Guide for authors

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9. Equations

- Equations should be edited using the Microsoft Equation editing tool or similar software. All equations are to be numbered using Arabic numerals in parenthesis. Please, see the following example:

$$a^2 + b^2 = c^2 (1)$$

10. Citation

- Cite references in the text by name and year in parentheses.
- Some examples:

The above mentioned research spans many disciplines (Stieg, 1981).

The paper is also in the spirit of the important contributions of Winter and Spring (1995).

This result was later contradicted (Winter, Spring, 1995).

This is the case of Eastern Europe (Burchard, 1965a).

To take one example, Azerbaijan devotes 13 percent of its GDP to energy subsidies (Burchard, 1965b).

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Journal article

STIEG, M. F. 1981. The information needs of historians. *College and Research Libraries*, Nov. 1981, vol. 42, no. 6, pp. 549-560. ISSN 0010-0870.

WINTER, J., SPRING, L. 1995. Z trosek likvidace signál celé Evropě. *Českomoravský profit,* 1995, roč. 6, č. 28, s. 10-11. ISSN 1211-5428.

Book

CRANE, D., et al. 1972. *Invisible colleges*. 1st ed. Chicago: Univ. of Chicago Press, 1972. 206 p. ISBN 0-22-611857-6.

DÄNIKEN, E. von. 1994. *Prorok minulosti*. 1. vyd. Praha: Naše vojsko, 1994. 220 s. ISBN 80-206-0434-0.

Book chapter, Proceedings paper

BURCHARD, J. E. 1965a. How humanists use a library. In *Intrex : report on a planning conference on information transfer experiments*. Cambridge, Mass.: M.I.T. Press, 1965. pp. 155-167. ISBN 0-94-103477-25-1.

BURCHARD, J. E. 1965b. Parish registers and the historian. In STEEL, D. J. (ed.) *National index of parish registers*. London: Society of Genealogists, 1968. pp. 155-167. ISBN 0-17-356874-55-7.

FOUČKOVÁ, M. 1992. Reikarnace a hlubinná terapie. In WHITTON, J. L., FISHER, J. Život mezi životy. Brno: Bollingenská věž, 1992. s. 9-14. ISBN 80-236-4565-0.

Online document

ROUSSEAU, S., PROOST, S. 2004. *The relative efficiency of market-based environmental policy instruments with imperfect compliance* [online]. 2008 [cit. 2009-09-09], Retrieved from http://www.kuleuven.be/ete.

ÚŘAD VLÁDY ČR. 2005. *Strategie udržitelného rozvoje ČR* [online]. 2005 [cit. 2008-05-04]. Dostupné z http://www.business-info.cz/cz/clanek/koncepce-a-politiky/25635.