Journal Article in Print

Basic Format: Author Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article: Subtitle." *Title of Journal*, vol. #, no. #,

Year, pp. page range.

Example:

Ki, Eyun-Jung. "A Measure of Relationship Cultivation Strategies." *Journal of Public Relations Research*,

vol. 21, no. 1, 2009, pp. 1–24.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Author Last Name page number).

    - **Example:** (Ki 1).

- **Narrative Format:** Author's name appears in sentence.

    - **Example:** Ki argues that relationship cultivation strengthens public trust (1).

Journal Article with No Author

Basic Format: "Title of Article." *Title of Journal*, vol. #, no. #, Year, pp. page range. DOI or URL.

Example: "The Horror." *Career World*, vol. 37, no. 2, 2008, pp. 2–2. doi:10.1515/9780823237289.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** ("Title of Source" Page Number).

    - **Example:** ("Horror" 2)

- **Narrative Format:** Title of source appears in sentence.

    - **Example:** In "The Horror," the author examines early career anxieties (2).

APSU Writing Center

MLA Style 9th Edition - Citing Articles

Journal Article from a Website

Basic Format: Author Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." *Title of Journal*, vol. #, no. #, Year, pp.

page range. URL.

Example:

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.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Author Last Name page number).

  - **Example:** (Garcia 12).

- **Narrative Format:** Author's name appears in sentence.

  - **Example:** Garcia explains how digital platforms reshape audience engagement (12).

Journal Article from a Library Database

Basic Format: Author Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." *Title of Journal*, vol. #, no. #, Year, pp. page range. Name of Database, DOI or URL.

Example:

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.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Author Last Name page number).
  - **Example:** (Garcia 22).
- **Narrative Format:** Author's name appears in sentence.
  - **Example:** Garcia explains that digital engagement increases audience reach (22).

Journal Article with Two Authors

Basic Format: Author Last Name, First Name, and First Name Last Name. "Title of Article." *Title of Journal*, vol. #, no. #, Year, pp. page range. Name of Database, DOI or URL.

Example:

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.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Author 1's Last Name and Author 2's Last Name Page Number).
  - **Example:** (Latartara and Bass 97-98).
- **Narrative Format:** Author's name appears in sentence.
  - **Example:** Latartara and Bass argue that vocal timbre shapes listener perception (97–98).

Journal Article in Print

Basic Format: Author Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article: Subtitle." *Title of Journal*, vol. #,

no. #, Year, pp. page range.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Author Last Name page number).

In-Text Citations

- **Narrative Citation Format:** Author's name appears in sentence.

Journal Article with No Author

Basic Format: "Title of Article." *Title of Journal*, vol. #, no. #, Year, pp. page range. DOI or URL.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** ("Title of Source" Page Number).

In-Text Citations

- **Narrative Citation Format:** Title of source appears in sentence.

Journal Article From a Website

Basic Format: Author Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." *Title of Journa*l, vol. #, no. #,

Year, pp. page range. URL.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Author Last Name page number).

In-Text Citations

- **Narrative Citation Format:** Author's name appears in sentence.

Journal Article from a Library Database

Basic Format: Author Last Name, First Name. "Title of Article." *Title of Journal*, vol. #, no. #,

Year, pp. page range. Name of Database, DOI or URL.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Author Last Name page number).

In-Text Citations

- **Narrative Citation Format:** Author's name appears in sentence.

Modern Language Association. "Citations by Format." *MLA Style Center*, Modern Language

Association. "Citations by Format." https://style.mla.org/works-cited/citations-by-format/.

University of Nevada, Reno Library. *MLA Citation Guide (MLA 9th Edition): Journal and Magazine

Articles.* https://guides.library.unr.edu/mlacitation/articles.

University of Nevada, Reno Library. *MLA Citation Guide (MLA 9th Edition): Newspaper Articles.*

https://guides.library.unr.edu/mlacitation/newspaperarticles.