

Guidelines for Chicago 18

See Chicago Style guide for how to cite a chapter of a book, a part of an edited volume, translated or edited books, sources with multiple authors, book reviews, interviews, social media content, videos or podcasts, and more specifics on websites. This is just a jumping off point for the most common citations.

Obsculta uses Notes and Bibliography Style. All bibliographies should be indented after the first line.

Book

Footnote: First name Last name, *Book Title* (Publisher, Year), page number.

Charles Yu, *Interior Chinatown* (Pantheon Books, 2020), 45.

Footnote Shortened: Last name, *Book Title*, page number.

Yu, *Interior Chinatown*, 48.

Bibliography: Last name, First Name Middle initial. *Book Title*. Publisher, Year of publication.

Yu, Charles. *Interior Chinatown*. Pantheon Books, 2020.

Things to Note: place of publication is no longer required in book footnotes or bibliography.

Chapter from Book

Footnote: First name Last name, “Chapter Title,” in *Book Title* (Publisher, Year), page number.

Kathleen Doyle, “The Queen Mary Psalter,” in *The Book by Design: The Remarkable Story of the World’s Greatest Invention*, ed. P. J. M. Marks and Stephen Parkin (University of Chicago Press, 2023), 64.

Footnote Shortened: Last name, “Chapter Title”, page number.

Doyle, “Queen Mary Psalter,” 65.

Bibliography: Last name, First Name Middle initial. “Chapter Title”. In *Book Title*. Publisher, Year of publication.

Doyle, Kathleen. “The Queen Mary Psalter.” In *The Book by Design: The Remarkable Story of the World’s Greatest Invention*, edited by P. J. M. Marks and Stephen Parkin. University of Chicago Press, 2023.

Things to Note: Page ranges for a chapter of a book are no longer required in bibliography entries.

Journal

Footnote: First name Last name, "Article title," *Journal Title* Volume Number, issue no. # (month and year of publication): page number, DOI link or database accessed through.

Morris Dickstein, "A Literature of One's Own: The Question of Jewish Book Awards," *Princeton University Library Chronicle* 63, no. 1–2 (Winter 2002): 71.
<https://doi.org/10.25290/prinunivlibrchro.63.1-2.0070>.

Footnote Shortened: Last name, "Article title shortened," page number.

Dickstein, "A Literature of One's Own," 73.

Bibliography: Last name, First name Middle initial. "Article Title." *Journal Name* volume number, issue no. # (Publication month/year): page number. DOI link or database accessed through.

Dickstein, Morris. "A Literature of One's Own: The Question of Jewish Book Awards." *Princeton University Library Chronicle* 63, no. 1–2 (Winter 2002): 70–74.
<https://doi.org/10.25290/prinunivlibrchro.63.1-2.0070>.

Things to Note: having a DOI is preferred but older articles may not have one. Works with more than two authors should check the style guide for further information.

Website

Footnote: "Title of Page," Website, accessed month date, year, URL.

"About the UvA," University of Amsterdam, accessed July 24, 2018,
<http://www.uva.nl/en/about-the-uva>.

Footnote shortened: "Title."

"About the UvA."

Bibliography: Webpage. "Title of Page." Accessed month date, year, URL.

University of Amsterdam. "About the UvA." Accessed July 24, 2018.
<http://www.uva.nl/en/about-the-uva>.

Newspaper or Magazine

Footnote: First name Last name, "Title," *Magazine/Newspaper Title*, Month Date, Year of publication, page number, URL.

Rebecca Mead, "Terms of Aggrievement," *New Yorker*, December 18, 2023, 21.

Footnote Shortened: Last name, "Title shortened."

Mead, "Terms of Aggrievement," 23–24.

Bibliography: Last name, First name. "Full Title." *Magazine/Newspaper Title*, Month Day, Year. Website/name of database if applicable.

Mead, Rebecca. "Terms of Aggrievement." *New Yorker*, December 18, 2023.

Papal Documents

Footnote: Author Name, *Title* [English translation of title if available], The Holy See, Date published/propagated, section number, link.

Francis, *Gaudete et Exultate*, The Holy See, March 19, 2018, 131,
https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/apost_exhortations/documents/papa-francesco_esortazione-ap_20180319_gaudete-et-exsultate.html.

Shortened Footnote: *Shortened or Abbreviated Title*, sec. Number.

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Bibliography: Author Name. *Title* [English translation of title if available]. The Holy See. Date published/propagated. Link.

Francis. *Gaudete et Exultate*. Apostolic exhortation, March 19, 2018. Vatican translation.
https://www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/apost_exhortations/documents/papa-francesco_esortazione-ap_20180319_gaudete-et-exsultate.html.

Things to Note: Since the author is often known by a title, there is no first, last name. Popes and Saints are not given titles either, but purely their name. Ex: Augustine (not St. Augustine or Augustine of Hippo) and Benedict XVI (not Pope Benedict XVI). If no personal author is listed, and instead the work is produced by a Council or an administrative body, list that as the author. Section numbers are abbreviated: sec. Number [not written out in full].

Bible

Things to Note: References to the Jewish or Christian scriptures usually appear in text citations or notes rather than in bibliographies. This means instead of creating a footnote, use parenthesis and include the citation within your text. Also, include the Bible Translation you are using after the citation.

Parenthetical or note references to the Bible should include book (in roman and usually abbreviated), chapter, and verse—never a page number. A colon is used between chapter and verse. Note that the traditional abbreviations use periods but the shorter forms do not. For guidance on when to abbreviate and when not to, see [10.50](#). For full forms and abbreviations, see [10.51](#), [10.52](#), [10.53](#).

Traditional abbreviations: (Book abbreviated. Chapter:Verse, Bible Translation).

(1 Thess. 4:11, 5:2–5, 5:14, New Revised Standard Version).

(Heb. 13:8, 13:12, New International Version).

Shorter abbreviations: (Book abbreviated Chapter:Verse, Translation).

2 Sm 11:1–17, 11:26–27 (RSV).

Jo 5:9–12 (NAB).

Summa Theologica

Book

Footnote: First name Last name, *Title*, trans. (Publisher, year published), Part number, q. question number, a. article number.

Thomas Aquinas, *Summa theologica*, trans. Fathers of the English Dominican Province (Benziger Brothers, 1911-1925), IIa-IIae, q. 145, arts 1-2.

Things to Note: If you are citing more than one article at a time, the abbreviation is “arts” not “a.”

Shortened footnotes: Last name, *Title* Part.question.article.

Aquinas, *Summa theologica* 1.28.2.

Bibliography: Last name, First name. *Title*. Translation (if available). Publisher, year published.

Aquinas, Thomas. *Summa theologica*. Translated by Fathers of the English Dominican Province. Benziger Brothers, 1911-1925.

eBook with no DOI

Footnote: First name Last name, *Title*, trans. (Publisher, year published), Part number, q. question number, a. article number. Online Publisher.

Thomas Aquinas, *Summa theologiae*, trans. Fathers of the English Dominican Province (Benziger Brothers, 1911-1925), IIa-IIae, q. 145, arts 1-2. Intex Past Masters.

Shortened footnote: Last name, *Title* Part.question.article.
Aquinas, *Summa theologiae* 1.28.2.

Bibliography: Last name, First name. *Title*. Translated by. Publishers, year published. Online Source.

Aquinas, Thomas. *Summa theologiae*. Translated by Fathers of the English Dominican Province. Benziger Brothers, 1911-1925. Intex Past Masters.

For further information about citing the Summa, please visit
<https://library.nd.edu.au/instruction/referencing/chicago/religious#s-lib-ctab-20645790-5>.

Catechism

Print:

Footnote: *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, ed. (Publisher, year), paragraph number.
Catechism of the Catholic Church, 2nd ed. (Vatican Press, 1997), 2184.

Shortened footnote: *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, paragraph number.
Catechism of the Catholic Church, 2184.

Bibliography: *Catechism of the Catholic Church*. ed. Publisher, year published.
Catechism of the Catholic Church. 2nd ed. Vatican Press, 1997.

Online:

Footnote: *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, ed. (Publisher, year published), paragraph number, URL.
Catechism of the Catholic Church, 2nd ed. (Vatican Press, 1997), 2186,
<https://www.scborromeo2.org/catechism-of-the-catholic-church>.

Shortened footnote: *Catechism of the Catholic Church*, paragraph number.
Catechism of the Catholic Church, 2186.

Bibliography: *Catechism of the Catholic Church*. ed. Publisher, year published. URL.
Catechism of the Catholic Church. 2nd ed. Vatican Press, 1997.
<https://www.scborromeo2.org/catechism-of-the-catholic-church>.

Things to Note: Currently only the first edition of the Catechism of the Catholic Church is available on the Vatican website, it is therefore recommended that you access the second edition,

as cited above, if using an online version. Additionally, instead of page numbers or section numbers, paragraph numbers are used in citations for the Catechism.

Further Sacred Texts Citation Guide

SBL Handbook of Style, found on the Library Website:

<https://CSBSJU.on.worldcat.org/oclc/908041220>