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Texts must not exceed 22,000 characters, or approximately 12 pages, including tables and bibliographic references.

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- Pages must be numbered on the right.
- The reference standard adopted is that of the American Psychological Association, abbreviated APA. Some guidance on in-text citation and referencing is given below. Examples are provided further on for monographs (books, manuals, etc.) and serial publications (periodicals, annals, yearbooks, etc.):

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- General rule: author's name and date.
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Some Rules and Standards for Bibliographic References

In-text citation:

- References to original documents must always mention the author(s) and date of publication.

A recent study (Dupont, 2005) showed that...

- When the author's name is part of the sentence, only the year of publication is given in parentheses.

Dulac (2004) observed that...

- If several references appear within the same set of brackets, they are listed in alphabetical order and separated by a semicolon (“;”).

Numerous observations (Albert, 2001; Dupont & Durant, 1999; Mahieu, 1989) have shown that...

- If a reference has more than two authors, all names must be cited the first time it appears. In subsequent citations, give the first author's name followed by “et al.” and the date.

Damon, Lerner, Renninger & Sigel (2006) observed that...
Recent observations (Damon et al., 2006) have shown that...

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Children must learn, through fairy tales, “that the struggle against life's serious difficulties is inevitable and an intrinsic part of human existence” (Bettelheim, 1979, p. 22).

- For a quotation from an electronic document that is not paginated, use the paragraph number instead, preceded by “para.” If no paragraph number exists either, use the chapter heading followed by the paragraph number from which the quotation is taken.

According to the American Psychological Association's website (2005), anger “is a natural, adaptive response to threats; it inspires powerful, often aggressive, feelings and behaviours, which allow us to fight and to defend ourselves when we are attacked” (Expressing Anger, para. 1) (APA Ref).

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JOURNAL ARTICLE

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DISSERTATION / THESIS

Mboua, C.P. (2008). *L'impact du vécu de stress, des traumatismes et lésions causés par les simules, sur les décompensations psychopathologiques des populations riveraines des grands fleuves du Cameroun* [Doctoral dissertation in Clinical Psychology and Psychopathology, dir. Hervé Benoy]. Laboratoire de psychologie clinique et psychopathologie, Université de Bourgogne, Dijon.

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These are cited based on the website address or the specific “html” page of the site, and are given in footnotes, not in the bibliography, following this model:

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