



## Illinois Valley Community College Writing Center

### APA REFERENCES PAGE ENTRIES

Each entry on the References page must follow APA guidelines for the type of source being listed. The examples below show entries for common types of sources, based on the *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association* (7<sup>th</sup> ed.). For additional examples and types of sources, consult the manual copy in the Writing Center or in Jacobs Library. **Note:** Though not shown in this handout, entries will be double-spaced on the finished References page (see the Writing Center handout “APA References Page” for an example).

#### JOURNAL ARTICLES

For both print and online journal articles, APA requires a digital object identifier number (DOI) if one is available. Typically, the DOI is on the first page of an article or in the citation information provided in an online database. If no number is labeled as the DOI, look for a number that begins with 10, followed by a decimal and a string of numbers and letters separated by a slash (example: 10.1016/j.dci.2009.12.010). If you find a DOI, include it in the entry, but do not include a web address, database name, or date you found the article.

Some articles or databases may not provide a DOI. For a print article without a DOI, simply omit the DOI in your entry. For an online article without a DOI, provide the home page web address of the journal, not the web address of the article or database and not the date you found the article.

In an entry for any journal article, the first title is the individual article title, while the title in *italics* is the whole journal title. The first number, in *italics*, after the journal title refers to the volume number, while the second number (in parentheses) refers to the issue number of the journal, followed by the page numbers of the article.

#### Journal Article with DOI (Print or Online)

Heckl, S. (2007). Future contrast agents for molecular imaging in stroke. *Current Medicinal Chemistry*, 14(16), 1713-1728. doi: 10.2174/092986707781058896

#### Journal Article without DOI (Print)

Turnley, M. (2007). Integrating critical approaches to technology and service-learning projects. *Technical Communication Quarterly*, 16(1), 103-123.

#### Journal Article without DOI (Online)

Wijeweera, A., Villano, R., & Dollery, B. (2010). Economic growth and FDI inflows: A stochastic frontier analysis. *Journal of Developing Areas*, 43(2), 143-158. Retrieved from [http://muse.jhu.edu/journals/journal\\_of\\_developing\\_areas](http://muse.jhu.edu/journals/journal_of_developing_areas)

**Note:** If a journal article (or any source) has more than one author (up to nineteen), include all the authors, as in the example above. For more than nineteen authors, include the first nineteen, three ellipsis points to replace additional authors, and end with the final author, as in the example below.

Blaheta, R. A., Michaelis, M., Natsheh, I., Hasenberg, C., Weich, E., Relja, B., . . . Cinatl, J.

#### MAGAZINE AND NEWSPAPER ARTICLES

The entries below are for online articles. If you have a print article, simply omit the web address. If page numbers are not available, simply omit them.

### **Magazine Article**

Hansen, F. (2009, August 17). Minimum living. *Workforce Management*, 88(9), 14-15. Retrieved from <http://www.workforce.com>

### **Newspaper Article**

Van Roekel, D. (2010, February 8). Education reform without “silver bullets.” *The Washington Post*, p. A14. Retrieved from <https://www.washingtonpost.com/wp-dyn/content/article/2010/02/07/AR2010020702351.html>

*What is climate change? A really simple guide.* (2020, November 18). BBC News, <https://www.bbc.com/news/amp/science-environment-24021772>

**Note:** If a newspaper article (or any source) has no author, move the title to the author position, before the date, as in the example above.

## **WEBSITES**

### **Entire Website**

Do not create a reference list entry or an in-text citation for an entire website. When referring to an entire website, include the website’s name in the text and provide the URL in parentheses.

### **Part of a Website**

Schiffman, G. (2007). *Pneumococcal vaccination*. MedicineNet.com. Retrieved March 5, 2010, from [http://www.medicinenet.com/pneumococcal\\_vaccination/article.htm](http://www.medicinenet.com/pneumococcal_vaccination/article.htm)

WebMD. (n.d.). *Drugs to treat depression*. WebMD. Retrieved February 27, 2010, from <http://www.webmd.com/depression/recognizing-depression-symptoms/antidepressants>

**Note:** Some websites (and other sources) are authored by a group (an association, organization, government agency, corporation, etc.), rather than by an individual author. In these cases, use the group name in the entry, as shown in two of the website examples above. In addition, note that if no date of publication is available for a website (or any source), use the abbreviation n.d., as shown above.

## **BOOKS**

### **Entire Book**

Cox, R. D. (2009). *The college fear factor: How students and professors misunderstand one another*. Harvard University Press.

### **Book Chapter**

Fuentes, S. E. (2004). Subliminal cognition theory in criminal court case preparation. In G. Granger (Ed.), *Criminal psychology: Modern theories* (pp. 97-116). Parkway Press.

### **Electronic Book (e-Book)**

Gibson, C., & Vandiver, D. M. (2008). *Juvenile sex offenders: What the public needs to know*. Retrieved from <http://ebooks.abc-clio.com/main.aspx>

### **Entry in an Online Reference Book**

Grover, C. A. (2007). Drugs and behavior. In S. F. Davis & W. Buskit (Eds.), *21<sup>st</sup> century psychology: A reference handbook*. Retrieved from [http://sage-ereference.com/psychology/Article\\_n17.html](http://sage-ereference.com/psychology/Article_n17.html)