

Works Cited Page: Print Publications

A basic book with one author.

There are 4 elements:

1 Name of author. **2** Title of the work. **3** Publication information (Place: Publisher, Year.). **4** Medium.

Special considerations by element. Use the title page (not the cover) of the book for information.

1. *Author.* Last name first followed by comma, then first name followed by a period.
 - *Use initials if the title pages does.*
 - *Omit titles and degrees.*
2. *Title.* Full title and subtitle as they appear on the title page.
 - *Put a colon after the main title.*
 - *Italicize the whole title.*
 - *Put a period after the whole title.*
3. *Publication information.* If the information isn't on the title page, turn to the copyright page on the other side.
 - *Place:*
 - *If several cities are listed just use the first one.*
 - *Omit city, state, province or country.*
 - *Follow with a colon.*
 - *Publisher:*
 - *Shorten by omitting articles and descriptive words like "books, press, house, publishers," but maintain university abbreviations. Cite only surnames. If there are several names only cite the first. Use standard abbreviations like Assn. for Association or Soc. for Society.*
 - *Follow with a comma.*
 - *Date.*
 - *Use the date on the title page, but if it is not there use the most recent copyright date on the copyright page.*
 - *Follow with a period.*
4. *Medium.* Print.
 - *Follow with a period.*

Example:

Lewis, C.S. *Miracles: A Preliminary Study*. New York: Macmillan, 1947. Print.