Harvard Referencing Guide 6

Audio Visual Material

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Commercial Films and DVDs

Films / Movies

1. The title of film (in italics)
2. Year of distribution (in round brackets)
3. Directed by
4. [Film]
5. Place of distribution: distribution company


Films on DVD/Blu-ray

1. The title of the film (in italics)
2. Year of distribution (in round brackets)
3. Directed by
4. [DVD] or [Blu-ray]
5. Place of distribution: distribution company


Television Programmes

Referencing a single recorded programme

1. Title of programme (in italics)
2. Year of transmission (in round brackets)
3. Name of channel, followed by a comma
4. Date of transmission (day / month)


Television programmes / series on DVD/Blu-ray

1. Title of episode (in inverted commas)
2. Year of distribution (in round brackets)
3. Title of programme / series (in italics)
4. Series and episode numbers (if known)
5. Directed by
6. Written by
7. Date of original broadcast (if known)
8. [DVD] or [Blu-ray]
9. Place of distribution: distribution company


Television programmes viewed on the internet

1. Title of episode (in inverted commas) If not known, use programme title
2. Year of transmission (in round brackets)
3. Title of programme / series (in italics)
4. Series and episode numbers (if available)
5. Name of channel
6. Day / month of transmission
7. Available at: URL
Radio Programmes

Referencing a single radio broadcast

1. Title of the programme (in italics)
2. Year of transmission (in round brackets)
3. Name of channel
4. Date of the transmission (day and month)


Radio programmes heard on the internet

1. Title of programme (in italics)
2. Year of original transmission (in round brackets)
3. Name of channel
4. Day and month of original transmission
5. Available at: URL
6. Accessed: date (in round brackets)


Miscellaneous

Liner notes – CD, DVD, Vinyl and cassettes

1. Author
2. Year (in round brackets)
3. Title of liner notes / text (in inverted commas)
4. in
5. Title of recording (in italics)
6. [CD, DVD, vinyl, cassette liner notes]
7. Place of distribution: distribution company


Music or spoken recordings – CDs, cassettes, etc.

1. Artist(es)
2. Year of distribution (in round brackets)
3. Title of recording (in italics)
4. Type of recording [CD, cassette, L.P., etc]
5. Place of distribution: distribution company


Lyrics from a song

1. Lyricist(s)
2. **Year of distribution (in round brackets)** NB. The original year – much music has been reissued
3. **Title of song (in italics)**
4. **Place of distribution: distribution company**


**Podcasts**

Although podcasts can be downloaded onto personal devices, if referencing a podcast you have to give the details for your original download.

1. **Author or presenter - surname followed by initial(s)**
2. **Year the site was published/last updated - (in round brackets)**
3. **Title of the podcast in italics**
4. **[Podcast]**
5. **Day and month of the posted message**
6. **Available at: URL**
7. **(Accessed: date you access the site)**


**Films on YouTube**

1. **Name of the person posting the film / programme**
2. **Year of posting – (in round brackets)**
3. **Title of the film or video (in italics)**
4. **Available at: URL**
5. **(Accessed: date)**


NB. [Downloaded] replaces [Accessed] when a source has been downloaded onto a device, for example, in the case of audio or video downloads.

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