

# CSE Citation Guide

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## Introduction

The important point to remember is that any and all reference citations must provide enough information so that your reader can look up the information independently. In general, citations are provided in the text itself in **Author-year format** (e.g. Browser, 2008; Smith and Hanna, 2005; Guillard et al., 2008). Note the differences between citations with one, two or more authors. In bibliography itself, the citations are listed by author alphabetically at the end of the research paper. Each reference must be complete and include all authors, year, source and full citation with inclusive page numbers. If journals are abbreviated, you must use the official ISI abbreviations. These can be obtained from (<http://library.caltech.edu/reference/abbreviations/>).

For the purposes of this class, you must prepare your bibliography using the CSE styles described below. Examples of these styles were prepared by Ohio State University library system and are based on the *Scientific Style and Format: The CSE Manual for Authors, Editors, and Publishers* 7th edition, 2006. This book is available in the Moon library reference section under call number T11 .S386 2006.

Be aware that other styles exist. The most common alternative is described in the American Chemical Society's "Handbook for Authors". This book is available in SciTech library reserve (T11.S386 2006). ACS styles are generally more abbreviated and often lack certain bits of information (e.g. no titles, etc). Every journal has its own "style" and you will need look up the individual instructions for authors when you submit papers to that journal. Not following the journals individual instructions is sufficient reason to reject any paper submitted for publication.

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