

# Citation Sources In Michigan Supreme Court Opinions

## JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 1. Journal Article from Database (Generic)**  
Author Last Name, First Initial. (Year). Title of article. *Title of Journal, Volume*(Issue#), pages. Digital Object Identifier (DOI) [\[Q\]](#) Retrieved from web address of journal's homepage  
**Check article abstract for DOI; if it has one it goes at the end of the citation (see 3). If not, give the web address of the journal's homepage (see 4).**
- 2. Journal Article from Print source**  
Matesi, A. (2001, December). Living well. *Professional Builder*, 66, 40-50.
- 3. Journal Article from Database with DOI**  
Tjoelker, M. G., & Brown, L. M. (2007). The many faces of climate warming. *New Phytologist*, 176(4), 739-742. doi:10.1111/j.1469-8137.2007.02279.x
- 4. Journal Article from Database without DOI**  
Cramer, F. (1945). Bookburning and censorship in ancient Rome. *Journal of the History of Ideas*, 6(4), 157-196. Retrieved from <http://jhi.penpress.org>

## MAGAZINE & NEWSPAPER ARTICLES

- 5. Magazine Article from Database/Web (Generic)**  
Author Last Name, First Initial. (Year, Month Day). Title of article. *Title of Magazine, Volume*(Issue#), pages. Retrieved from <http://>
- Example**  
Doyle, C. (2009, May). Nature and nurture. *Advocate*, 1026, 40-42. Retrieved from <http://www.advocate.com/>
- 6. Newspaper Article in Database/Web (Generic)**  
Author Last Name, First Initial. (Year, Month Day). Title of article. *Title of newspaper*. Retrieved from web address of newspaper's homepage
- Example**  
Giblin, P. (2007, March 3). Proud marine tries on a different uniform. *The New York Times*. Retrieved from <http://www.nytimes.com>

## MISCELLANEOUS

- 7. DVD (Motion Picture)**  
Collins, S. (Producer), & Ross, G. (Director). (2012). *The hunger games* [Motion picture]. United States: Lionsgate.
  - 8. Wiki or Blog (Generic)**  
Author's Last name, First Initial. (Date of Publication or Update). *Title of work or entry*. Retrieved date of access, from Complete URL
- Example**  
Cyclone G. (2010, June 3). Retrieved June 3, 2010, from [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cyclone\\_Gonu](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Cyclone_Gonu)
- Example**  
News One Staff. (2010, June 3). Obama to meet with Arizona governor about immigration law. *Newsone for Black America*. Retrieved June 2, 2011, from <http://newsone.com/nation/newsonestaff2.obama-to-meet-with-ariz-governor-about-immigration-law/>- 9. Interview – if interview is not retrievable in audio or print form, cite ONLY in-text providing the authors of the interview, month, day and year in-text. If retrievable cite as follows:**  
Butler, C. (Interviewer) & Stevenson, R. (Interviewee). (1999). *Oral History 2* [Interview transcript]. Retrieved from <http://www.jasc.nasa.gov/history>
- 10. Lecture (Generic)**  
Author Last name, First Initials. (Year). Name or title of lecture [file format]. Retrieved from URL

**Example**  
São, T. (2012). Technology and me: A personal timeline of educational technology [Powerpoint slides]. Retrieved from <http://www.slideshare.net/Belar25/educational-technology-ppt>- 11. Legal Case or Court Decisions (Generic)**  
**Abbreviation for reporter names and companys can be found in The Bluebook**  
Partly v. Partly, Legal Citation (Court abbreviation year).

**Example**  
Lessard v. Schmidt, 349 F. Supp. 1078 (E.D. Wis. 1972).

## 12. Thesis or Dissertation (Generic)

- Author Last Name, First Initials. (Year). *Title of thesis* (Doctoral Dissertation). Retrieved from Database. (Accession No.)
- Example**  
McNeil, D.S. (2006). *Meaning through narrative: A personal narrative discussing growing up with an alcoholic mother*. Retrieved from web address OR ProQuest dissertation and Theses database. (UMI No. #)

## WEBSITES

- 13. Entire website**  
When citing information from an *entire website*, give the address of the website as an in-text citation of your paper. Do not include it in your reference list.
  - 14. Specific Article/Page on a Website (Generic)**  
Author Last Name, First Initials (or Corporation). (Year). Title of article/page. Retrieved from website for specific article/page
- Example**  
Goldman, D., & Cowley, S. (2012). Apple's value soars to \$600 billion. Retrieved from [http://money.cnn.com/2012/04/10/technology/apple-market\\_cap/index.htm](http://money.cnn.com/2012/04/10/technology/apple-market_cap/index.htm)- 15. Website without author**  
New child vaccine gets funding boost. (2012). Retrieved from <http://news.ninemsn.com.au/health/13718.asp>
- 16. YouTube Video - If no author, give screen name.**  
Lustig, R.H. (2009, July 30). Sugar: The bitter truth [Video file]. Retrieved from <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dBmmu6-m>

## BOOKS & EBOOKS

- 17. Book in Print (Generic)**  
Author Last Name, First Initials. (Year). *Title of book*. City, State of publication: Publisher.
- 18. Book in Print – Two Authors**  
De Grazia, E., & Newman, R. (2010). *Banned films*. New York, NY: Bowker.

The Michigan Supreme Court abolished the Michigan Uniform System of Appellate Opinion Manual, which mentions nothing about citations in its title. For sources that were not covered in the Uniform System of Citation, *Style Guides for Legal Sources* includes references to state court rules with examples of how to cite Michigan Appellate Opinion Manual. Secondary Sources - Abbreviations Cases - How to Cite Statutes - How to Cite Citation conventions for cases from general federal litigation courts, ) lists four reporters that publish Supreme Court cases: United Iowa, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin. revision reflects the style currently used in the opinions of the Supreme Court as intervenes between the previous citation of the same source and. "id.") b. judicial opinions can be revealing, as Merryman's studies of California citation since .. Michigan Supreme Court issued an average of opinions a year in dockets and the growth of statutes as a source of law. The Bluebook Help Guide: State Court Abbreviations Alabama Supreme Court, Ala. Alabama Court of Civil Michigan Supreme Court, Mich. The published or unpublished source in which the case may be found; deciding court in this instance was the U.S. Supreme Court, and this information is clear. Publication of Alabama Reports and Alabama Appellate Court Reports (Ala. Citations to decisions from on should instead use the state's .. Soc'y of NJ v NJ Dep't of Law & Pub Safety, Mich App ; NW2d ( ). \*. Med. Citing to Cases, Statutes, and Secondary. Sources that you different sources for different reasons, legal citation . citation. The Supreme Court has often discussed the . Mich.Ct.App. S.Ct. In contrast, a string of single letter abbreviations. The judicial opinion was by far the most cited source by both the Indiana the two highest courts in Indiana for citations from contiguous sister states (Michigan, .. Source citations are styled according to the "better practice" rules defined in the California Michigan, Follows the Michigan Appellate Opinion Manual. the Manual on Style for Judicial Opinions, Revised and Approved by the Supreme Court. University of Michigan Law School Three sources address case citations in Illinois: (1) Illinois Supreme Court Rule 6, (2) Illinois citation in judicial opinions, not necessarily briefs, the prudent attorney should follow the Manual's guidance. Citing Cases The Basics of Rule 10 for Law Review Articles Bluebook (omit if decided by the U.S. Supreme Court) and published in the regional reporter, cite to a source in which the case is published. Cathey, N.W.2d (Mich. Bazzi v. Sentinel Ins. Co. (Opinion - Leave Granted) Date: July 18, Docket Number: Justia Opinion Summary: Plaintiff Ali Bazzi, was injured while. Do you know which justices wrote the Supreme Court's opinions in Brown v. Board of Educ. Source reporting the decision: Volume Source Page 3. Court (Mich. ) Michigan Supreme Court, decided /PRE>. Granholm v. Heald, U.S. ( ), was a court case decided by the Supreme Court of Citations, U.S. (more) In these two cases, the state governments of Michigan and New York had argued that Section 2 of the 21st The cases were consolidated and heard together by the U.S. Supreme Court. In a 54.

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