

Chicago Citation Style Examples – 17th Edition

AUTHOR-DATE IN-TEXT CITATIONS

Type of citation	Authors cited in text	Parenthetical format
One work by one author	Pollan (2006) has argued this point. Greenberg (2008) stated that...	(Pollan 2006) (Greenberg 2008)
One work by two authors	Ward and Burns (2007) describe their struggles as ...	(Ward and Burns 2007)
One work by three authors	Heatherton, Fitzgilroy, and Hsu (2008) argue that...	(Heatherton, Fitzgilroy, and Hsu 2008)
One work by four or more authors	Barnes et al. (2008) indicated that ...	(Barnes et al. 2008)
Direct Quotations	As Edward Tufte points out, “A graphical... non-data-ink” (2001, 139). OR As Edward Tufte (2001, 139) points out, “A graphical... non-data-ink.”	“A graphical... non-data-link” (Tufte 2001, 139).

To cite multiple sources in the same parenthetical reference, separate the citations by a semi-colon:

There are at least three works that satisfy the criteria outlined in Smith’s (1999) study (see Rowen 2006; Bettelthorp 2004a; Choi 2008).
(Armstrong and Malacinski 1989; Beigl 1989; Picket and White 1985)
(Whittaker 1967, 1975; Wiens 1989a, 1989b)

VARIATIONS

	Style	Reference Entry
Single Author	1. Lastname, Firstname,	Strayed, Cheryl.
Two Authors	2. Lastname, Firstname and Firstname, Lastname	Grazer, Brian, and Charles Fishman.
Three Authors	3. . Lastname, Firstname, Firstname, Lastname and Firstname, Lastname	Berkman, Alexander, Henry Bauer, and Carl Nold.
Four or More Authors		LIST ALL AUTHORS. Word order and punctuation are the same as for 2 or 3 authors.
Editor	5. Lastname, Firstname, ed.,	Daum, Meghan, ed.
Anonymous	Begin with title	Begin with title
No Place of Publication	n.p.	n.p.
No Date	n.d.	n.d.

BOOKS

General Format

Lastname, Firstname. Year of Publication. *Title of Book: Subtitle of Book*, edition. Edited/Translated by Firstname Lastname. Place of Publication: Publisher.

Book with Author(s)

Strayed, Cheryl. 2012. *Wild: From Lost to Found on the Pacific Crest Trail*. New York: Alfred A. Knopf.
Grazer, Brian, and Charles Fishman. 2015. *A Curious Mind: The Secret to a Bigger Life*. New York: Simon & Schuster.

Blogs

Lastname, Firstname. Year of Publication. "Title of Blog Post." Name of Blog (blog), Name of Larger Publication if Applicable. Date of Post. URL.

Amlen, Deb. 2015. "One Who Gives a Hoot." *Wordplay* (blog), *New York Times*. January 26, 2015. <http://wordplay.blogs.nytimes.com/2015/01/26/one-who-gives-a-hoot/>.

Social Media

Lastname, Firstname "(Screen Name). Year of Publication. "Quote as much as first 160 characters/spaces of post." Type of Post, Date of Post. URL.

O'Brien, Conan (@ConanOBrien). 2015. "In honor of Earth Day, I'm recycling my tweets." Twitter, April 22, 2015, 11:10 a.m. <https://twitter.com/ConanOBrien/status/590940792967016448>.

Díaz, Junot. 2016. "Always surprises my students when I tell them that the 'real' medieval was more diverse than the fake ones most of us consume." Facebook, February 24, 2016. <http://www.facebook.com/junotdiaz.writer/posts/972495572815454>.

WEBSITES, BLOGS, AND SOCIAL MEDIA

General Websites—No Named Author

Owner or Sponsor of Website. Year of Publication. "Title of Web Page" or Description of Web Page (website). Title or Description of the Site as a Whole. Updated/Last modified/Accessed Date. URL.

Microsoft Corporation. 2015. "Apps for Office Sample Pack." Office Dev Center. Updated October 20, 2015. [https://code.msdn.microsoft.com/office/Apps-for-Office-code-d\)4762b7](https://code.msdn.microsoft.com/office/Apps-for-Office-code-d)4762b7).

CivicPlus Content Management System. n.d. City of Ithaca, New York (website). Accessed April 6, 2016. <http://www.cityofithaca.org/>.

General Websites—Named Author

Lastname, Firstname. Year of Publication. "Title of Web Page" or Description of Web Page (website). Title or Description of the Site as a Whole, Owner or Sponsor of the Site. Updated/last modified/accessed Date. URL.

Heck, Jr., Richard G. 2016. "About the Philosophical Gourmet Report." Last modified August 5, 2016. <http://rgheck.frege.org/philosophy/aboutpgr.php>

Book with an Editor

Daum, Meghan, ed. 2015. *Selfish, Shallow, and Self-Absorbed: Sixteen Writers on the Decision Not to Have Kids*. New York: Picador.

Book with an Author plus an Editor or Translator

García Márquez, Gabriel. 1988. *Love in the Time of Cholera*. Translated by Edith Grossman. London: Cape.

Tylor, Edward B. *Researches into the Early Development of Mankind and the Development of Civilization*. 1964. Edited by Paul Bohannan. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

Chapter or Contribution in a Book

Gould, Glen. 1984. "Streisand as Schwarzkopf." In *The Glenn Gould Reader*, edited by Tim Page, 308-11. New York: Vintage Books.

Untitled Introduction, Preface, Afterward, etc.

Mansfield, Harvey, and Delba Winthrop. 2000. Introduction to *Democracy in America*, by Alexis de Tocqueville, xcii-lxxxvi. Translated and edited by Harvey Mansfield and Delba Winthrop. Chicago: University of Chicago Press.

PERIODICALS

Journal Articles

Lastname, Firstname. Year of Publication. "Title of Article." Title of Journal volume#, no. issue# if no month/season (Month or Season or issue#): page numbers. URL if found online.

Bagley, Benjamin. 2015. "Loving Someone in Particular." *Ethics* 125, no. 2 (January): 477-507.

Liu, Jui-Ch'i. 2015. "Beholding the Feminine Sublime: Lee Miller's War Photography." *Signs* 40, no. 2 (Winter): 308-19. <https://doi.org/10.1086/678242>.

MacDonald, Susan Peck. 2007. "The Erasure of Language." *College Composition and Communication* 58 (4): 619.

Magazine Articles

Lastname, Firstname. Year of Publication. "Title of Article." *Title of Magazine*, Date of Publication, page numbers. URL if found online.

Saulnier, Beth. 2008. "From Vine to Wine." *Cornell Alumni Magazine*, September/October 2008, 48.

Vick, Karl. 2015. "Cuba on the Cusp." *Time*, March 26, 2015. <http://time.com/3759629/cuba-us-policy/>.

Newspaper Articles

Lastname, Firstname. Year of Publication. "Title of Article." *Title of Newspaper* (Location), Date of Publication, edition or section if applicable. URL if found online.

Royko, Mike. 1992. "Next Time, Dan, Take Aim at Arnold." *Chicago Tribune*, September 23, 1992.

Savage, David G. 2015. "Stanford Student Goes to Supreme Court to Fight for Her Moms." *Los Angeles Times*, April 27, 2015, Nation. <http://www.latimes.com/nation/la-na-gay-marriage-children-20150424-story.html>.

Referencing Images & Tables

When referencing images & tables that you have inserted in your research paper, use the word **Figure** to refer to all images including Photographs, Paintings, Drawings, Charts, Diagrams, Graphs. Tables are separate and should be labelled with the word **Table**.

Someone else's figure/ image or table

Place a caption under the work. The basic format of a **Short Caption** to go under is:

Figure 1. Description of image/figure as it relates to your work. OR Table 1. Description of table as it relates to your work.

- Figure should bear numbers, and all text references to them should be by the numbers (eg. “as figure 1 shows...”) The word “figure” should be lowercased and fully spelled out, unless in parenthetical references (where “fig” may be used).
- Below the figure, the caption will begin with “Figure” or “Fig.” followed by a number and period. (Eg. Figure 1.)
- A caption may consist of a word or two, an incomplete or a complete sentence, several sentences, or a combination.
- Within a caption, most titles (including those for paintings, drawings, photographs, statues, and books) will be capitalized and italicized.
- Work being credited must be listed in the references.

Referencing style of figure:

General format

First Name Last Name of creator, *Title of Work* (Place of publication: Publisher, Year of publication), page number, figure number.

Example

Kate van Orden, *Music, Authorship, and the Book in the First Century of Print* (Berkeley: University of California Press, 2013), 38, fig. 2.

For images

General format

First Name Last Name of creator, *Title of Work*, date of creation or completion, medium, Name of Institution, location (if applicable), URL.

Example

Yuri Beletsky, *Three Planets Dance over La Silla*, June 3, 2013, photograph, European Southern Observatory, <https://www.eso.org/public/images/potw1322a/>.

Image taken from the internet



Figure 1. Edifice of Auckland Ferry Building

Tables

- In Chicago Style, a table is defined as list presented as an array with horizontal rows and vertical columns.
- When more than one table is included, table numbering is recommended. However, this numbering should be separate from figure/illustration numbering (for example, figure 1, figure 2., table 1, figure 3.).
- References to tables in the text should use the lowercase form of the word table. A numbered table should be included as soon as possible after it is first referenced in the text.
- For tables taken from another source, acknowledgement needs to be made in an unnumbered footnotes starting with Source: or Sources:

Example:

Sources: Data from Adams (1998); Bevan, Collier, and Gunning (1989).

Detail of the sources must be given in the referencing portion

Adapted Figures & Tables

If you have made small changes/adaptions to a figure or table from a source, you need to include the words 'Adapted' in your Caption.

e.g.

Caption (underneath the figure/table)

Source: Data adapted from Dabby & Bedi, *Structure for Architects*, 128, table 2.

In references:

Dabby, Ramsey and Ashwani Bedi, *Structure for Architects: A Primer*. Hoboken, NJ: Wiley, 2012.

Tables - examples

Table 1: Total clothing consumed in the United Kingdom for 2010, 2012, 2014, and 2016

Year	Clothing consumed (in tonnes)
2010	1,030,000
2012	950,000
2014	1,080,000
2016	1,130,000

Source: Data adapted from Waste and Resources Action Programme, *Valuing Our Clothes: The Cost of UK Fashion* (Banbury: WRAP, 2017), table 2, <http://www.wrap.org.uk/sustainable-textiles/valuing-our-clothes>.

Table 2: Comparing survey methods

Variable	Online	By mail	Telephone	Face to face
Cost	cheapest	cheap	moderate	costly
Speed	fast	moderate	fast	slow
Response rate	low/moderate	low/moderate	moderate	high
Open-ended questions	poor	poor	moderate	best
Possibility of interviewer bias	none	none	moderate	high

Source: Data adapted from Rahul Chakrabarti, "Principles of m-Health Survey Design," *Journal of Mobile Technology in Medicine* 1, no. 3 (2012): 3, <http://articlesjournalmtm.com>.