



## Writing Research Papers

### PRINT RESOURCES

Ballenger, Bruce. *The Curious Researcher: A Guide to Writing Research Papers* (NY: Longman, 2011).

Booth, Wayne, et al. *The Craft of Research* (Chicago: Univ. of Chicago, 2008).

Graff, Gerald et al. *They Say, I Say: The Moves That Matter in Academic Writing* (NY: Norton, 2009).

### WRITING HANDBOOKS AND STYLE MANUALS (with call numbers)

- Ref. BF 76.7 .A43 1994 American Psychological Association. *Publication Manual of the American Psychological Association*. Washington, D.C., American Psychological Association, 1994.
- Ref. Z253.U69 1993 *Chicago Manual of Style*. 14th edition. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1993.
- Ref. T11 S386 1994 Council of Biology Editors. *Scientific Style and Format: The CBE Style Manual*. New York: Cambridge University Press, 1994.
- Ref. T 11 D33 1998 Day, Robert A. *How to Write and Publish a Scientific Paper*. 5th edition. Westport: Greenwood Publishing Group, 1998.
- Ref. LB 2369 .G53 Modern Language Association. *MLA Handbook for Writers of Research Papers*. New York: Modern Language Association, 1995.
- Ref. PN 147 G444 Modern Language Association. *MLA Style Manual and Guide to Scholarly Publishing*. New York: Modern Language Association, 1998.
- Ref. PE 1408 .S772 2000 Strunk, William S. and White, E. B. *The Elements of Style*. Boston: Allyn & Bacon, 2000.
- Ref. LB 2369 .T8 1996 Turabian, Kate L. *A Manual for Writers of Term Papers, Theses, and Dissertations*. Chicago: University of Chicago Press, 1996.

### Web Resources

Bard Learning Commons: <http://inside.bard.edu/learningcommons/>

Bard Libraries: [www.bard.edu/library/index.htm](http://www.bard.edu/library/index.htm)

Bard Senior Year Experience: [inside.bard.edu/doso/senioryear/](http://inside.bard.edu/doso/senioryear/)

### **Citations and Bibliographic Guides**

- NoodleBib: Generate, edit, and publish an MLA Works Cited list. Click on the New User link and follow the instructions.  
<http://www.noodletools.com/login.php?group=2665&code=2318>
- APA Guide to citations  
[www.unc.edu/depts/wcweb/handouts/apa.html](http://www.unc.edu/depts/wcweb/handouts/apa.html)
- MLA Guide to citations (also available at the Learning Commons)  
[www.unc.edu/depts/wcweb/handouts/mla.html](http://www.unc.edu/depts/wcweb/handouts/mla.html)
- "Columbia Online Style: MLA-Style Citations of Electronic Sources," Walker, Janice R. Vers. 1.2, Rev. Nov. 1997. (5 June 1998).  
[www.columbia.edu/cu/cup/cgos/idx\\_basic.html](http://www.columbia.edu/cu/cup/cgos/idx_basic.html)
- Academic Honesty Self-Test and Guides to Citation Styles  
[leeds.bates.edu/cbb/](http://leeds.bates.edu/cbb/)

### **On-line Research**

- The Internet Public Library's E-resources: *An exhaustive list of links to on-line reference works* [www.ipl.org/div/subject/browse/ref00.00.00](http://www.ipl.org/div/subject/browse/ref00.00.00)
- Bard's Stevenson Library: Encyclopedias and Dictionaries  
[www.bard.edu/library/other/reference/dictionaries.htm](http://www.bard.edu/library/other/reference/dictionaries.htm)
- OWL Purdue website:  
<https://owl.english.purdue.edu/owl/resource/747/01/>
- Online! A reference guide to using internet sources:  
[www.bedfordstmartins.com/online/](http://www.bedfordstmartins.com/online/)
- International public library, links to newspapers worldwide:  
[www.ipl.org/div/news](http://www.ipl.org/div/news)

### **Grammar Help**

- *The American Heritage Book of English Usage*  
[www.bartleby.com/64/](http://www.bartleby.com/64/)
- Diana Hacker's Book Companions Extensive Electronic Writing/Grammar Exercises  
[www.dianahacker.com/student.html](http://www.dianahacker.com/student.html)

### **Writing Academic Papers**

- Electronic writing assistance including sections on the various stages, types and style/grammar of writing:  
[thuban.ac.hmc.edu/www\\_common/writing/centweb/centstu.html](http://thuban.ac.hmc.edu/www_common/writing/centweb/centstu.html)
- *Writing Better: A Handbook for Amherst Students*, Snively, Susan  
[www.amherst.edu/~writing/writingbetter/](http://www.amherst.edu/~writing/writingbetter/)
- Also, look for [Harvard University's Twenty Tips for Senior Thesis Writers](#) and their [Worksheets for Senior Thesis Writers](#)