

**Footnote Examples**  
**HY364/History of Islamic Civilization to 1453**  
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I. The first citation of your sources should follow the format below:

Philip Hitti, *History of the Arabs*, revised tenth edition (New York: Palgrave Macmillan, 2002), 87.

Abū Ja‘far Muḥammad b. Ya‘qūb al-Kulaynī, “Al-Kulaynī on Temporary Marriage,” *Classical Islam: A Sourcebook of Religious Literature*, eds., Norman Calder, Jawid Ahmad Mojaddedi, and Andrew Rippin (New York: Routledge, 2003), 55.

**[Please note: The page numbers given above are only examples. You should use whatever the number of the page that contains your information or quote. Also, I have left out the superscript numbers that will automatically be added by your word processing software. Your citations must include these numbers!]**

II. All subsequent citations of these sources, unless Ibid is used, should follow the shortened citations below:

Hitti, *History of the Arabs*, 575.

Al-Kulaynī, “Al-Kulaynī on Temporary Marriage,” 65.

III. Any time that you cite a source and then immediately cite the same source, you must use Ibid. as a substitute for the author, title, etc.

A. If the second or subsequent citation is on the same page in the source as the previous citation, only use Ibid.

B. If the second or subsequent citation is on a different page in the source as the previous citation, use Ibid., and then the page number.

C. Since Ibid. is an abbreviation of the Latin term *Ibidem* – meaning “in the same place” – it must always be followed by a period.