

# Phase1: API doc for zotero flow

- API 1: Login to Zotero and display the user's library items
- API 2: Generate Citations for the selected items
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## API 1: Login to Zotero and display the user's library items

API endpoint test server : <https://58wk9x3q84.execute-api.us-east-1.amazonaws.com/test/api/v1/zotero/items>

Method: 'POST'

Headers: *mandatory*

```
1 {
2   "Content-Type": "application/json",
3   "x-api-key": "DTLIRTOGIp2iUA1QnXp9S8qGwCCFs9vB58eEGq3E"
4 }
```

Status: 400 Bad Request

```
1 {
2   "status": false,
3   "message": "Missing required headers and/or parameters."
4 }
```

### Request payload:

Request will be failed if any of the below keys/ values are missing.

```
1 {
2   "user_type": "zotero", # non-mandatory
3   "user_data": {
4     "user_id": "12345",
5     "user_name": "xyz",
6     "api_key": "123xyz"
7   }
8 }
```

Status: 400 Bad Request

```
1 {
2   "status": false,
3   "message": "Missing key/value"
4 }
```

### Response payload:

Status: 200 (success)

```

1 {
2   "status": true,
3   "message": "Job processed successfully",
4   "fetch_id": "b1150867-10f2-4154-a38a-99db772645e4",
5   "body": {
6     "user_type": "zotero",
7     "zotero_items_metadata": [
8       {
9         "key": "WTPTXZ28",
10        "title": "Ejecta from the DART-produced active asteroid Dimorphos",
11        "collection_name": [
12          "Demo"
13        ],
14        "collections": [
15          "F4875PR6"
16        ]
17      },
18      {
19        "key": "ZUFE76VD",
20        "title": "Plagiarism Overview - Purdue OWL® - Purdue University",
21        "collection_name": [
22          "Demo"
23        ],
24        "collections": [
25          "F4875PR6"
26        ]
27      }
28    ]
29  }
30 }

```

Status: 500

```

1 {
2   "status": false,
3   "message": 'Internal Server Error'
4 }

```

## API 2: Generate Citations for the selected items

API endpoint test server: <https://58wk9x3q84.execute-api.us-east-1.amazonaws.com/test/api/v1/citations>

Method: 'POST'

Headers: *mandatory*

```

1 {
2   "Content-Type": "application/json",
3   "x-api-key": "DTLIRTOGIp2iUA1QnXp9S8qGwCCFs9vB58eEGq3E"
4 }

```

Status: 400 Bad Request

```

1 {
2   "status": false,

```

```
3   "message": "Missing required headers and/or parameters."
4 }
```

#### Request payload:

Request will be failed if any of the below keys/ values are missing.

```
1 {
2   "citation_style": "apa",
3   "user_data": {
4     "user_id": "12345",
5     "user_name": "xyz",
6     "api_key": "123xyz"
7   },
8   "selected_items": [
9     {
10      "key": "EKCTMWTI"
11    },
12    {
13      "key": "3VXZ9YP8"
14    }
15  ]
16 }
```

Status: 400 Bad Request

```
1 {
2   "status": false,
3   "message": "Missing key/value"
4 }
```

#### Response payload:

Status: 200 (success) for alphabetic citation style (APA)

```
1 {
2   "status": true,
3   "message": "Job processed successfully",
4   "fetch_id": "3bb029c8-5a37-4f18-9c6e-68dcf5db5c31",
5   "body": {
6     "citation_style": "apa",
7     "user_type": "",
8     "citations_for_item_selected": [
9       {
10        "status": true,
11        "key": "ITEM-1",
12        "inline": "(Li et al., 2023)",
13        "full": [
14          {
15            "data": "Li, J.-Y., Hirabayashi, M., Farnham, T. L., Sunshine, J. M., Knight, M. M., Tar
16          }
17        ],
18        "scite_badge_data": {
19          "status": true,
20          "message": "<div class=\"scite-badge\" data-doi=\"10.1038/s41586-023-05811-4\" data-layout=\\
21        }
22      },
```

```

23     {
24         "status": true,
25         "key": "ITEM-2",
26         "inline": "(Quadrelli et al., 2015)",
27         "full": [
28             {
29                 "data": "Quadrelli, M. B., Wood, L. J., Riedel, J. E., McHenry, M. C., Aung, M., Cangah
30             }
31         ],
32         "scite_badge_data": {
33             "status": false,
34             "message": "Citation stats unavailable."
35         }
36     }
37 ]
38 }
39 }

```

Status: 200 (success) for numeric citation style (IEEE)

```

1  {
2      "status": true,
3      "message": "Job processed successfully",
4      "fetch_id": "9a80f6ed-5583-418d-826a-a6764c13869a",
5      "body": {
6          "citation_style": "ieee",
7          "user_type": "",
8          "citations_for_item_selected": [
9              {
10                 "status": true,
11                 "key": "ITEM-1",
12                 "inline": "[1]",
13                 "full": [
14                     {
15                         "data_1": "[1]",
16                         "data_2": "J.-Y. Li <i>et al.</i>, "Ejecta from the DART-produced active asteroid Dimorp
17                     }
18                 ],
19                 "scite_badge_data": {
20                     "status": true,
21                     "message": "<div class=\"scite-badge\" data-doi=\"10.1038/s41586-023-05811-4\" data-layout=\"
22                 }
23             },
24             {
25                 "status": true,
26                 "key": "ITEM-2",
27                 "inline": "[2]",
28                 "full": [
29                     {
30                         "data_1": "[2]",
31                         "data_2": "M. B. Quadrelli <i>et al.</i>, "Guidance, navigation, and control technology
32                     }
33                 ],
34                 "scite_badge_data": {
35                     "status": false,
36                     "message": "Citation stats unavailable."
37                 }
38             }
39         ]
40     }
41 }

```

```
38     }
39   ]
40 }
41 }
```

Status: 500

```
1 {
2   "status": false,
3   "message": 'Internal Server Error'
4 }
```

## LIMITATIONS:

- AWS API gateway has an architectural time limit of max 30 secs after which it times out and we cannot increase this limit.
- Now if the user has a lot of items in its zotero library and the API endpoint which fetches it takes more than 30 secs, the request will be failed throwing an internal server error.
- How big can a user library be?
  - Theoretically, a pro user can have 100+ or even 1000+ items in their library. [In this extreme case](#), the user had 5428 items in their library, which slowed down the Zotero app itself.
- Also if there are only a couple of users with such huge libraries we can fail the request for them but if there are a lot of users we might need to re think on the architecture.