

LRC Quick Start Guide to APA Citations

Some Examples

For definitive examples on these and other material types not covered in the list below please refer to the APA Style Manual (Sixth edition) available in the library reference section. Call # BF 76.7 P976 2010

In-Text examples:

According to Boyd (2006), ... (p. 186).

Boyd (2006) stated...(p. 193).

The author stated, "... (Boyd, 2006, pg. 194), which implied...

For two authors – use both last names as you would above.

For three to five authors – use all last names the first time they are referenced, afterwards use (Lastname1 et al.)

For six or more authors – use (Lastname1 et al.) for all references.

Book Chapter, print version

Lastname, Firstname. (Publishing Year). Chapter title. In Editor/s (Ed.). *Title of book* (pp. #-#). Location of publisher: Publisher.

Purchase, David. (2006). Fire department training and education. In John M. Buckman (Ed.), *Chief Fire Officer's desk reference* (pp. 167-198). Sudbury, MA: Jones and Bartlett Publishers.

Entire book , print version

Lastname, Firstname. (Publishing Year). *Title of book*. Location of publisher: Publisher.

Kennedy, R. G. (2006). *Wildfire and Americans: how to save lives, property, and your tax dollars*. New York: Hill and Wang.

Journal article

LastnameA, Initial1. Initial2., LastnameB, Initial 3. Initial4. (Publishing year). Article Title. *Journal Title*, volume number (issue number), pg#-pg#.

Williams, B. E. (2010). Incident command as a participative-management practice: dispelling the myth of authoritarian command. *International Fire Service Journal of Leadership and Management*, 4 (1), 9-21.



Dissertation or Master's Thesis

Lastname, Firstname. (Publishing Year). *Title*. (Doctoral dissertation or master's thesis). Name of institution.

Heineman, E. F. (1987). *Injuries on the fireground: the role of fire fighters' breathing apparatus*. (Doctoral dissertation). University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.

Web Source

LastnameA, Initial1. Initial2. & LastnameB, Initial3. Initial4. (Publication Date). Title. Retrieved from <http://website>

Andrews, Robert C., Brookshier, Paul E., Newberg, Bob, Brown, William F., Smith, Stephen L., Mugava, Sevias, & Teie, John. Human resource management for the fire service: an idea whose time has come. Retrieved from <http://etudesproject.org/nonfpdata/cog/FS359/DOC0007/HumanResourceManagementfotheFireServicebyAndrewsetal.pdf>

Other examples:

Video

Alan Landsburg Productions. (2006). *The triangle factory fire scandal* [DVD]. Westmount, Quebec: Direct Source Special Products.

Video Journal

Working fire training systems. (2009). Vehicle rescue in the new millennium. [DVD]. *Working fire*, 9 (7).

Corporate author, government report

United States Fire Administration, United States Forest Service, & International Association of Fire Chiefs. (2012). *Your role in fire-adapted communities: how the fire service, local officials, and the public can work together*. Washington, DC: The Administration.

