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<b>Multiple authors of a work</b>	The moose chased both gentlemen up a tree, then proceeded to stomp around beneath their dangling feet (Johnson and Stewart).	Johnson, Sam & Stewart, Jim. "A Summer in Alaska to Remember". <i>Anchorage Daily News</i> . Aug. 2006: 1. July 4th, 2017.
<b>Two works cited</b>	The beauty of an object is part of its appeal (Berman 83; Kenneth 23).	Berman, Morris. <i>The Twilight of the American Culture</i> . New York: W.W. Norton, 2000. <i>Net library</i> . Web. 22 Aug. 2009. Kenneth, Ivan. "A Buddhist response to the nature of human rights". <i>Journal of Buddhist Ethics</i> , vol. 21, no. 1, 3 Feb. 2006, pp. 90-94. <a href="http://www.cacpsu.edu/jbe/twocont.html">http://www.cacpsu.edu/jbe/twocont.html</a> . Accessed 14 July 2018.
<b>No author</b>	Walt Disney is the "third largest global media conglomerate" ("Media Giants").	"Media Giants." <i>Frontline: The Merchants of Cool</i> , PBS, <a href="http://www.pbs.org/wgbh/pages/frontline/shows/cool/giants">www.pbs.org/wgbh/pages/frontline/shows/cool/giants</a> . Accessed July 14, 2018.

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