



## Assembling a Works Cited List: Web Publications (MLA)

(Adapted from MLA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers. 7th ed. New York: The Modern Languages Association of America, 2009: 181-193.)

### Work Cited Only on the Web

Works cited that appear only on the web should include the following information:

1. Name of the author or editor, if available
2. Title of the work, in quotation marks
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6. Medium of publication: Web
7. Date of access: day, month, year

Examples:

Eaves, Morris, Robert Essick, and Joseph Viscomi, eds. *The William Blake Archive*.

Lib. of Cong. 8 May 2008. Web. 15 May 2008.

"Maplewood, New Jersey." Map. *Google Maps*. 15 May 2008. Web. 15 May 2008.

Quade, Alex. "Elite Team Rescues Troops Behind Enemy Lines." *CNN.com*.

Cable News Network. 19 March 2007. Web. 15 May 2008.

### Work Cited on the Web with Print Publication Data

Works cited on the web that have also appeared in print should include the following information:

1. Begin the entry with relevant facts about print publication: Name of the author, title of the work (italicized), title of the journal (italicized), volume [in the case of a periodical], city of publication, publisher, date, pages [journal or chapter in collection].
2. Title of the database of Web site (italicized)
3. Medium of publication: Web

4. Date of access: day, month, year

Example:

Child, L. Maria, ed. *The Freedmen's Book*. Boston, 1866. *Google Book Search*.

Web. 15 May 2008.

Whitman, Walt. *Leaves of Grass*. Brooklyn, 1855. *The Walt Whitman Archive*.

Web. 12 March 2007.

### **Periodical Publication in an Online Database**

Citations of periodicals, in print publication, accessed via an online database should include the following information:

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2. Title of database (italicized)
3. Medium of publication: Web
4. Date of access: day, month, year

Examples:

Richardson, Lynda. "Minority Students Languish in Special Education System."

*New York Times* 6 April 1994, late ed. A1+ Pt. of a series, A Class Apart:

Special Education in New York City. *LexisNexis*. Web. 15 Aug. 2007.

Tolson, Nancy. "Making Books Available: The Role of Earlier Libraries, Librarians,

and Booksellers in the Promotion of African American Children's Literature."

*African American Review* 32.1 (1998): 9-16. *JSTOR* Web. 5 June 2008.