How to Format Footnotes, Endnotes, Bibliographies

BRIEF GUIDE TO CHICAGO OR TURABIAN DOCUMENTATION STYLE

Basic differences between note and bibliography format:

- 1. Notes are numbered; sources are alphabetized.
- 2. The author's first name appears first in a note (Betty Smith); the author's last name appears first in a bibliography (Smith, Betty).
- 3. Notes use commas and parentheses to separate items; a bibliography uses periods.
- 4. Notes indicate specific pages from which you took information; a bibliography lists entire books or a complete chapter to which you referred.
- 5. The first line of each note is indented 5 spaces and subsequent lines return to the left margin. The first line of a bibliographic entry begins at the left margin and all the other lines are indented 5 spaces.

EXAMPLES OF NOTES (Footnotes or Endnotes) - First Reference

BOOK BY A SINGLE AUTHOR, FIRST EDITION

1. Donna K. McGlinchey, Religion in Victorian Britain (London: Curzon Press, 1981), 54.

BOOK BY A SINGLE AUTHOR, LATER EDITION

2. Donna K. McGlinchey, The Theory of Relativity, 2nd ed. (New York: Macmillan, 1985), 24.

BOOK BY TWO OR THREE AUTHORS

3. Robert A. Lake and Harry R. Walsh, *American Religion and Its Cultural Setting* (New York: Alfred A. Knopf, 1956), 12. [If there is a third author, follow this example: James Smith, Donald Marc, and Jack Jones.]

BOOK BY MORE THAN THREE AUTHORS

4. Margaret Goldstein et al., eds., Technology and Teaching: Sharing Resources Nationwide (Cambridge: MIT Press, 1974), 50.

BOOK BY AN UNKNOWN AUTHOR

5. College Bound Seniors (Princeton: College Board Publications, 1979), 1.

BOOK WITH BOTH AN AUTHOR AND AN EDITOR OR TRANSLATOR

6. Helmut Thielicke, Man in God's World, trans. and ed. John W. Doberstein (New York: Harper and Row, 1963), 12.

AN ANTHOLOGY

7. Poetical Works of John Wetmore, ed. Elizabeth Court and H. Davis, 2nd ed., vol. 2 (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1982), 10.

CHAPTER IN AN EDITED COLLECTION

8. Edward Kelly, "The Literature of Grief," in *Mourning: A Community's Response*, ed. J. H. Califano (New York: Danner Press, 1964), 64.

ARTICLE IN A JOURNAL

9. Laura M. Rostad, "Post-Modernist Theory," College English 53 (1992): 380.

BOOK REVIEW

10. Stacey Smith, review of The Limits of Legislation, by Harry Cooper, American Journal of Sociology 91 (1985): 727.

NEWSPAPER ARTICLE

11. Taylor Martin, "Shakespeare and Elizabeth," Los Angeles Times, 15 March 1985, sec. 1A, p. 3. ["p." is used to make clear the difference between the page and section numbers.]

ENCYCLOPEDIA ENTRY

12. Encyclopedia Britannica, 11th ed., s.v. "France." [sub verbo means "under the word"]

INTERVIEW BY WRITER OF RESEARCH PAPER

13. Donna E. Shaeffer, interview by author, Madison, Wisconsin, 1December 1992.

SECONDARY SOURCE

14. Lawrence Zepler, "Source of Appeal," *Poetry* 37 (February 1931): 269, quoted in Barbara Fenn, *Wallace Stevens: Image and Imagination* (Cambridge and London: Harvard University Press, 1981), 78. [The student-writer found the Zepler quotation in Fenn's book, not in Zepler's original article.]

UNPUBLISHED MATERIAL

15. Jacqueline Hess, "Media and Religion" (Ph.D. diss., University of Washington, 1967), 119.

INTERNET MATERIAL

16. Victorian Women Writers Project Ed. Perry Willett. Indiana U. 26 Apr. 1997 http://www.indiana.edu/~letrs/vwwp/.

EXAMPLES OF NOTES (Footnotes or Endnotes) - Second or Subsequent References

- 17. Hess, 120. [Shortened form from sample note #15 above]
 [Or you can use the Latin abbreviation "Ibid." when referring to the same work as in the citation immediately preceding]
 - 18. McGlinchey, The Theory of Relativity, 72. [When using two more works from same author.]

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Congressional Record. 71st Cong., 2d sess., 1930, vol. 72 pt. 10.

Encyclopedia Britannica, 11th ed. S.v. "France."

Goldstein, Margaret, Julian Robb, Jeffrey L. McKenney, and William F. Powell, eds. *Technology and Teaching: Sharing Resources Nationwide*. Cambridge: MIT Press, 1974.

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[If you cite Fenn elsewhere (other than as the secondary source of Zepler), you should also include Fenn in your list of works cited.]