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MLA Style 9th Edition - Citing Interviews and Emails

Citing an Interview

Basic Format: Interviewee's Last Name, First Name. Personal interview. Date.

Example:

García, María. Personal interview. 25 May 2024.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Interviewee's Last Name)
 - **Example:** (García)
- **Narrative Format:** Interviewee's name appears in the sentence.
 - **Example:** García explained her perspective on urban planning during the interview.

Citing a Published Interview (Print or Broadcast)

- Interviewee first, then the interviewer

Basic Format: Interviewee's Last Name, First Name. Interview with Interviewer's First Name Last Name. *Title of Publication or Broadcast Series*, vol. #, no. #, Year, pp. page range.

Example:

Gaitskill, Mary. Interview with Charles Bock. *Mississippi Review*, vol. 27, no. 3, 1999, pp. 129-50.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Interviewee's Last Name)
 - **Example:** (Gaitskill)
- **Narrative Format:** Interviewee's name appears in the sentence.
 - **Example:** Gaitskill discusses her experience in the interview with Charles Bock.

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Citing a Telephone Interview

Basic Format: Interviewee's Last Name, First Name. Telephone interview. Date of interview.

Example:

McKenzie, Marlon. Telephone interview. 20 June 2023.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Interviewee's Last Name)
 - **Example:** (McKenzie)
- **Narrative Format:** Interviewee's name appears in the sentence.
 - **Example:** McKenzie described trends in renewable energy during the telephone interview.

Citing an Email Interview

Basic Format: Interviewee's Last Name, First Name. Email interview. Date of interview.

Example:

García, María. Email interview. 25 May 2024.

In-Text Citations

- **Parenthetical Format:** (Interviewee's Last Name)
 - **Example:** (García)
- **Narrative Format:** Interviewee's name appears in the sentence.
 - **Example:** García shared her insights via email about the upcoming urban development project.

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

Citing an Email Interview

Basic Format: Interviewee's Last Name, First Name. Email interview. Date of interview.

In-Text Citations

- **Paranthenetical Format:** (Interviewee's Last Name)

In-Text Citations

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



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