

## PATHFINDER 10: CITATIONS AND BIBLIOGRAPHIES: CHICAGO STYLE

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An author-date **text citation** (see below) is placed in the text at a logical point in the sentence, or before a punctuation mark, or directly after a quotation, to note a source.

The term ‘**author**’ is used broadly, it can mean an **editor, compiler, or organisation**.

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### BOOKS

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                          **two authors:**       (Cunningham and Williams 1992)  
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Examples:

- **Book by a single author**

TEXT CITATION

(Johns 1998) [For specific quotation, add a comma and page no. after the date]

REFERENCE LIST

Johns, Adrian. 1998. *The nature of the book*. Chicago: London: University of Chicago Press.

- **Edited book**

TEXT CITATION

(MacKenzie and Wajcman 1999)

REFERENCE LIST

MacKenzie, Donald and Wajcman, Judy, eds. 1999. *The social shaping of technology*. 2d ed. Buckingham: Philadelphia: Open University Press.

- **Chapter in a book**

TEXT CITATION  
(Wesseling 1992)

REFERENCE LIST

Wesseling, H. 1992. Overseas history. in *New perspectives on historical writing*, ed. P. Burke, 67-92. Cambridge: Polity Press.

## JOURNALS

TEXT CITATION  
(Collins 1987, 689-714)

REFERENCE LIST

Collins, H. 1987. Certainty and the public understanding of science: Science on television. *Social Studies of Science* 17: 689-714.

- **Electronic journal** [a suggested format]

Atkinson, Roderick D., and Laurie E. Stackpole. 1995. TORPEDO: networked access to full-text and page-image representations of physics journals and technical reports. *Public-Access Computer Systems Review* 6(3). <http://info.lib.uh.edu/pr/v6/n3/atki6n3.html> [Accessed 9 March 2000]

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University of Chicago Press. 1993. *The Chicago Manual of Style*. 14<sup>th</sup> ed. Chicago: London: University of Chicago Press.  
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