC Digest E573*. Reston, VA: ERIC Clearinghouse on Disabilities and Gifted Education. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED 434456)

Unpublished conference paper indexed in ERIC and retrieved from a Web site.

Cite as you would a conference paper that was not published, followed by a retrieval statement that includes date of access. E.g.: Retrieved from Web site starting with <http://...>

Clay, D. (2002, April). WWW.2CHEAT.COM. Paper contributed to the Teaching in the Community Colleges Online Conference (3rd), Honolulu, HI. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED450824) Retrieved from <http://leahi.kcc.hawaii.edu/org/tcom98/rooks.html>

Unpublished doctoral practicum indexed in ERIC and retrieved online.

Author. (Year). *Title of dissertation*. Unpublished doctoral dissertation, institution, location. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED#####). Include retrieval statement.

Green, G. F. (2005). *Working in the classroom to balance intellectual and emotional needs of at-risk students*. Unpublished doctoral practicum, Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED691124)

1. This practicum is readily available through the ERIC Document Reproduction Service microfiche collection and via the Internet in a PDF format so it does not need a retrieval statement. See *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, pp. 1-3).

ERIC document with limited circulation information.

Author. (Year of publication.) If no author, *title of document* first [Medium].

(Year of publication if no author.)(Name and mailing address for obtaining the publication. A Web address can be used in place of or in addition to address.)(ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED#####)

Enhancing education through technology: New tools to close the achievement gap. Satellite town meeting #79: May 15, 2003. [Videotape]. (2004). (Available from ED Pubs, P.O. Box 1398, Jessup, MD, 20794-1398) (ERIC Document Reproduction No. ED435672)

Education Development Center. (2004). *Districts on the move: Unified student service in Boston public schools: Building a continuum of services through standards-based reform.* (National Institute for Urban School Improvement, Education Development Center, Inc., 55 Chapel Street, Newton, MA, 02458.) (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED455329)

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Published conference paper in conference proceedings.

Author. (Year,). Title of paper. In Editor (first initial, last name) (Ed.)
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Gibson, C. C. (2005). In S. Allsop (Ed.) Impact of the larger social context on the distance.
International Council for Distance Education: One world many voices: Quality in open and distance learning (pp. 279-282). Chicago: Milton Keynes.

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Johnson, D. F. (2002, April 3). Problems accessing information [Msg 2]. Message posted to news://sci.psychology.hyposis/, archived at <http://groups.google.com/group/sci.psyc.hyposis/>

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Video Weblog post. See the *APA Style Guide to Electronic References* (2007, pp. 23-24 #50)

Author or screen name. (Year, Month day). Subject line of message [Id]. Video posted to URL.

Ramdial, S. F. (2007, August 3). The IRB process [Video file]. Video posted to http://www.you_tube.com/group/watch?v=Xkas43nsu_IRB

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F.2d	<i>Federal Reporter, Second Series</i>
F. Supp.	<i>Federal Supplement</i>
U.S.C.	<i>United States Code</i>
Cong. Rec.	<i>Congressional Record</i>
Fed. Reg.	<i>Federal Register</i>

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McDougall v. Riggs, No. 88-2109 (3rd Cir. March 8, 1949).

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Stem cell research: The pros and cons of cloning: Hearings before the Subcommittee on Bioethics, of the House Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions, 110th Cong., 35 (2000) (testimony of Carey Hunt).

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Title [if relevant], bill or resolution number, xxx Cong., (Year). The version in the House of Representatives has H.R. and the bill number while the version of the bill in the Senate has S.

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xx Res. xxx, xxx Cong., Volume Source Page (Year) (enacted).

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Administrative and Executive Materials.

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Title/Number, Volume Source § xxx (Year).

Federal Small Business Regulations for Acquisitions by the National Parks Administration,

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app. at 5-5-09 (2002).

Patents.

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Borwin, G. F. (1998). *U.S. Patent No. 178,323*. Washington, DC: U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.

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Author last name, first initial. (Year). Title of dissertation. *Dissertation Abstracts International, volume number* (issue#), page#series. Retrieved Month day, year, from Digital Dissertations database.

Johnson, S. (2001). Financial variables and merger premiums: Evidence from bank mergers
Dissertation Abstracts International, 62 (9), 3134A. (UMI No. AAT 3025476) Retrieved June
22, 2002, from Digital Dissertations database.

Doctoral dissertation abstracted in Dissertation Abstracts International (DAI) and obtained from UMI in print.

Author. (Year). Title of publication. *Dissertation Abstracts International, volume number* (issue#), page#series. (UMI No. xxxxxxxx)

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Cannon, C. (2004). Does moral education increase moral development? A reexamination of
the moral reasoning abilities of working adult learners. *Dissertation Abstracts
International, 61* (12), 4851A. (UMI No. AAT 9999321)

- Ex.: Dissertation from University of Texas at Austin.

Garza, N. R. (1994). A description and analysis of selected successful developmental reading
programs in Texas communities colleges. *Dissertation Abstracts International, 55* (6).
1433A. (UMI No. AAT 9428519)

Doctoral dissertation abstracted in Dissertation Abstracts International (DAI) and obtained in print

from Nova Southeastern University. Author. (Year). Title of dissertation (Doctoral dissertation, name of institution, year of the dissertation). *Dissertation Abstracts International*, volume number (issue#), page#series number.

Bi, W. (2001). Knowledge discovery by attribute-oriented approach under directed acyclic concept graph (DACG) (Doctoral dissertation, Nova Southeastern University, 2001). *Dissertation Abstracts International*, 62 (11), 5195B.

Doctoral dissertation abstracted in Dissertation Abstracts International (DAI) and obtained at that university.

See format in previous example.

Johnson, D. (2003). Designing bibliographic instruction online and face to face (Doctoral dissertation, University of Central Ohio, 2002). *Dissertation Abstracts International*, 62 (8), 4672A.

Unpublished doctoral dissertation. Author. (Year). *Title of dissertation*. Unpublished doctoral dissertation, institution, location. Note: Dissertations before 1994 are from Nova University rather than Nova Southeastern University.

Bernardi, R. A. (1990). *Accounting pronouncements, firm size, and firm industry: Their effect on Altman's bankruptcy prediction model*. Unpublished doctoral dissertation, Nova University, Fort Lauderdale, FL.

Patterson, G. W. (2003). *A comparison of multi-year instructional programs (looping) and regular education program utilizing scale scores in reading*. Unpublished doctoral dissertation, University of Florida, Gainesville, FL.

Unpublished doctoral practicum indexed in ERIC and retrieved online.

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Sanford, C. A. (1997). *Working from within the classroom: Improving the delivery of speech-language services to kindergarten at-risk students*. Unpublished doctoral practicum, Nova Southeastern University, Ft. Lauderdale, FL. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED420967) Retrieved December 21, 2001, from ERIC Database.

Unpublished doctoral applied dissertation available on university program or department Web site, no date.

Author. (n.d. if no date, otherwise Year). *Title of dissertation*. Unpublished doctoral name of document type, institution, city, state unless city name is also in name of institution. Retrieved date of access, from institution, department or program Web site: URL

Matlak, K. L. (n.d.). Outcomes evaluation of the Technology Property Initiative at Collin County

Community College. Unpublished doctoral applied dissertation, Nova Southeastern University, Fort Lauderdale, FL. Retrieved May 11, 2002, from Nova Southeastern University, Programs for Higher Education Web site: http://www.nova.edu/phe/phe_resources/online_documents.htm

Unpublished doctoral MARP.

Author. (Year). *Title of document*. Unpublished doctoral document name, name of institution, place. Note: If this is indexed in ERIC, you also need the ERIC ED number. If you obtain it full text online, you also need the retrieval statement that includes the date of access. See the next example.

Digby, K. E. (1985). *A comparison of the characteristics of successful and non-successful associate degreenursing students*. Unpublished doctoral major applied research project, Nova University, Fort Lauderdale, FL.

Unpublished master's research project indexed in ERIC and retrieved online.

Author. (Year). *Title of project*. Unpublished master's type of document, name of institution, place. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED#####) Retrieved Month, day, year, from Database Name database.

Brown, M. (2004). Increasing participation of female students in physical science class. Unpublished master's action research project, St. Xavier University, Smithtown, IL. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED455121) Retrieved December 24, 2004, from ERIC database.

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Government publications.

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U.S. Department of Justice. (1995). Correctional populations of the United States, 1992. Washington, DC: Bureau of Justice Statistics.

Report available from the Government Printing Office (GPO) with a government institute as group author. Author. (Year). *Title of report* (Report number). Location: Publisher or agency.

Shafer, L. (1999). *Data sources on lifelong learning available from the National Center for Education Statistics* (GPO No: ED 1.310/2/:431892). Washington, DC: U.S. Department of Education.

Report available from the Educational Resources Information Center (ERIC). Author. (Year). *Title of publication* (Report number). Place of publication: Publisher. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. EDnumber)

Schafer, L. L. (1999). *Data sources on lifelong learning available from the National Center for Education Statistics. Work paper series* (NCES-WP-1999-11). Washington, DC: National Center for Education Statistics. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED431892)

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Health, Services, and Human Services Division, General Accounting Office. (1998). *Suicide prevention: Efforts to increase research and education in palliative care. Report to congressional requesters* (GAO/HEHS-98-128). Washington, DC: General Accounting Office. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED420832)

Electronic version of U.S. government report available from GPO Access database on the Web (aggregated database). See format in previous citation. Retrieved date of access, from name of agency via name of database: URL

Lewis, L., & Farris, E. (1996). *Remedial education at higher education institutions in fall 1995* (GPO No: ED 1.328/5:R 28). Washington, DC: U. S. Department of Education. Retrieved June 20, 2002, from General Accounting Office Reports online via GPO Access: http://www.access.gpo.gov/su_docs/aces/aces160.shtml?/gao/index.html

U.S. government report available on government agency Web site.

Name of agency. (Year). *Title of document* (Report number). Retrieved date of access, from URL.

National Center for Higher Education. (2002). *Statistical analysis report: Higher education* (NCES 97-584). Retrieved June 22, 2002, from <http://nces.ed.gov/pubs/97584.html>

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Author. (Year). Title of document. Place of publication: Publisher. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED#####) Retrieved Month day, year, from Database Name database.

McKay, K., & Sorenson, B. (1999). *How to use ERIC to search your special education topic: Update 1999. ERIC Digest E573.*

Reston, VA: ERIC Clearinghouse on Disabilities and Gifted Education.

(ERIC Document Reproduction Service No.

ED434456) Retrieved December 12, 2001, from the ERIC database.

Unpublished conference paper indexed in ERIC and retrieved from a Web site.

(Cite as you would a printed conference paper that was not published, followed by) Retrieved date of access (Month day, year) Name of Database and ending with the word "database".

Clay, D. (1998, April). WWW.2CHEAT.COM. Paper contributed to the Teaching in the Community Colleges Online Conference (3rd), Honolulu, HI. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED450824) Retrieved December 23, 2001, from <http://leahi.kcc.hawaii.edu/org/tcom98/rooks.html>

Unpublished conference paper indexed in ERIC.

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Parks, W., & Odom, S. L. (2000, June-July). *Reflections on community-based inclusive preschools*. Paper presented at the Head Start National Research Conference, Washington, DC. (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED450938)

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Pacific Resources for Education and Learning. (2001). *Art of the Pacific Islands* [CD-ROM]. (Available from Pacific Resources for Education and Learning, 1099 Alakea Street, 25th floor, Honolulu, HI 96813-4513) (ERIC Document Reproduction Service No. ED422222)

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Campbell, C. (1998, August). Quality assessment in distance education. *Annual Conference on Distance Teaching and Learning*, 507-510. Retrieved March 22,

2002, from <http://www.CDTL.org/index/disted/12333.htm>

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