**Annotated Bibliography**

**Prepare an annotated bibliography of 6-8 sources for your Literature Review.**

--Compile alphabetical References (APA Style) or Works Cited (MLA Style) list.

--Include a concise annotation (150 words max.) following each entry on the list.

-- Each annotation should include one or more sentences that (a) evaluate the authority or background of the author(s), (b) summarize the scope or purpose of the work (c) summarize the central idea or findings (d) compare or contrast this work with another you have cited, **or** explain how this work is important to ongoing research on the topic.

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**Citations:** You can use a citation tool such as Zotero for your rough draft, but you must check it for errors (usually with capitalization and use of italics). Also, make sure your list is alphabetized and that you’ve used hanging indentation.If you are using MLA Style, make sure you use the newest (8th edition) rules.

**Annotations:** Do not repeat citation information in the annotation. Do not use first person. Use the annotation to highlight the relationships between your sources and ways that researchers are in conversation with each other.