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	Kent Bach, 'Performatives', in Routledge Encyclopedia of Philosophy <a href="http://www.rep.routledge.com">http://www.rep.routledge.com</a> [accessed 3 October 2001]  (Bach 2001)
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	Strayer, J. R., and others, eds, <i>Dictionary of the Middle Ages</i> , 13 vols (New York: Scribner, 1982–89), vi (1985).
	Welsh, A., 'The Influence of Cervantes', in A. J. Cascardi, ed., <i>The Cambridge Companion to Cervantes</i> (Cambridge: Cambridge University Press, 2002), pp. 80–99.
	Posner, R., The Romance Languages (Cambridge: Cambridge

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	University Press, 1996).
	—— Linguistic Change in French (Oxford: Clarendon Press, 1997a).
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	Ogden, C. K., and I. A. Richards, 'Devices and their Narrative Function in Sidney's Arcadia', <i>Emblematica</i> , 1 (1986): 267–92.
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	Cook, R. F., 'Baudouin de Sebourc: un poème édifiant?', Olifant, 14 (1990), 115–35.
	Urbina, E., 'Don Quijote, puer–senex: un tópico y su transformación paródica en el Quijote', <i>Journal of Hispanic Philology</i> , 12 (1987–88), 127–38.
	Weber, K., H. Rao, and L. G. Thomas, 'From Streets to Suites: How the Anti-Biotech Movement Affected German Pharmaceutical Firms', <i>American Sociological Review</i> , 74.1 (2009): 106–27.
Online Articles	Jongeneel, E., 'Art and Divine Order in the Divina Commedia',  Literature and Theology, 21 (2007), 131-45 <a href="http://dx.doi.org/10.1093/">http://dx.doi.org/10.1093/</a> litthe/frm008> [accessed 01 May 2012].
	Lee, R., 'The Rebirth of Inherited Memories', MHRA Working Papers in the Humanities, 4 (2009), 18-24 <a href="http://www.mhra.org.uk/ojs/index.php/wph/article/viewFile/73/70">http://www.mhra.org.uk/ojs/index.php/wph/article/viewFile/73/70</a> [accessed 1 May 2012].
	Sohmer, S., 'The Lunar Calendar of Shakespeare's King Lear', Early Modern Literary Studies, 5.2 (1999) <a href="http://purl.oclc.org/emls/05-2/sohmlear.htm">http://purl.oclc.org/emls/05-2/sohmlear.htm</a> [accessed 28 January 2000] (para. 3 of 24).
Articles in newspapers and magazines	Schmidt, M., 'Tragedy of Three Star-Crossed Lovers', <i>Daily Telegraph</i> , 1 February 1990, p. 14.
	Friedland, J., 'Across the Divide', <i>The Guardian</i> , 15 January 2002, section G2, pp. 10–11.
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	Jacobs, N., Early Welsh Gnomic and Nature Poetry (London: Modern Humanities Research Association, 2012), p. 10. Google ebook.
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