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Why it is important to reference other people's work?

It is important to cite sources accurately for four main reasons: giving credit to other authors; showing that you have read widely; letting the reader trace the works you have read; and avoiding plagiarism (using someone else's ideas as your own).

Examples in this guide

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Book (up to three authors)

Author(s) (year) *Title*. edition – if not the 1st, Place of publication: Publisher.

e.g. Goller, I. and Bessant, J.R. (2017) *Creativity for innovation management*. London: Routledge.

Book (more than three authors)

First author *et al.* (year). *Title*. edition – if not the 1st, Place of publication: Publisher.

e.g. Hillier, D. *et al.* (2016) *Corporate finance*. 3rd edn. London: McGraw-Hill Education.

Edited book

Editor(s) (ed.) (year) *Title*. edition – if not the 1st, Place of publication: Publisher.

e.g. Mayle, D. (ed.) (2006) *Managing innovation and change*. London: Sage.

Chapter from an edited book

Author(s) (year) 'Title of chapter' in: Author(s)/ Editor(s), (ed(s).) *Book title*,

Edition, Place of publication: Publisher, pages (use p. or pp.).

e.g. Von Hippel, E. (2015) 'User Innovation' in: Sigismund Huff, A., Moslein, K.M., and Reichwald, R. (eds.) *Leading open innovation*. Cambridge: MIT Press, pp. 117-133.

e-book

Note: When an e-book looks like a printed book, with publication and page details you should reference it as a printed book – however do check this with your tutor or department.

For other e-books

Author(s) (year) *Title*. edition – if not the 1st, DOI or Available at: URL (Accessed: date).

e.g. Holt J. and Perry S. (2010) *Modelling Enterprise Architectures*. Available from: <http://dx.doi.org/10.1049/PBPC008E> (Accessed: 23 Jun 2019)

Journal article

Author(s) (year) 'Title of article', *Title of journal*, volume number (part or issue number or month), pages.

e.g. Kuznar, L.A., and Lutz, J.M. (2007) 'Risk sensitivity and terrorism', *Political studies*, 55(2), pp. 341–361.

Website (Some websites do not have all the citation elements so cite all the ones you can find)

Author(s) (year) *Title of webpage*. Organisation responsible (optional). Available at: URL (Accessed: date)

e.g. Pierce, D. (2017) *Why Google Needs Gadgets*. Wired. Available at: <https://www.wired.com/story/why-google-needs-gadgets/> (Accessed: 3 August 2018)

Newspaper article

Author(s) (year) 'Article title', *Newspaper title*, date published, pages.

e.g. Brown, P. (2002) 'Virtual reality: Is this really how we will all watch TV in years to come?', *The Observer*, 9 April, pp. 34-35.

Patent

Inventor(s) (year) *Title*. Authorising organisation Patent number. Available at: URL (Accessed: date)

e.g. Grewell, D. (2019) *Closed loop 3D printing*. United States Patent Office no. 10,442,118 Available at: <http://patft.uspto.gov/netahtml/PTO/srchnum.htm> (Accessed 23 Sep 2019)

Standard

Name of organisation (year) *Number and title of standard*. Place of publication: Publisher.

e.g. British Standards Institution (2019) *BS ISO 11855-7:2019: Building Environment Design*. London: British Standards Institution.

If accessed online – Name of organisation (year) *Number and title of standard*. DOI or Available at: URL (Accessed: date)

e.g. British Standards Institution (2019) *BS ISO 11855-7:2019: Building Environment Design*. Available at: <https://bsol.bsigroup.com/> (Accessed 12 Oct 2019)

Image (including graph, table, diagram) from a book

Artist (year) *Title of the work* [Material type], in: Author/Editor (year) *Title*, Place of publication: Publisher, page.

e.g. Masolino, T. (1427) *The Temptation of Adam and Eve* [Painting], in: Bruce-Mitford, M. (1996) *The Illustrated Book of Signs and Symbols*, London: Dorling Kindersley, p.24.

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Mintel (2016) *Social and Media Networks*. Available at: <http://academic.mintel.com/display/748268/> (Accessed: 21 August 2018)

Pierce, D. (2017) *Why Google Needs Gadgets*. *Wired*, available at: <https://www.wired.com/story/why-google-needs-gadgets/> (Accessed: 3 August 2018)

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