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A. Author, *The title of the journal article*, 70(1) Journal Title 1-10 (2016).

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AUTHOR, *supra* note 43, at 50.

Books

A. Author & B. Author, *The Title of the Book*, 1-10 (Publisher, City, 2010).

Edited Books

A. Author & B. Author, ‘The title of the chapter in the book’, in A. Editor (Ed.), *The Title of the Book*. Series Title, Vol. 1, xx-xx, (Publisher, City, 2016).



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Conference Proceedings

A. Author & B. Author, The title of the article, in *Proceedings of the Xth International Conference on Something* —TITLE '2010 xx-xx, (City, Publisher, 2016).

PhD (MSc, etc.) Thesis

A. Author, The title of the thesis, MSc Thesis, (Department of Something, University, City, 2016)

Law Cases

Party Name v. Party Name, Volume Reporter Page (Court Year) (parenthetical).

Party v. Party....

Newspaper Articles

A. Author, *The Title of the Newspaper Article*, N.Y. THE NEWSPAPER, Oct. 9, 2007, at F6.

Websites

See HUMAN RIGHTS WATCH, PUNISHMENT AND PREJUDICE: RACIAL DISPARITIES IN THE WAR ON DRUGS, available at <http://www.hrw.org/legacy/reports/2000/usa/>.

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