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Basic Format

Author's Last Name, First Name. *Title of Website*, Name of Organization Affiliated with the Website, Date of copyright or date last modified/updated, URL. Accessed access date (optional).

Example

Mabillard, Amanda. *Shakespeare Online*, 29 Dec. 2011, www.shakespeare-online.com. Accessed 6 July 2016.

Specific Page or Document on Website

In-text Citation Format

(Author's Last Name).

Examples

(Poncelet).

(Smith).

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Examples

Poncelet, Barbara. "Mom Am I Fat?: Helping Your Teen Have a Positive Body Image." *Verywell.com*, About Inc., 20 Apr. 2016, www.verywell.com/mom-am-i-fat-3200843.

Smith, John. "The Importance of Renewable Energy Sources." *EnergySolutions*, Renewable Energy Association, 10 Sept. 2023, www.energysolutions.org/importance-of-renewable-energy.

Unknown Author

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("Title of Page or Document").

Examples

("How to Teach Yourself Guitar").

("The Benefits of Meditation").

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Examples

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

"The Benefits of Meditation." *Healthline*, Healthline Media, 2021, www.healthline.com/nutrition/12-benefits-of-meditation.

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Website Created by a Corporation, Institution, or Group

In-text Citation Format

(Corporation, Institution, or Group Name).

Examples

(Chartered Professional Accountants Canada).

(World Health Organization).

Works Cited Format

Name of Corporation/Group/Organization. "Title of Section." *Title of Website*, Publisher or Sponsoring Organization, Date of publication or last modified date, URL. Accessed access date.

Examples

"Audit and Assurance." *Chartered Professional Accountants Canada*, 2016, www.cpacanada.ca/en/business-and-accounting-resources/audit-and-assurance. Accessed 6 July 2016.

World Health Organization. "Coronavirus Disease (COVID-19) Dashboard." *World Health Organization*, 2020, www.who.int/emergencies/disease/novel-coronavirus-2019.

Article on a website

In-text Citation Format

(Author's Last Name).

Examples

(Smith).

(Johnson).

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Author's Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." *Title of Website*, Name of Website Publisher, Date of publication, URL.

Examples

Deresiewicz, William. "The Death of the Artist—and the Birth of the Creative Entrepreneur." *The Atlantic*, 28 Dec. 2014, theatlantic.com/magazine/archive/2015/01/the-death-of-the-artist-and-the-birth-of-thecreative-entrepreneur/383497/.

Johnson, Michael. "How to Improve Your Communication Skills." *Forbes*, Forbes Media LLC, 15 June 2021, www.forbes.com/sites/michaeljohnson/how-to-improve-communication-skills/.

Smith, Emma. "The Importance of Sleep for Mental Health." *Healthline*, Healthline Media, 10 May 2020, www.healthline.com/health/mental-health/importance-of-sleep.

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Book on a website

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(Author's Last Name).

Examples

(Doe).

(Smith).

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Author's Last Name, First Name. *Title of Book*. Publisher, Year of Publication. Title of Website, Name of Website Publisher, URL.

Examples

Doe, John. *Introduction to Psychology*. Pearson, 2018. OpenStax, Rice University, openstax.org/details/books/introduction-psychology.

Smith, Sarah. *The Art of Cooking*. Penguin Books, 2015. Project Gutenberg, www.gutenberg.org/ebooks/12345.

Journal Article in a Database

In-text Citation Format

(Author's Last Name)

Examples

(Garcia).

(Chen and Patel).

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Author's Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." *Title of Journal*, vol. X, no. X, Year, pages. Name of Database, DOI or URL.

Examples

Chen, Wei, and Patel, Ravi. "Artificial Intelligence in Healthcare." *Journal of Medical Research*, vol. 10, no. 2, 2019, pp. 112-125. ProQuest, doi:10.1234/jmr.2019.0001.

Garcia, Maria. "Effects of Climate Change on Biodiversity." *Environmental Science Journal*, vol. 25, no. 3, 2020, pp. 45-58. JSTOR, www.jstor.org/stable/123456789.

Goldman, Anne. "Questions of Transport: Reading Primo Levi Reading Dante." *The Georgia Review*, vol. 64, no. 1, spring 2010, pp. 69-88. JSTOR, www.jstor.org/stable/41403188.



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