

# *Journal of Astronomy in Culture*

## **Style Guide for Citations and References**

### **Capitalization of Titles and Periodical Names**

#### **Use sentence case for all titles in reference list entries**

Sentence case is like it sounds – you mostly capitalize what you would in a regular sentence. Regardless of the type of source, titles in references must use sentence case.

Only capitalize:

- The first letter of the first word of the title
- The first letter of the first word after a colon or dash
- Proper nouns
- An acronym or initialism — An acronym is pronounced as a new word, such as NATO or NASA; an initialism is pronounced by its letters, such as the CIA or CDC.

#### **Use title case for the names of all periodicals**

- Capitalize major words.
- Capitalize minor words that have four or more letters (e.g., Among, With)
- Do not capitalize the first letter of minor words with fewer than four letters (such as ‘of’ in journal names).

Examples:

*Outsourcing: A challenge to America’s future.*

*Journal of Marketing Research*

*Journal of Cybersecurity*

## **Citation Formatting**

### **One Author**

(Smith, 2006)

### **Two Authors**

(Wegener & Petty, 1994).

### **Three or More Authors**

(Kernis et al., 1993).

### **No Author – title first in quotation marks**

("Oklahoma Statutes," 2006)

### **Include page or paragraph numbers for quotes**

Paraphrasing: (Quarton, 2011).

Quoting: (Quarton, 2011, p. 2).

Paraphrasing: (Hocker & Wilmot, 2015).

Quoting: (Hocker & Wilmot, 2015, pp. 3-4).

Paraphrasing: (Kotter et al., 2011).

Quoting: (Kotter et al., 2011, para. 4).

### **Multiple Sources in Same Citation**

(Abbott, 2015; Baker & Scotfield, 2018; Colton, 2009).

### **Multiple Citations from the Same Source in the Same Year**

(Smith, 2015a).

(Smith, 2015a, p. 154).

(Smith, 2015b).

(Smith, 2015b, p. 213).

(Smith, n.d.-a).

(Smith, n.d.-b).

## Reference List Formatting

### Book Examples

Hemming, J. (1970). *The conquest of the Incas*. Harcourt.

Cameron, K. S., & Quinn, R. E. (2011). *Diagnosing and changing organizational culture* (3rd ed.). Jossey-Bass.

Kotter, J. P., Kim, W. C., & Mauborgne, R. (2011). *HBR's 10 must reads on change management*. Harvard Business Review Press.

Ridgway, M. B. (2000). Leadership. In R. L. Taylor, & W. E. Rosenbach (Eds.), *Leadership: In pursuit of excellence* (4th ed., pp. 6-15). Westview Press.

Taylor, R. L., & Rosenbach, W. E. (Eds.). (2000). *Leadership: In pursuit of excellence* (4th ed.). Westview Press.

**Translator and Volume notes also follow the title in parentheses and may be combined with other notes in the same set of parentheses.**

(A. Smith, Trans.).

(Vol. 2).

(A. Smith, Trans., Vol.2).

### Journal Article Examples

Berndt, T. J. (2002). Friendship quality and social development. *Current Directions in Psychological Science*, 11(5), 7-10.

Wegener, D. T., & Petty, R. E. (1994). Mood management across affective states: The hedonic contingency hypothesis. *Journal of Personality & Social Psychology*, 66(3), 1034-1048.

Smyth, A. M., & Parker, A. L. (2002). A study of enjoyment of peas. *Journal of Abnormal Eating*, 8(3), 120-125.

Kernis, M. H., Cornell, D. P., Sun, C. R., Berry, A., & Harlow, T. (1993). There's more to self-esteem than whether it is high or low: The importance of

stability of self-esteem. *Journal of Personality and Social Psychology*, 65, 1190-1204.

**List all authors up to 20. Above 20 list the first 19 followed by three ellipses and then the last author.**

Harris, M., Karper, E., Stacks, G., Hoffman, D., DeNiro, R., Cruz, P., Peep, F., Jones, D., Crate, N., Sanchez, B., Stone, A., Purdue, P. M., Talley, H., Miller, R., Pemble, S., Trey, J., James, R., O'Connell, J., Porter, H.,...Smith, A. (2001). Writing labs and Hollywood. *Journal of Film and Writing*, 44(2), 154-160.

**Multiple sources from the same author in the same year.**

Smith, A. B. (2015a). Writing labs. *Journal of Film and Writing*, 44(2), 154.

Smith, A. B. (2015b). Hollywood connection. *Journal of Film and Writing*, 44(3), 213.

Smith, A. B. (n.d.-a). Writing labs. *Journal of Film and Writing*, 44(2), 154.

Smith, A. B. (n.d.-b). Hollywood connection. *Journal of Film and Writing*, 44(3), 213.

BBC Earth. (2020a, May 21). *Why dogs stick their heads out of car windows Pets: Wild at heart BBC Earth* [Video]. YouTube.  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VR9YQO4cX3U>

BBC Earth. (2020b, May 28). *What happens when cats have catnip? Pets: Wild at heart BBC Earth* [Video]. YouTube.  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nnYnUOOAkao>

## **Magazines**

Price, A. M. (2009). The evolution of friendship. *Scientific American*, 45(2), 21-24.

Price, A. M. (2009, June). The evolution of friendship. *Scientific American*.  
<https://doi.org/xxx>

## Newspapers

Jackson, T. J. (2012, June 21). Friendship and social activity. *The New York Times*.  
<https://www.nytimes.com/2012/06/21/us/science/social.html>

Goldfarb, A. (2020, September 24). How to deal with a friendship ‘quiet season.’  
*The New York Times*.

Goldfarb, A. (2020, September 28). Social distancing can hurt your friendships.  
*The New York Times*, B6.

## Webpage Articles

Raz, G. (2006, November 1). *Defining the war on terror*. National Public Radio (NPR).  
<https://www.npr.org/templates/story/story.php?storyId=6416780>

Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI). (2020, April 15). *The Oklahoma City bombing: 25 years later*. <https://www.fbi.gov/news/stories/25-years-after-oklahoma-city-bombing-04152>

Swanson, D. (n.d.). *The nature of human rights*. Penn State University. Retrieved December 17, 2014, from <https://www.cac.psu.edu/twocont.html>

## If No Author

*The nature of human rights*. (2000). Penn State University.  
<https://www.cac.psu.edu/twocont.html>

National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA). (2012). *Mars, water and life*. <https://mars.jpl.nasa.gov/msp98/why.html>

## Films

Pakula, A. J. (Producer), & Mulligan, R. (Director). (1957). *Fear strikes out* [Film]. Paramount.

## Videos

TED. (2020, November 2). *3 steps to stop remote work burnout: The way we work* [Video]. YouTube. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PZr142ka96k>

Cain, S. (2012, February). *The power of introverts* [Video]. TED Conferences. [https://www.ted.com/talks/susan\\_cain\\_the\\_power\\_of\\_introverts](https://www.ted.com/talks/susan_cain_the_power_of_introverts)

## Reprinted

Ridgway, M. B. (2000). Leadership. In R. L. Taylor & W. E. Rosenbach (Eds.), *Leadership: In pursuit of excellence* (4th ed., pp. 6-15). Westview Press. (Reprinted from *Leadership Review* 7, 40-49, October, 1966)

## Republished

Jones, C. D. (2015). *How to write reference listings*. ABC Publishing. (Original work published 1974)

## Reviews

Smith, A. B. (2015). How to write reference listings [Review of the book *How to write reference listings*, by C. D. Jones]. *Journal of American Reviews*, 56(2), 643-648. <https://doi.org/10.1234/0265-4255.12.5.678>

## Dissertations and Theses

Van de Guchte, M. J. D. (1990). *Carving the world: Inca monumental sculpture and landscape* (Unpublished doctoral dissertation). University of Illinois.

Pemble, S. D. (2020). *Factors associated with the enhanced productivity of remote workers: A mixed method study* (Publication No. 28092086) [Doctoral dissertation, University of Phoenix]. ProQuest Dissertations and Theses.