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Academic Affairs

Alternative Documentation Styles

American Chemical Society (ACS)

Free Official Guides:

<https://pubs.acs.org/doi/full/10.1021/acsguide.40303>

<https://pubs.acs.org/doi/full/10.1021/acsguide.40305>

American Institute of Physics (AIP)

Free Official Guide:

https://publishing.aip.org/wp-content/uploads/2021/03/AIP_Style_4thed.pdf

American Marketing Association (AMA)

Free Official Guide:

<https://www.ama.org/american-marketing-association-journals-reference-style-examples/>

American Mathematical Society

Free Official Guide:

<https://www.ams.org/arc/styleguide/AMSstyleguide.pdf>

(See Chapter 10 for references information)

American Medical Association (AMA/JAMA)

Free Resources:

https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/research_and_citation/ama_style/index.html

<https://researchguides.uic.edu/styleguides/ama>

Buy the Official Guide:

<https://www.amamanualofstyle.com/>

American Society of Civil Engineers (ASCE)

Free Official Guide:

<https://ascelibrary.org/doi/10.1061/9780784479018.ch05>

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American Sociological Association (ASA)

Free Official Quick Guide:

https://www.asanet.org/sites/default/files/savvy/documents/teaching/pdfs/Quick_Tips_for_ASA_Style.pdf

Buy the Official Guide:

<https://asa.enoah.com/Store/Reference-Materials/>

AP Style

Commonly used in journalism courses

Free Resources:

https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/subject_specific_writing/journalism_and_journalistic_writing/ap_style.html

<https://www.codot.gov/business/grants/safetygrants/assets/APStyleGuideCheatSheet.pdf>

Buy the Official Guide:

<https://www.apstylebook.com/>

Council of Science Editors (CSE)

Free Resource:

<https://wac.colostate.edu/resources/writing/guides/cse-nameyear/>

Buy the Official Guide:

<https://www.scientificstyleandformat.org/Home.html#ch29>

Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)

May also require an official IEEE template. See our IEEE tip sheet for details.

Free Official Guides:

<https://ieeauthorcenter.ieee.org/wp-content/uploads/IEEE-Reference-Guide.pdf>

<https://iee-dataport.org/sites/default/files/analysis/27/IEEE%20Citation%20Guidelines.pdf>

International Committee of Medical Journal Editors (ICMJE)

also known as National Library of Medicine (NLM)

Free Official Guide:

https://www.nlm.nih.gov/bsd/uniform_requirements.html

Journal of Microbial Ecology

Free Official Guide:

<https://www.springer.com/journal/248/submission-guidelines#Instructions%20for%20Authors> References

Oxford University Standard for the Citation of Legal Authorities (OSCOLA)

Free Official Guides:

https://www.law.ox.ac.uk/sites/files/oxlaw/oscola_4th_edn_hart_2012quickreferenceguide.pdf

https://www.law.ox.ac.uk/sites/files/oxlaw/oscola_4th_edn_hart_2012.pdf

Use Chicago Style:

- American Anthropological Association (AAA)
- Association for Computing Machinery (ACM)
- American Library Association (ALA)
- American Political Science Association (APSA)
- U.S. Government Publishing