

ACADEMIC BLUEBOOK CITATIONS

GENERAL PRINCIPLES

- Academic citations are guided by the Whitepages of the Bluebook
- Citations are placed in footnotes (rather than in-text, like the Bluepages)
- Consider consulting other useful resources to learn the basics, such as *Understanding and Mastering the Bluebook* by Linda J. Barris or the [online tutorials](#) from *Mastering the Bluebook Interactive Exercises*
- Remember to consult each rule for short form citation guidelines as appropriate

SPECIFIC EXAMPLES

<p>Journal articles (BB 16)</p>	<p>Author Name, <i>Title of Journal Article</i>, NAME OF JOURNAL [page number article starts on], [pincite] (year).</p> <p>E.g., Kif Augustine-Adams, <i>Gendered States: A Comparative Structure of Citizenship and Nation</i>, VA. J. INT'L L. 93, 109 (2000).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Abbreviate the name of the publishing journal according to BB T6 • Either hyphens or en dashes between page ranges are acceptable
<p>Cases (BB 10)</p>	<p>Party v. Party, Court Reporter [page number case starts on], [pincite] (deciding court and year).</p> <p>E.g., <i>Menzies v. Galetka</i>, 150 P.3d 480, 493 (Utah 2006).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Abbreviate the party names as necessary according to BB 10.2 • Check BB T1 for the preferred reporter and the correct court abbreviation • When citing U.S. Supreme Court cases, omit the court name in the parenthetical • Either hyphens or en dashes between page ranges are acceptable
<p>Statutes (BB 12)</p>	<p>[Title number] [abbreviation of code cited] § [specific section cited] (date of code edition cited).</p> <p>E.g., 28 U.S.C. § 1291 (2012).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The date is optional if citing official or unofficial U.S. Code • Rules of procedure, rules of evidence, model codes, restatements, sentencing guidelines, and the Internal Revenue Code all have special citation forms, which are outlined in BB 12.9
<p>Dynamic web pages (like blog posts) (BB 18)</p>	<p>Author Name, <i>Title of Post</i>, NAME OF PUBLISHING WEBSITE (date of publication), https://full_url_of_website.org.</p> <p>E.g., Francisca Pérez-Madrid, <i>When Gender and Nationality Are Enough for Asylum: Commentary on the AH & FN Judgment of the EU Court of Justice</i>, BYU L. INT'L CTR. L. & RELIGION STUD. (Nov. 8, 2024), https://talkabout.iclrs.org/2024/11/08/when-gender-and-nationality-are-enough-for-asylum.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Abbreviate the publishing website according to BB T6. • Include the full date of publication, not just the year. • Abbreviate the month according to BB T12.