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Examples of Reference List (Bibliography) entries

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Book – Single Author or Two Authors

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Book – Corporate Author

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Magazine Article

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One Work by Single Author

In a recent study of reactions times (Smith, 1983), results indicated that *[Author's name is not part of your text.]*

Professor Georgia Smith (1983) compared reaction times *[Author's name is part of your text.]*

One Work by 2 or More Authors

Lapp and Flood (1999) found that post-treatment scores *[Authors' names are part of your text.]*

When post-treatment and pre-treatment scores were compared (Lapp & Flood, 1999)
[Authors' names are not part of your text.]

One Work by 3, 4, or 5 Authors

Williams, Jones, Smith, Bradner and Torrington (1983) found that *[List all authors the first time. Cite all authors in bibliography.]*

Williams et al. (1983) later reported that *[subsequent text references]*

One Work by 6 or More Authors

Kosslyn et al. (1992) described recent findings *[Cite only first author with et al. for first and subsequent citations. Cite all authors in bibliography.]*

Corporate Authors

A report issued by the National Institute of Mental Health [NIMH] in 1981 *[Provide full name the first time.]*

Findings of older studies were disputed by several government researchers (NIMH, 1981)
[Use acronym in subsequent text references.]

Work with No Author or Anonymous Author

In an earlier report on free child care ("Study Finds," 1982) *[title of article or chapter]*

The study *College Bound Seniors* (1979) proved to be particularly useful *[title of book or periodical]*

Two or More Works within Same Parentheses

Past research (Zachlin, 1978, 1992) demonstrated that *[two or more works by same author]*

Several studies (Alcors, 1978; Mullaney, 1977; Talpers, 1992) indicated *[two or more works by different authors; note alphabetical order of names]*

Direct Quotation

The researchers stated "our results are inconclusive" (Czapiewski & Ruby, 1978, p.10).