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(Hodge 2009)

Hodge, M. J. S. 2009. Capitalist Contexts for Darwinian Theory: Land, Finance, Industry and Empire.  
*Journal of the History of Biology* 42 (3): 399-416. doi:10.1007/s10739-009-9187-y.

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(Hafner 2009, 132) [to cite a specific page]

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**An Article from an Online Newspaper or News Service:**

(Cowen 2009)

Cowen, Tyler. 2009. "How a Little Inflation Could Help a Lot." *New York Times*, August 1. <http://www.nytimes.com/2009/08/02/business/economy/02view.html?scp=1&sq=economic%20history&st=cse>.



## Citing Sources in Chicago (Author/Date)

More examples:

### **A Book:**

(Brauer and van Tuyl 2008)

Brauer, Jurgen and Hubert van Tuyl. 2008. *Castles, Battles, and Bombs: How Economics Explains Military History*. Chicago: Univ. of Chicago Press.

### **A Chapter from an Edited Book:**

(Sokol 2008, 130) [to cite a specific page]

Sokol, Jason. (2008). Uneasy Executives: Governors and Civil Rights from the Bay State to the Old Dominion. In *A Legacy of Information: Governors and Public Policy*, edited by Ethan G. Sribnick, 124-148. Philadelphia: Univ. of Pennsylvania Press.

### **A Web Site:**

(Gayer 2011)

Gayer, Ted. (2011). "A Better Approach to Environmental Regulation: Getting the Costs and Benefits Right." Brookings Institution. [http://www.brookings.edu/~media/Files/rc/papers/2011/05\\_environment\\_regulation\\_gayer/05\\_environment\\_regulation\\_gayer\\_paper.pdf](http://www.brookings.edu/~media/Files/rc/papers/2011/05_environment_regulation_gayer/05_environment_regulation_gayer_paper.pdf).

(Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis 2011) [if no year is available for websites, use an access date]

"Real Gross Domestic Product." 2011. Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis. Accessed May 20. <http://research.stlouisfed.org/fred2/series/GDPCA?cid=106>.