Mathematical Sciences Citing & Referencing



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Outline

- * This session will give:
 - * An overview of how to cite within the body of your work
 - * How to create a reference list
 - * Advice on format and page numbers

Why should we give references?

- * To avoid plagiarism by acknowledging others' work and ideas
- So others can trace your sources of information quickly and easily
- To demonstrate the breadth of your research
- To demonstrate your ability to select appropriate material and evaluate it

Citing & Referencing

Citing:

Referring from material in the body of your text to the list of sources at the end of your work, usually using a number or author/date information.

Referencing:

The process of creating a bibliographic list of sources used (including: author, date, title, publisher, place of publication) and presenting each entry in a consistent style.

You must cite and reference:



- Direct quotations
- Paraphrases and summaries of others' ideas
- Statistics, charts, tables, data, images and graphs

Popular referencing styles

Numeric:

- * IEEE
- * RSC
- * Vancouver

Author/Date:

- * Harvard
- * APA
- * Chicago

Thousands of styles exist and many journals have their own variants

Citation systems vary

Numeric e.g. [1], (1) or 1

or

Author/Date e.g. (Smith 2011)

Above all be consistent!

Referencing styles determine...

- Formatting of the citations for whichever system is used
- Formatting of the full reference in your reference list

The differences are largely cosmetic

Citing and Referencing: IEEE

Example **citation** in text:

Motivation has been described as "a state of readiness or eagerness to change" [1].

Example **reference** in the bibliography at the end (numbered in order of first appearance):

[1] W. R. Miller and S. Rollnick, Motivational interviewing: preparing people to change addictive behavior. London: Guilford Press, 1991.

Citing and Referencing: Harvard (Bath)

Example **citation** in text:

Its absence amongst historians is noted by Stieg (1981b, p.556). It may be, as Burchard (1965) points out, that they have no assistants or are reluctant to delegate...

Example **reference** in the bibliography at the end arranged alphabetically by author's surname, subdivided, if necessary, by year and letter.

Example:

Burchard, J.E., 1965. How humanists use a library. In: C.F.J. Overhage and J.R. Harman, eds. Intrex: report on a planning conference and information transfer experiments. Cambridge, Mass.: MIT Press, pp.41-87.

Stieg, M.F., 1981a. Continuing education and the reference librarian in the academic and research library. Library Journal, 105(22), pp.2547-2551.

Stieg, M.F., 1981b. The information needs of historians. College and research libraries, 42(6), pp.549-560.

Giving page numbers?

- * You may be expected to give exact page references e.g. for direct quotations, data, tables, images, etc.
- You must give a citation and a page number
- * Some journals using numeric styles do not ask for specific page references e.g. certain IEEE journals
- * Check with your lecturer about the style to use and if and how they want you to include page numbers!

Recommended page citation style

Examples using IEEE style:

Citing one page: [1, p.9]

Citing a range of pages: [1, pp.7-15]

Citing pages from several sources: [1, pp.7-15]; [2, p.5]

Examples using Harvard Bath style:

Citing one page: This has been widely discussed (Smith 2010, p.9) or "as noted by Smith (2010, p.9)"

Citing a range of pages: (Smith, 2010, pp.7-15)

Reference list



 Don't give the full details of the source within your text. List them in a reference list, at the end.

 The reference list should only include material that you have cited in your text.



Activity 3 – a book reference

- * Run a Library catalogue keyword search for "McColl and Probability"
- Write a reference for this book on your handout

(www.bath.ac.uk/library)

Answer Book reference: Harvard (Bath)

Author(s)/Editor(s)., year of publication. Title of book. Edition (if not 1st). Place of publication: publisher.

McColl, J.H., 1995. Probability. London: Edward Arnold.

Answer Book reference: IEEE

[Citation no.] Author INITIALS. Surname(s), Book Title.

Place published: Publisher, date published.

Example:

[1] I.F. Darwin, Android Cookbook. California: O'Reilly, 2012.



Activity 4 – article reference

- * Carry out a catalogue search for a journal article called "Recursive Monte Carlo Filters"
 - **NB** it is the one from the **Annals of Statistics** and should be the first result
- Write a reference for it as a print journal article
 - **NB** this is an online PDF version which is identical to the version available in print, including pagination

(www.bath.ac.uk/library)

Answer Article reference: Harvard (Bath)

Author(s) of article., year of publication. Title of article. Title of journal, volume number (and issue), pagination.

Kunsch, H.R., 2005. Recursive Monte Carlo Filters: Algorithms and Theoretical Analysis. Annals of Statistics, 33(5), pp.1983-2021.



Answer Article reference: IEEE

[Citation no.] Author INITIALS. Surname, "Article Title," Abbreviated Journal Title, vol. x, no. x, pp. x-x, Abbreviated Month Year.

Example:

[3] I. Roulstone and J. Norbury, "Computing Superstorm Sandy," *Scientific American*, vol. 309, no.2, p.22, Aug 2013.

Reference list: Harvard (Bath) style

BCS: The Chartered Institute for IT, 2013. BCS Digital Literacy for Life programme [online]. London: BCS: The Chartered Institute for IT, Available from: http://dlfl.bcs.org/ [Accessed 14 October 2013].

Darwin, I.F., 2012. Android cookbook. California: O'Reilly.

Dix, A,J., 2004. Human-computer interaction. 3rd ed. New Jersey: Pearson.

Roulstone, I. and Norbury, J., 2013. Computing Superstorm Sandy. Scientific American., 309(August), p.22.

TechSmith Corporation (2008). Camtasia Studio (Version 3) [Computer Program]. Available at: http://www.techsmith,com/download/trials.asp (Accessed 21 June 2010)

Reference list: IEEE style

- [1] A. J. Dix, Human-computer interaction. 3rd ed. New Jersey: Pearson. 2004.
- [2] B. Klaus and P. Horn, Robot Vision. Cambridge, MA: MIT Press, 1986.
- [3] W. Rafferty, "Ground antennas in NASA's deep space telecommunications," *Proc. IEEE* vol. 82, May 1994.
- [4] J. Jones. (1991, May 10). Networks (2nd ed.) [Online]. Available: http://www.atm.com
- [5] TechSmith Corporation (2008). Camtasia Studio (Version 3)
- [Computer Program]. Available at:
- http://www.techsmith,com/download/trials.asp

Referencing & Style guides

Our website includes specific style sheets: www.bath.ac.uk/library/infoskills/referencing-plagiarism/index.html

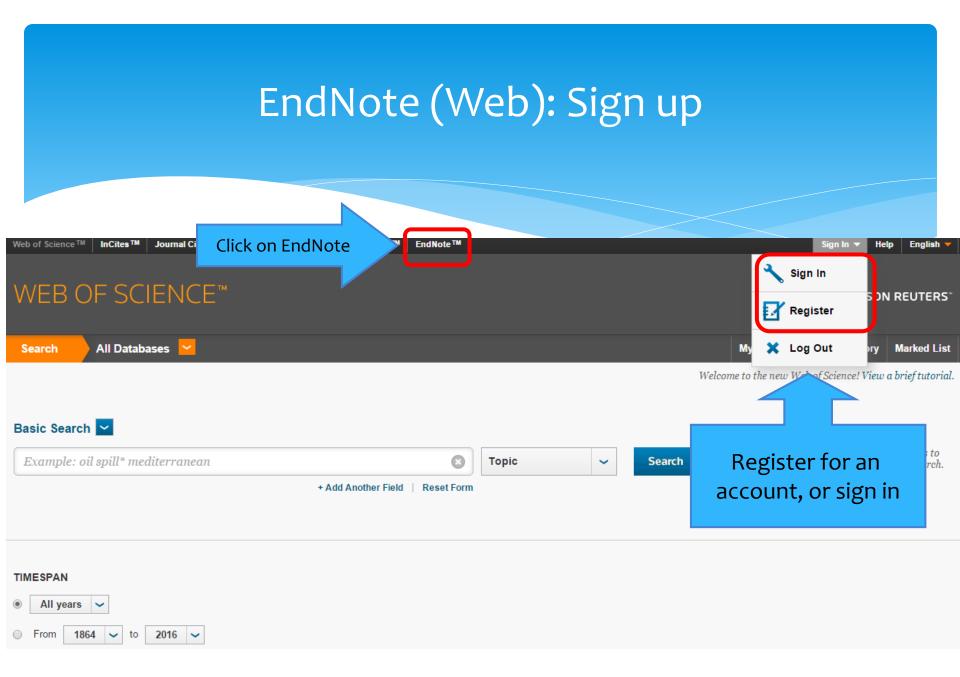
- * For all the principles on citing & referencing see: www.bath.ac.uk/library/help/infoguides/reference-guide.pdf
- * Use this alongside a numeric style sheets e.g. IEEE Style sheet:

www.ieee.org/documents/ieeecitationref.pdf

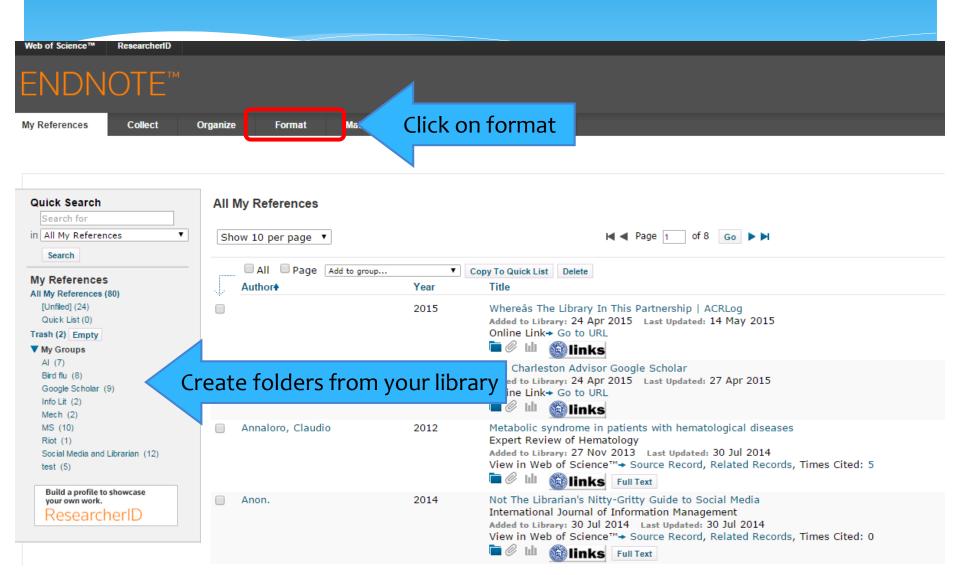
Reference management

Reference management: EndNote (Web)

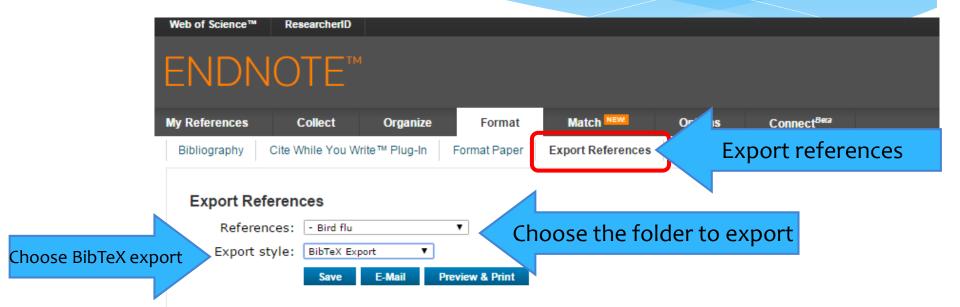
- * EndNote is a web-based tool that allows you to create, download, save, organize and edit references in your own collection or 'library'
- * You can import references from many databases and online library catalogues
- * EndNote Web links with Word so you can Cite While You Write to produce correctly cited bibliographies and notes
- * You can automatically set the citation style for your references in the text and bibliography



Keeping track of resources



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Databases - find journal articles and more

Essential for finding articles, conference papers & more beyond your reading list

- EMIS The European Mathematical Information Service
- SCOPUS peer-reviewed articles and patents in all subjects guide / training videos
- Web of Science guide & tutorial viewing results

More databases for Mathematical sciences

Recommended resources

- Useful websites: subject gateways and search engines: search for reports, grey literature, organisations...
- Finding & submitting theses & dissertations
- Images, film & other media
- Oxford Reference Maths dictionaries
- Keep up-to-date with the Library News blog

Help with finding information, referencing & writing

- Help with Maths & Statistics: MASH, the institutional mathematics resources certain
- How to find & evaluate relevant information
- How to reference information
- Help with using LaTeX
- Help with using BibTeX Reference Management Software
- Access your Moodle VLE modules
- Academic Writing Skills: tutorial

Websites suggested by Maths department for help with Latex and BibTeX

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- InCite
- SCIm SNIP-
- SciVa

Library four rules of citing and referencing

- Keep careful records of your sources.
- Evaluate your material and ensure that it is well founded research before citing and referencing it.
- 3. Choose **one style** of referencing and keep to it.
- 4. Be **consistent** with your presentation and punctuation.

Contact details and questions



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