# ANSC 205

# World Animal Resources

# Citation and Source Description Practice

## Assignment Requirements

* Complete the template on the following page (as described below)
* Due Date/time - ***11:59 p.m. on Tuesday, September 7***
* Point value – ***7 points***
  + NOTE: will largely be graded on the basis of completion; you will be provided with a completed template after the assignment due date, with which you can check the accuracy of your submission
* VERY IMPORTANT: submit in Word format (most other formats are not visible to the instructor when assignments are submitted in Compass)

## Assignment Description

For each of the four links provided in the table on the following page:

* Create a formatted reference for each link, according to the APA guidelines outlined in the [Writing Format and Citations document](file:///C:\Users\jemmert\Box%20Sync\Emmert%20Synced%20Folders\Teaching\ANSC%20205\ANSC%20205%20Writing%20Resources\ANSC%20205%20Writing%20Format%20and%20Citations.pdf) (also available on Compass; contains guidelines taken from the [Purdue Online Writing Lab](https://owl.purdue.edu/owl/research_and_citation/apa_style/apa_formatting_and_style_guide/reference_list_electronic_sources.html))
* Perform a [CRAP analysis](https://ccconline.libguides.com/c.php?g=242130&p=2185475) on for each reference, briefly describing how ***Current*** the source is, how ***Reliable*** you consider it to be, the ***Authority*** of the paper, and the author's ***Purpose*** (provide factual information or provide opinions, inform or persuade the audience, etc.)

### Tips

* The main information for which you are looking is authorship, publication date, title, group or organization, and URL (for an online resource). The most common formats are:
  + When you have all the info:
    - Lastname, F.M. (Year, Month Day). *Title of page*. Site name. URL
  + When individual authors are not given:
    - Group name. (Year, Month Day). *Title of page*. Site name. URL
    - NOTE: eliminate site name if same as the organization
* If there is no information about the publication date (year, month or day), use (n.d.).
* Following is an example:

Example: format and analyze <http://www.fao.org/news/story/en/item/1157729/icode/>

Properly formatted reference: *(NOTE: no author; start with organization, then date, then title, then URL)*

Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations. (2018, October 17). *Harnessing the power of livestock to drive sustainable development*. <http://www.fao.org/news/story/en/item/1157729/icode/>

CRAP analysis:

* Current: Over two years old; should be fine for this class
* Reliability: Well-known organization, should be reliable source of mostly unbiased information
* Authority: Author unknown, organization known to support agriculture; typically falls on side of sustainability, no ads; social media links and many links to other info in the organization
* Purpose: to provide information how livestock can contribute to sustainable development, particularly in developing countries.

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Source 1: <https://www.peta.org/blog/sabra-hummus-bans-animal-tests/>

Properly formatted reference: Toliver, Zachary. (2020, January 13). *Victory! Sabra Hummus Parent Company Bans Animal Tests After Talks With PETA*. People for the Ethical Treatment of Animals. https://www.peta.org/blog/sabra-hummus-bans-animal-tests/

CRAP analysis:

* Current: Only one and a half year old; should reduce the amount of citation with sources that are this new.
* Reliability: With over 6.5 million members, this a well-known organization and its sources should be mostly reliable.
* Authority: Author have written dozens of articles related to animals on the website; no ads in the site; website contains its social media links and has its own merchandise.
* Purpose: to provide a fact telling readers about one of the largest food and beverage company in Israel stop using animals for experiments.

Source 2: <https://www.agmrc.org/commodities-products/livestock/poultry/eggs-profile>

Properly formatted reference: Agricultural Marketing Resource Center. (2018, December). *Eggs Profile.* https://www.agmrc.org/commodities-products/livestock/poultry/eggs-profile

CRAP analysis:

* Current: Over two years old; should be fine for this class
* Reliability: Funded by The U.S. Department of Agriculture, the site should have mostly unbiased information.
* Authority: Author unknown, organization focuses on agricultural commodities and products, no ads; website contains its social media links and other links to info of the organization
* Purpose: to provide information about egg, ranging from its demand, regulation, exports and imports to production.

Source 3: [https://www.rollingstone.com/interactive/feature-belly-beast-meat-factory-farms-  
animal-activists/](https://www.rollingstone.com/interactive/feature-belly-beast-meat-factory-farms-animal-activists/)

Properly formatted reference: Solotaroff, Paul. (2013, December 10). *In the belly of the beast*. Rollingstone. https://www.rollingstone.com/interactive/feature-belly-beast-meat-factory-farms-  
animal-activists/

CRAP analysis:

* Current: Over seven years old; might have information that is outdated.
* Reliability: An organization known for its music magazine; not sure about its accuracy in animal related information.
* Authority: the author is a writer at Rolling Stone for over twenty-five years; He is also a Pulitzer Prize and National Magazine Award finalist. The reputation of the author is wildly recognized.
* Purpose: the author is trying to tell the dark sides of cheap meat by disclosing factory’s condition as well as the statements of the witnesses.

Source 4: <https://www.awf.org/country/mozambique>

Properly formatted reference: African Wildlife Foundation. (n.d.). *More than half of Mozambique’s wildlife is gone forever*. https://www.awf.org/country/mozambique

CRAP analysis:

* Current: Under able to obtain the time article was written. Only information is that the population statistics was retrieved in 2017.
* Reliability: A long-established organization with large numbers of funds, the sources provided should have mostly unbiased information.
* Authority: Author unknown, organization focuses on wildlife protection and sustainability, no ads; website contains its social media links and other links to info of the organization.
* Purpose: to provide information about the natural resources in Mozambique, and express solutions on how to protect the biodiversity.

Source 5: <https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0032579119396154>

Properly formatted reference: Brewer, V.B., Owens, C.M., Emmert, J.L. (2011, June 27). *Phase feeding in a small-bird production scenario: Effect on growth performance, yield, and fillet dimension.* ScienceDirect. https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0032579119396154

CRAP analysis:

* Current: Over nine years old; far enough for the course but might have information that is outdated.
* Reliability: Published and recognized in the world's largest source for scientific, technical, and medical research; the information and data should be correct.
* Authority: Authors have degree in Poultry Science and Animal Sciences; each author has three other articles published in ScienceDirect.
* Purpose: to persuade reader about the effect of phase feeding on growth performance, yield, and fillet dimension using the methods and data they present.