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Examples

(Ki 1).

(Smith 23).

Works Cited Format

Author's Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article: Subtitle if Any." *Name of Journal*, vol. Volume Number, no. Issue Number, Date of Publication, pp. First Page Number- Last Page Number.

Examples

Ki, Eyun-Jung. "A Measure of Relationship Cultivation Strategies." *Journal of Public Relations Research*, vol. 21, no. 1, 2009, pp. 1-24.

Smith, John. "The Impact of Climate Change on Biodiversity." *Environmental Science Quarterly*, vol. 42, no. 3, 2021, pp. 45-60.

Journal Article From a Website

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Examples

(Garcia 12).

(Johnson 8).

Works Cited Format

Author's Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." *Title of Journal*, vol. Volume Number, no. Issue Number, Year, Page Range. *Title of Website*, URL.

Examples

Garcia, Maria. "Understanding Social Media Trends." *Communication Studies Quarterly*, vol. 35, no. 2, 2018, pp. 10-25. *Digital Trends*, www.digitaltrends.com/understanding-social-media-trends.

Johnson, Emily. "The Role of Artificial Intelligence in Healthcare." *Healthcare Technology Journal*, vol. 15, no. 3, 2020, pp. 5-20. *HealthTech Today*, www.healthtechtoday.com/role-artificial-intelligence-healthcare.

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One Author

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Examples

(Garcia 22).

(Guillen 1147).

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Examples

Garcia, Maria. "Understanding Social Media Trends." *Communication Studies Quarterly*, vol. 35, no. 2, 2018, pp. 10-25. *JSTOR*, doi:10.5678/csqr.35.2.10.

Guillen, Jorge. "Does Financial Openness Matter in the Relationship Between Financial Development and Income Distribution in Latin America?" *Emerging Markets Finance & Trade*, vol. 52, no. 5, 2016, pp. 1145-1155. *Business Source Premier*, <https://doi.org/10.1080/1540496X.2015.1046337>.

Two Authors

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(Author 1's Last Name and Author 2's Last Name Page Number).

Examples

(Latartara and Bass 97-98).

(Smith and Johnson 35).

Works Cited Format

Author's Last Name, First Name, and Second Author's First Name Last Name. "Title of Article." *Journal/Magazine/Newspaper Title*, Publication Information [volume, issue/number, year, pages]. *Name of Database*, DOI, Permalink or shortened URL for article in the database.

Examples

Latartara, John, and Melanie Bass. "The Timbre of Thai Classical Singing." *Asian Music*, vol. 43, no. 2, 2012, pp. 88-114. *Project MUSE*, <https://doi.org/10.1353/amu.2012.0013>.

Smith, John, and Emma Johnson. "The Role of Collaboration in Business Innovation." *Business Studies Quarterly*, vol. 12, no. 2, 2020, pp. 30-45. *Academic Search Complete*, doi:10.5678/bsq.12.2.30.

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Three Authors

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Examples

(Garcia et al. 22).

(Smith, et al. 45).

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Author 1's Last Name, First Name, et al. "Title of Article." *Title of Journal*, vol. Volume Number, no. Issue Number, Year, Page Range. *Name of Database*, DOI or URL.

Examples

Garcia, Maria, Emily Smith, and Daniel Johnson. "The Role of Collaboration in Business Innovation." *Business Studies Quarterly*, vol. 12, no. 2, 2020, pp. 30-45. *Academic Search Complete*, doi:10.5678/bsq.12.2.30.

Smith, John, Emma Johnson, and Maria Garcia. "The Impact of Climate Change on Biodiversity." *Environmental Science Quarterly*, vol. 42, no. 3, 2021, pp. 45-60. *Academic Search Complete*, doi:10.1234/abcd.1234.

Journal Article with no author listed

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("How to Teach Yourself Guitar").

("The Horror").

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"Title of Article." *Title of Journal*, vol. Volume Number, no. Issue Number, Year, Page Range.

Examples

"How to Teach Yourself Guitar." *eHow*, Demand Media, www.ehow.com/how_5298173_teach-yourself-guitar.html. Accessed 24 June 2016.

"The Horror." *Career World*, vol. 37, no. 2, p. 2, 2008. <https://doi.org/10.1515/9780823237289>.

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Magazine Article

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(Fort 66).

(Smith 35).

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Author's Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." *Name of Magazine*, Volume Number, Issue Number (if applicable), Date (usually month or season Year), First Page Number-Last Page Number. URL.

Examples

Fort, Ellen. "The Ultimate Mushroom Trip: A Foray into the Woods of Big Sur in search of Spores, Caps, and Other Elusive Mycological Delights." *Sunset*, Jan.-Feb. 2020, pp. 64-71. www.sunset.com/food-wine/big-sur-mushroom-foraging.

Smith, John. "The Impact of Technology on Modern Society." *TechLife Magazine*, 15 May 2023, pp. 20-25.

Newspaper Article in Print

In-text Citation Format

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Examples

(Schmidt A11).

(Smith 3).

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Author's Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article: Subtitle if Any." *Name of Newspaper*, Date of Publication, p. Page number.

Examples

Cook, Lorne. "EU Warns 3 Nations of Legal Action." *San Francisco Chronicle*, 14 June 2017, p. A4+.

Smith, John. "New Study Shows Decline in Teenage Smoking." *The New York Times*, 10 March 2023, pp. A1, A4.

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Examples

(Litz).

(Smith 3).

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Author's Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." *Title of Newspaper*, Day Month Year, URL.

Examples

Litz, Sarah. "All the Fires: What You Need to Know on Size, Containment." *Reno Gazette-Journal*, 12 July 2017, www.rgj.com/story/news/2017/07/12/farad-fire-updates-size-containment-hills-burn-west-verdi/471293001/

Smith, John. "New Study Shows Decline in Teenage Smoking." *The New York Times*, 10 March 2023, www.nytimes.com/new-study-teenage-smoking.

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Examples

(Smith 3).

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Examples

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Smith, John. "New Study Shows Decline in Teenage Smoking." *The New York Times*, 10 March 2023, pp. A1, A4. *ProQuest*, doi:10.1234/abcd.1234.



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