The purpose of this guide is to provide students with a basic introduction to citation style for social sciences term papers. It is based on the 7th edition of Kate Turabian's *A Manual for Writers of Term Papers, Theses, and Dissertations* (Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 2007).

Two forms of citation are permitted by Turabian, the traditional method of footnotes with a bibliography and the now generally favoured method of parenthetical references with a reference list at the end of the paper.

This guide follows the parenthetical reference method. Titles of works cited may be italicized or underlined.

This guide uses italics for titles.

**PARENTHETICAL REFERENCES** (Turabian, Chapter 15)

In the parenthetical reference system recommended in this guide, authors' names, date of publication and page number(s) are given in parentheses within the running text or at the end of block quotations, and correspond to a list of works cited which is placed at the end of the paper.

- **Parenthetical reference following a quotation (example):**
  
  The color blue became more prominent in the eighteenth century (Pastoureau 2001, 124).

- **Parenthetical reference within a sentence (example):**
  
  While one school claims that "material culture may be the most objective source of information we have concerning America's past" (Deetz 1996, 259), others disagree.

- **Parenthetical reference when the author is mentioned in the sentence (example):**
  
  Chang then describes the occupation of Nanking in great detail (1997, 159-67).

*History students do not use the parenthetical method - instead see:

http://www.bridgew.edu/Library/turabian.htm

**REFERENCE LIST**

This list is arranged alphabetically by author's last names and chronologically within lists of works by a single author. It can be called "References," "Works Cited," or "Literature Cited."

The following sets of examples illustrate parenthetical-reference (PR) forms and corresponding reference-list (RL) entries. Further samples are found in the Turabian Manual, Chapter 18.

**Book, Single Author**

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For further examples consult the Turabian manual, called, *A manual for writers of research papers, theses and dissertations*, 7th ed. (Ref LB 2369 T8 2007). Copies are kept at the Reference Desk at Vanier Library, on Reserve and in the Reference collection at Webster Library.

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